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#### This Week

This week the children particularly enjoyed the visit from the mobile farm. The farmers brought: sheep with lambs, rabbits, goats with kids, a Shetland pony, ducks and chickens. The farmers commented on how well behaved the children were throughout the sessions. They enjoyed petting the animals and learning lots of facts.

The children have been on a 'spring walk' around the nursery grounds to look for signs of spring. The children have also been: painting and drawing spring flowers, colour mixing with powder paint and shaving foam, role playing the farm visit building their own pens for the animals, practising number formation on the iPads and using syringes to transfer water.

In Forest School (3-4) the children have been looking for signs of spring in Forest School. The children have used strings and sticks to create a square section in the ground where they are going to observe changes.

In the nurture Forest School session, the children have been digging to find worms.

The word of the week is 'spring'.

The focus story is 'Superworm'. The children have been finding lots of worms outside.

### Attendance

The group with the highest attendance last week was the Ducklings with 89%. Well done to the Duckling group.

# WOW Book Challenge

Please let us know what you have been doing during the weekend. Have you seen any signs of spring?

#### Spare Clothes

Please ensure that your child always has spare clothes in nursery, including: trouser, top, socks and underwear. The children's clothes can get wet, muddy etc. and may need changing during the session.

# 30 Hour Places

Please ensure that you renew your 30 hours code before the 31st March 2019.

If you would like more information about 30 hours places and how to apply, please see Mrs. Fletcher in the Nursery School office.

Thank you for your continued support