

Brecknock Early Years News

21st March 2014

Nursery

In Nursery we have been busy looking after 11 cheerful, cheeping chicks.

We built them a run, dug up worms to feed them, observed, stroked and held them.

During **Brecknock Science Week** we had a chance to use **microscopes** in Nursery. We looked at our clothes, hands, skin, the carpet, the caterpillars. Ask me what we could see.

In phonics we have been learning the 'n' sound. What words can you think of beginning with a 'n'?

Our caterpillars are still growing!

Reception

In phonics we have been learning the digraphs 'ur' (turn) and 'ow' (down), reading words and captions containing the sounds. Our tricky word focus has been 'you'.

In Maths we have been practising 'counting on' from a number.

In our topic, we have continued to learn about **things that fly and float** by investigating **bubbles**. We have created bubble blowers out of cups, bowls and plates and had a competition to see who can blow the biggest bubbles!

We have used coloured water to discover what colour bubbles are as well as making bubble blowers in different shapes to see whether they are always round.

This week was **Brecknock Science Week**. We observed fruit under the microscope and painted what we could see.



Their crowns are growing.

Etienne

I blew 3 bubbles. I blew them softly.

Sean made his own bubble blower out of a cup and tested it



Looking after the cheeping, cheerful chicks!



Nursery Song of the Week

Caterpillar Walking

Caterpillar walking, caterpillar slow, Caterpillar looking for his dinner you know,

Caterpillar finds a nice green leaf,
Oh what a tasty treat!
Chomp chomp chomp chomp,
Yum yum yum,
Caterpillar full now rub tum tum (x2)

Caterpillar hungry wants his tea, He needs food like you and me, Caterpillar finds a nice green leaf, Oh what a tasty treat!

Chomp chomp chomp, Yum yum yum, Caterpillar full now rub tum tum (x2)



Coming Up in Reception

Wednesday 2nd April Family Maths 2

Come and join in with your child's Maths Lesson and take home an activity

Coming up in Nursery

Every Thursday, 9.00-10.00am

Nursery Stay and Play

Thursday 27th and Friday 28th March

Spring walk and egg hunt at
Clock Tower park.
Please sign up at the Nursery door
if you would like to come along.

Reception Song of the Week

One Man Went to Mow

One man went to mow, Went to mow a meadow, One man and his dog, Went to mow a meadow

Two men went to mow,
Went to mow a meadow,
Two men, one man and his dog,
Went to mow a meadow

Three men went to mow,
Went to mow a meadow,
Three men, two men, one man and his dog,
Went to mow a meadow

Four men went to mow,
Went to mow a meadow,
Four men, three man, two men, one man and his
dog,
Went to mow a meadow

Five men went to mow, Went to mow a meadow, Five men, four men, three men, two men, one man

Went to mow a meadow

and his dog,

Six men went to mow,
Went to mow a meadow,
Six men, five men, four men, three men, two men,
one man and his dog,
Went to mow a meadow

Carry on up to "Ten men went to mow...

Cheep

Cheep

Cheep

Cheep

Cheep

