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Weekly Snapshot

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Pre-School this weather was perfect this week for lots of outdoor play and using the big play equipment. The children have learnt the game 'Duck, Duck, Goose which has been great fun. They have also

been having a picnic on the grass at snack time. Favourite songs this term

have been Chick, Chick, Chicken, and Hot Cross Buns. Perhaps your

child will teach you the words and actions at home! Five Currant Buns in the Bakers Shop has supported targets of counting and recognising numbers up to 5. We have focused on saying please and thank you, without being reminded, as this was our Lenten promise. The children have been excited to bring their Easter cards and nests home. It has been a very busy term with lots of craft activities and cooking. We wish you all a peaceful Easter time with your family.

## Headteacher

Today we reminded the children there are a few more days of lent to try hard to keep their promises . Can they keep them going at home!

Wishing everyone a Happy and Blessed Easter

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We enjoyed reading the story Jack and the Beanstalk and thought

about the structure of the story – beginning, middle and end. We drew pictures of the beanstalk and wrote words or sentences to match our

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pictures using some story language.



In maths, we have been exploring patterns in the environment and creating our own repeating pattern using different resources such as buttons, pegs, gems, and paint. The children were able to talk about the wonderful patterns they created. In RE, we have been learning about the resurrection of Jesus and how everybody celebrates the good news. We watched the KS1 assembly about the Easter story and sang some Easter songs such as 'The Children Came with Olive Branches' and 'You made me'. We also created our own Easter gardens



with natural material. Thank you to Mrs Jones for helping us do this!



It has been a wonderful final week of term and the children have been enjoying the sunshine!

In English we have finished 'Dinosaurs and all that Rubbish' by writing a factual report about how to

save the planet. In maths we have consolidated our learning by revisiting place value within 50. The children have practised partitioning numbers in to tens and ones. For example 47 will be 40 and 7.

We have enjoyed learning about the Easter story from Palm Sunday all the way to Easter Sunday. The children have enjoyed making angels and retelling the story. Year One took advantage of the sunny weather and went outside to draw story maps.

Have a fantastic break, it is well deserved by the children. They have worked exceptionally hard and we are so proud of them all!















This week has been all about superhero poses in our topic as we have been exploring the different poses superheroes traditionally make. We used Play-Doh to create our own mini figures and of course we included capes! Once we had built our figure, we explored how the body changed to make different poses such as arms folded, flying, showing off their strength and of course the superhero landing. We were really impressed with their creativity. Our next challenge was to use our new found understanding of poses to create an action sketch, filled with different shapes and patterns. We used watercolour paints, pastels, colouring pencils and pens to finalise our magnificent creatures. We have also been thinking about the importance of Easter Sunday and Jesus's return. "God's not dead...he is alive!"

Finally, the entire Year 2 team would like to wish you all a Happy Easter and we look forward to seeing you all back soon!



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