



## Foundation Stage News

**Week Ending:      Friday 10<sup>th</sup> March**

### **We have been.....**

- Using the story of Jack and the Beanstalk as a stimulus for role play
- Sequencing the story
- Helping Foxy sort fiction and non-fiction books
- Looking for signs of spring
- Singing spring songs
- Digging and planting
- Comparing objects by size, height, weight and length
- Naming and describing 2D and 3D shapes
- Counting in 1s, 2s and 10s
- Ordering and writing numbers
- Using giant and fairy steps
- Maypole dancing

### **Reminders**

**Garden DIY SOS! Thank you to everyone who has shown interest in helping out. We have a parent offering to paint on 17<sup>th</sup> March, after which the bigger projects can take place. Please let us know availability from Monday 20<sup>th</sup>. We will then organise convenient slots.**

**Please send in any of the following items you may have hanging around and now longer need.....stainless steel pots, pans colanders etc; tiles, garden mobiles, hooks, shelving, logs for seats and mini ones in different sizes, wooden plaques, slate, chalkboards, cable reels, trellis, palettes, bricks, stones, large and smaller pebbles (including glass ones), evergreen plants and mini conifers, herbs, rope, plant pots, compost, tyres, bark chippings, corrugated plastic roofing, outdoor paint, old colourful kids wellingtons and a kitchen sink! Please bring in ASAP Thank you!**

**March 15<sup>th</sup> Road Rangers Show will visit Rainbow Class**

**March 23<sup>rd</sup> Mothers' Day Sale**

**March 24<sup>th</sup> Red Nose Day Dress Down and Mothers' Day Spring Songs Concert at 3PM (Dads welcome too!)**

### **Home Activities**

**Encourage the use of the terms fiction and non-fiction and the difference between them  
Plant a seed or bulb at home and record how it grows, this can then be used as show and tell during the last week of this term. Please encourage your child to do some writing as part of this, for example, by adding labels.**

**Find a joke to tell the class for 'Show and Tell' next week.**

