









# This Weeks 'What's Happening'



A very warm welcome back to all our returning parents, staff and children and a new welcome to all our families starting this term. We hope you have had a restful and peaceful Easter holiday. Existing children on roll will start again on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> April. Any new children will have received their start date from next week in their letter sent in the post.

Those children that will be moving on to school in September, will be receiving details this week of their **primary school allocation**. If you need any help or advice in this matter then please call our Parental Involvement Coordinator Emma Eaton on 01535 605272.



### Monday 12<sup>th</sup> April



We are closed for a training day today and look forward to seeing you tomorrow. Our sign of the week is **Grow.**Watch Mrs Widdup online as she makes the sign for grow at https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lxz21sCJ\_IQ



## Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> April



In **red** room the children have been playing in the builders role play outside and showed an interest in making dens with the tarpaulin. This half term our core story is Goldilocks and the three bears so this week we will be developing the outdoor area to include den building and discussing different animal habitats.



#### Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> April



Watch Laura from green room, sing the Little Arabella Miller song about a caterpillar, in her sunny garden at home. The Very Hungry Caterpillar is the core story in green room this half term. To watch Laura visit our Facebook page at



https://www.facebook.com/StrongCloseNS/videos

# Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> April



In blue room before the holidays the children were making their own cards for Easter and talked about birthdays as well. To extend this interest, this week we are going to write for a purpose by making e.g. birthday invitations and shopping lists, so we can celebrate our persona doll's birthday at the end of the week. Try visiting "What's in my Shopping Bag" to chat as you unpack your shopping at

https://www.bbc.co.uk/tiny-happy-people/whats-in-my-shopping-bag/zjpqmfr

## Friday 16<sup>th</sup> April

Before the holidays in yellow room the children made some wonderful models so to extend this interest, this week we are going to make a collaborative model together as a group. At home why not watch the "Get Creative" ideas from the BBC's Tiny Happy People at https://www.bbc.co.uk/tiny-happy-people/get-creative/zd2jqp3





Ramadan Mubarak. This week the holy muslim observance of Ramadan begins when many of our families will start a month of fasting. The children will have the opportunity to talk about and explore this time, through group times and our Ramadan display.

