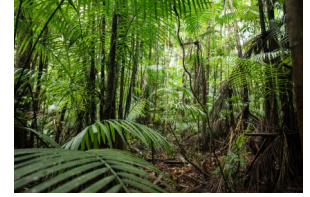




Friday 6th March

We have really enjoyed learning about the rainforest and all of the amazing animals and plant species that call it home. Next week, we will be taking a short break from our around the world adventures to focus on our Year group's Social Action Project. Each year group at Meadows tackles a problem in our world and creates a project designed to help. In Reception, we will be focusing on littering and recycling. As part of our project, we would like to invite any and all adults to join us in our classrooms just a little early on Friday before pickup time where we will deliver a short assembly on the work we have been doing for our project across the week. More information below...



Mathematics

This week we have focused on addition and subtraction using part-part wholes as our main visual. Next week we will begin exploring the pattern of numbers when counting beyond 20.

Friday 13th March

As mentioned above, next Friday we would like to invite you in to class for a short class presentation on our Social Action Project which we will be creating next week. If you are able to make it, please head to green gates on the other side of the school from our outdoor classroom for 2:50 ready for a 3(ish) start. Once we have finished our presentation, you can head out to our outdoor classroom while we get our things ready and then pick up will be as normal.

Dates for your diary!

Our **next Stay and Play session** which we will be holding **at Bromsgrove Library**. This is a chance to spend some time with your child at our local library where one of the librarians will read them a story, then you can have some time to explore and share some books together and have a chance to sign up to the local library if you haven't already had a chance to do so.

Goslings will be on Tuesday 17th March at 2pm and Cygnets will be on Friday 20th at 2pm.

If you are able to attend, you will be able to take your child home straight from the library as the session ends around 2:45. If you are unable to attend, we will take your child back to school for a normal end of day pickup.

We haven't heard from many people about attendance to the library and it is vital we know if you will be attending so we can ensure your child travels to the library with all of their things ready to go home from the library. Please let your child's teacher know if you are able to attend our library stay and play—thank you!

The final date for your diaries is **Thursday 26th of March** where we would love to have a **special Easter bonnet parade** at school. We would like all children in Reception to create an Easter bonnet at home that celebrates all the joys of spring. You can be as creative as you like with your child's headpiece, on the next page are some examples of Easter bonnets for inspiration.

