

What's On March 2026



World Book Day

Thursday 5th March is World Book Day, Sharing stories together for just ten minutes a day will encourage a love of reading and it's fun for everyone! You can read together anywhere and everywhere, from breakfast to bedtime! In the park, on the train, on the sofa, on a plane - reading and sharing stories can happen anywhere at any time. We will be celebrating the story 'The Tiger Who came to tea' The children will make tiger masks and have a tea party! The children are allowed to wear their own clothes that day. Why don't you read your child's favourite book. NI libraries usually run events on the day and The World Book Day official site has lots of fun activities for you to share with your child., so log on to see the events. Your child will also get a book voucher to spend.



Jo Jingles

Jo jingles will continue to join us again for movement and songs.

On Friday 13th March the children can wear green to celebrate Saint Patrick's Day, we would please ask that they make a donation to Trocaire to support the great work that they do.

St Patrick's Day holiday

School is closed on
Monday 16th (staff development training)

Tuesday 17th St Patrick's day holiday and **Wednesday 18th** (an additional staff training day added by the minister for education).



Trad tot classes

We are delighted to be beginning a new class in collaboration with An Cultúrlann. This is a 6 week programme focusing on Irish traditional music and songs.



Relax kids

Miss Aishling will continue her 'Relax Kids' programme every Wednesday, the children and staff are really enjoying these sessions.

Mini professor workshops

We welcome Professor Adam back for 2 more workshops this month Friday 6th March (Volcanoes) Monday 9th March.



Forest School

Our Forest School sessions this month are; 19th, 26th March please ensure that your child wears wellies and has a warm coat and hat. We would like to open these sessions to parents, if you would like to attend our sessions please talk to your class teacher.

Parent/teacher consultations

Mrs. Durnin and Mrs. Conway will be having parent teacher meetings in March. They will arrange an appointment in due course.

Curriculum News

Theme: Homes (animal homes with a focus on farm animals)/Spring

Hall Story: Dora's Eggs

Spring

The season for planting, growing, nest building! The children will be taking part in gardening sessions with staff.

Early Numeracy Skills

The shape of the month is rectangle

Look for rectangles in the house and in the environment.



Five little speckled frogs

Five little speckled frogs,
Sat on a speckled log,
Eating some most delicious bugs.
Yum yum!
One jumped into the pool,
Where it was nice and cool,
Then there were four speckled
frogs.
Glub glub!



Four little speckled frogs,
Sat on a speckled log,
Eating some most delicious bugs.
Yum yum!
One jumped into the pool,
Where it was nice and cool,
Then there were three speckled frogs.
Glub glub!

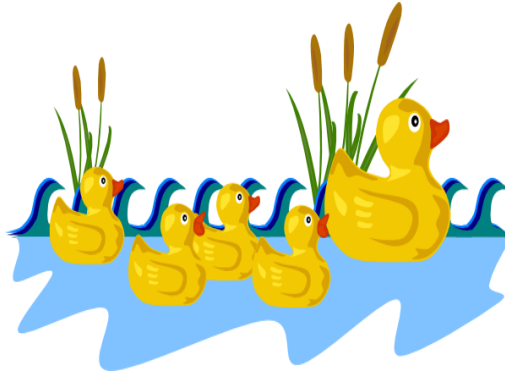
Three little speckled frogs,
Sat on a speckled log,
Eating some most delicious bugs.
Yum yum!
One jumped into the pool,
Where it was nice and cool,
Then there were two speckled frogs.
Glub glub!

Two little speckled frogs,
Sat on a speckled log,
Eating some most delicious bugs.
Yum yum!
One jumped into the pool,
Where it was nice and cool,
Then there was one speckled frog.
Glub glub!

One little speckled frog,
Sat on a speckled log,
Eating some most delicious bugs.
Yum yum!
He jumped into the pool,
Where it was nice and cool,
Then there were no speckled frogs.
Glub glub!

Chick, chick, chick, chicken
Lay a little egg for me
Chick, chick, chick chicken
I'd like one for my tea
I haven't had an egg since breakfast
And now its half past 3
So chick, chick, chick, chicken
Lay a little egg for me





Five little ducks

Five little ducks went swimming one day
Over the hill and far away
Mother duck said, "Quack quack quack quack"
And only four little ducks came back!

Four little ducks went swimming one day
Over the hill and far away
Mother duck said, "Quack quack quack quack"
And only three little ducks came back!

Three little ducks went swimming one day
Over the hill and far away
Mother duck said, "Quack quack quack quack"
And only two little ducks came back!

Two little ducks went swimming one day
Over the hill and far away.
Mother duck said, "Quack quack quack quack"
And only one little duck came back!

One little duck went swimming one day
Over the hill and far away
Mother duck said, "Quack quack quack quack"
And all her five little ducks came back!



(To the tune of London Bridge)

*Daffodils are growing now, growing now,
growing now*

*Daffodils are growing now, in the spring time
Lambs are leaping in the fields, in the fields, in
the fields*

*Lambs are leaping in the fields in the spring time
Birds are busy building nests, building nests,
building nests.*



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