



The Strawberry How Nursery School Newsletter can be read in conjunction with the information pages on the Nursery website. [www.strawberryhownursery.com](http://www.strawberryhownursery.com) or you can find our regular posts on Tapestry our online learning journal and Facebook.

## May 2024 Newsletter

### Sunny Days

The children in nursery have been enjoying the sunny weather, making the most of being outside. The Caterpillars have enjoyed the playground, climbing up and down the slide, swinging on the rocking horse and playing with balls and hoops. The Butterflies have been out and about on walks to the woods, the post box and the park. The Squirrels have also enjoyed walks out, heading to the rugby club using the climbing equipment and playing football. They have also been using their big sand pit, scooping and pouring.

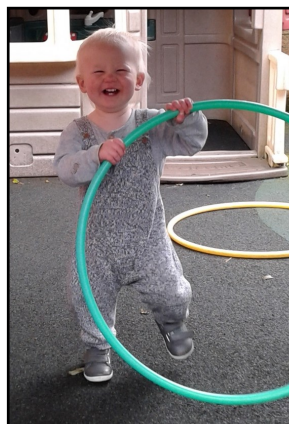
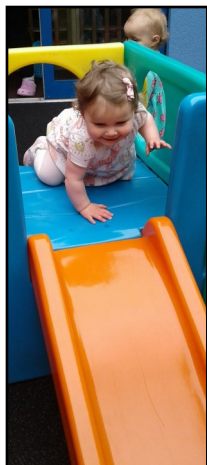
### Calendar 2024

#### June

Mon 3 King Charles III Crowns (S)  
Dance Party (B)  
Wed 5 Ladybird Biscuits (C)  
**Mon 10 Italy Week (S)**  
Tue 11 Hungry Caterpillar  
Sensory Box (C)  
Fri 14 Butterfly Painting (C)  
Thu 20 Summer Pyjama Party (S)  
Fri 21 Safari (B)  
Mon 24 Artists Week (S)  
Thu 27 Erupting Volcano (B)

#### July

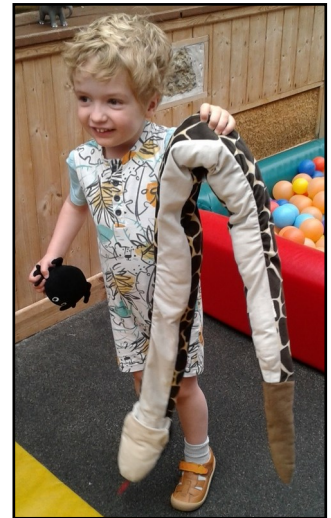
**Thu 4 Indian Wedding (S)**  
Fri 5 Teddy Bears Picnic (B)  
Fri 12 Bug Hotel (S)  
Mon 15 Teddy Bear Picnic (C)  
**Tue 16 Crummock Visit (S)**  
Thu 18 Minibeast Trail (B)  
Wed 24 Big Train Track (C)





# Books

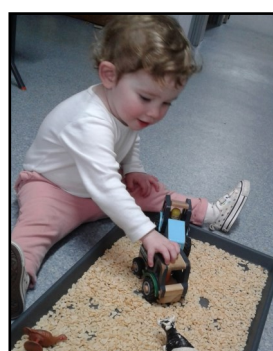
The Butterflies have been exploring their favourite books, taking part in an exciting array of activities. They created their own book marks, went on a bear hunt and a Supertato evil pea mission. They also had a lovely tea party just like 'The Tiger Who Came to Tea'. They helped to make their own sandwiches, spreading the butter and sprinkling on the cheese. They also enjoyed cakes and savoury snacks, alongside the tiger.



# Nursery Rhymes



The Caterpillars have been dancing and singing during their Nursery Rhyme week. They sang a few of their favourite songs, before taking part in their fun related activity. These included; making their own row, row, row your boat, sponge painting animal fair masks, counting the five little ducks back in the pond after swimming and making it rain and pour whilst singing along to it's raining it's pouring. They also sang Old MacDonald, while exploring a farm sensory tray, making sure all of Old MacDonalds animals were in there.





# Learning Makaton Signs at Nursery

This month's Makaton song is 'The Wheels on the Bus'. The Squirrels have enjoyed learning this song during their transport week. The Butterflies and Caterpillars love to sing and sign along to the song throughout the day. Here is a link to the song sung by Singing Hands. <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OpeZ5AN5vs8>. We hope you all have fun learning the signs and singing together at home.



**Wheels/Round**



**Wipers/Swish**



**Children**



**Night**

## The Wheels on the Bus

The wheels on the bus  
go round and round,  
round and round,  
round and round,  
the wheels on the bus go round and round  
all day long

The Wipers on the bus  
go swish swish swish,  
swish swish swish,  
swish. swish. swish,  
the wipers on the bus go swish swish  
swish, all day long

The doors on the bus  
go open and shut,  
open and shut,  
open and shut,  
the doors on the bus go open and shut, all  
day long

The children on the bus  
go up and down,  
up and down,  
up and down,  
the children on the bus go up and down,  
all day long

And then at night the bus  
go to sleep,  
the bus goes to sleep,  
the bus goes to sleep,  
and then at night the bus goes to sleep,  
all night long



**Bus**



**Doors/Open/Shut**



**Up/Down**



**Sleep**

## Squirrels Educational Visit - Crummock Water Tuesday 16th July

The Squirrels will be going on an educational visit to Crummock Water on Tuesday 16th July. They will be travelling by bus, leaving nursery at 9.15am and returning for 11.45am. Any Squirrel, who doesn't usually attend on a Tuesday, is welcome to join us. There will be a charge of £10. Children are accepted on a first come first served basis, please email [shnschool@outlook.com](mailto:shnschool@outlook.com).