



# Little Westy's Newsletter

March 25



## Welcome to the Spring Term 2

We hope you all enjoyed the half term holiday and were able to enjoy some time together as a family.

Our topic this term is Healthy Me and Growing. In the first part of this topic, we are learning about how to stay healthy by exercising and eating a balanced diet. We are exploring how to wash our bodies and clean our teeth. The latter part of the topic is learning about growing and caring for our environment. We are going to plant seeds in our garden and learn about how we help them grow.

### Tapestry

Tapestry is an easy-to-use and secure online learning journal that helps to celebrate your child's learning and development. It builds a lovely journal of your child's experiences and journey through nursery. At Little Westy's we use Tapestry to share our learning each week and Wow moments of your child's learning. These observations are either a photo or video.

We would also love to see your contributions too.

Let us know how you get on!

### Ways you can support your child

Link to Parent support – Maths BBC bitesize

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zkqf3j6>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zsjbcmn>

### Ways to support with maths at home

Count everything – cars on the road, books on the shelf, cakes on the plate.

Point out numbers everywhere you are – car number plates, numbers on houses, prices in shops.

Use maths language in everyday speech such as - there are one, two, three buttons on your coat. Use positional language to describe where things are, talk about shapes and what shapes you can see as you are out and about.

**Come and have some fun and games with your child!**

**Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> March – come and play a game with your child @8:45 – 9:00**

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March – come and do some maths with your child @8:45 – 9:00am**

**Week beginning 31<sup>st</sup> March – an Easter Egg Hunt – details for this will follow nearer the time**

## Gentle Reminders

Please make sure **all** your child's belongings are labelled; it makes it much easier to reunite items with their rightful owner.

Please can the children bring their morning snack (no nut products) in a separate container from their lunch.

As the weather is starting to change, please can your child come with the appropriate outdoor clothing, we go outside in all sorts of weather. Spare clothes and shoes/Wellies are useful especially if your child gets wet or damp while playing outside.

