

# Lymestone Preschool

## Weekly Round-up (Spring Term week 7)



Welcome back to preschool. We hope you all had a lovely half-term break. We have some exciting events planned for the second half of the Spring Term, and we are also hoping to arrange some special visitors to preschool soon — so watch this space!

### Upcoming Events

**Cake Sale – Wednesday 4th March at 3:00pm** Held outside the preschool.

Donations of baked goods would be greatly appreciated. Please drop off any donations on Tuesday afternoon or Wednesday morning. Don't forget to stop by at 3:00pm to enjoy a sweet treat and help us raise funds for the preschool. Thank you for your support!

**World Book Day – Thursday 5th March** Children are invited to come dressed in their favourite comfy, cosy clothes and bring along their favourite book to share with their friends. Please do not dress up as book characters. Kindly ensure your child's name is clearly written in their book so we can return it safely at the end of the day.

**Sponsored Easter Walk – Tuesday 1st April at 2:00pm.** With a special guest appearance from the Easter Bunny! All parents and carers are warmly invited to join us.

Bookings are now open for our **Easter Holiday Club**, which will run from Tuesday 7th April to Friday 10th April. Please note that bookings close on 13th March. The preschool will then close for one week to allow staff a well-earned rest. The Summer Term begins on Monday 20th April.

### Gentle Reminder

Please do not allow children to bring toys from home into preschool. Toys can easily become lost or damaged, which can cause unnecessary upset. Thank you for your understanding.

### Buzzard Room

We enjoyed a lovely trip to the park where the children played a variety of games, including lots of football with our newly donated balls. The children showed fantastic teamwork while spinning Tash very fast on the roundabout, though we're not entirely sure Tash would agree it was quite that fun!

It was wonderful to enjoy the fresh air and sunshine. Some of the children played hide and seek, pretending to be cats squeezing through cat flaps.

In our nature garden, we worked hard removing weeds and planting wildflowers. The children are excited about the changing season and spotting signs of new life around us. We loved discovering wiggly worms, gently holding them, and then carefully returning them to the soil to watch them burrow. Inspired by our gardening, some children made playdough "flower seeds" to plant in our garden boxes.

Outside, the children worked together to build an impressive race car track using bricks and blocks.

### Rainbow Room

We had a fantastic time exploring musical instruments from around the world. The children used them to create music and play along to favourite songs such as *The Wheels on the Bus* and *Incy Wincy Spider*.

Laura and some of the children enjoyed playing "shops," taking turns baking cakes, being the shopkeeper, and handling the money.

The children had lots of fun with junk modelling, practising their cutting and gluing skills. We also experimented with cutting playdough, which felt very satisfying, and made tiny "blueberries."

Magnatiles were used creatively to build a colourful rocket, and outdoors we enjoyed a game of hopscotch, practising both counting and hopping skills.

We also revisited our porridge play and had great fun acting out the story of Goldilocks and the Three Bears.

## IMPORTANT DATES AND REMINDERS

### Preschool Cake Sale

4<sup>th</sup> March 2026 at 3pm

### World Book Day

5<sup>th</sup> March 2026

### Easter Sponsored Walk

1<sup>st</sup> April at 2pm

### Easter Holiday Club

7<sup>th</sup> April – 10<sup>th</sup> April –

Booking close on 13<sup>th</sup> March.

**Closed:** 3<sup>rd</sup> – 6<sup>th</sup> April &

13<sup>th</sup> – 17<sup>th</sup> April

**12<sup>th</sup> May Parents Evening.**

To view our Wishlist click this link - [Amazon.co.uk](https://www.amazon.co.uk)



## Resources Donations

**INSTEAD OF SNACK DONATION THIS TERM WE ARE ASKING FOR RESOURCES PLEASE:**

WE WOULD LOVE:

- ANY EASTER CRAFTS
- FOOD FLOURING ESSENCES (VANILLA, ORANGE, LEMON, PEPPERMINT)
- WATER COLOUR PAINTS
- PASTA FOR SENSORY PLAY
- PEEL & STICK FOAM SHAPES
- SHAVING FOAM
- SENSITIVE CONDITIONER
- CORN FLOUR
- BICARBONATE OF SODA
- PLAIN FLOUR FOR PLAYDOUGH
- A4 PRINTER PAPER
- A4 COLOURED CARD
- A4 COLOURED SUGAR PAPER
- GLITTER

THANK YOU SO MUCH

**Have a wonderful February half term break!**