



letters. We will be writing for a variety of reasons, such as labels or poems and we will continue to develop the correct letter formation.

**Mathematics:** Exploring and representing patterns within numbers up to 10, including evens and odds, double facts and how quantities can be distributed equally. Children will also focus on verbally counting beyond 20, recognising the pattern of the counting system and know some number bonds to 10.

**Art and Design:** Developing skills using a variety of media and materials, including watercolours.

**Understanding the World:** Learning about changes from spring to summer.

**Physical Development:** Games, ball skills and preparing for sports day. Movement, response to music through a variety of opportunities to use and move our bodies.

**Things you can do at home to support your child:**

As ever, we are grateful for your continuing help by hearing your child read at home and ensuring reading folders and library books are all returned to school. After the book has been read 3 times, please place it along with the reading log, into the book change box.

To support the children's numerical understanding, it will be of great help this term to play games involving doubling, talking about when something is odd or even number, ordering numbers, using resources to make number 5 then 10, spot numbers 0-20 in the environment and talk about how the numbers 0-10 are repeated when thinking of numbers 11-20 to further develop their concept of numbers. Please support them in ordering, counting and recognising numbers between 10 and 20.

Thank you for continuing to provide PE kit, wellies and tuck money for each term. Please do not hesitate to come and see us if you have any worries about your child.

Other Information:

We will be visiting Warleigh Lodge Farm in Bathford on the following dates:

Apples – Wednesday 15th April

Pears – Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> April

Strawberries – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> April

If you would like to speak to any of the Foundation Stage team about your child, please feel free to do so in the morning or after school.

Best wishes and here's to a fantastic term,

The Foundation Stage Team