

# Omagh County Nursery News

## March 2022



### Theme: Jungle / Zoo Animals



#### Learning Experiences:

- To name and describe a wide range of wild/zoo animals.
- Discuss similarities and differences in animals e.g. long/short legs, colour.
- Respond to questions such as "What do you think might happen now?"
- Use factual books to support learning e.g. elephants, wild animals etc.

#### Nursery Dates:

**Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> March- Pancake Day**

**Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March- World Book Day**

To celebrate 'World Book Day' we would like the children to bring in their favourite book from home (please ensure your book is named). We will be having a "Show and Tell Session"- your child will tell the class the title of their book and favourite part.



**Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> March- 'Beep Beep Day'** (Road Safety) We hope to have a real Police Officer in school... Mrs Daley & Miss McClenaghan will be on their best behaviour!! 😊

**Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> March- School Closed**



*Save the Date*

**Rhyme Time with Mrs Pollock**  
(Tue 5<sup>th</sup>, Wed 6<sup>th</sup> & Thurs 7<sup>th</sup> April) Poster to follow 😊

**Friday 1<sup>st</sup> April- "The Tiger Who Came to Tea" theme day.** We will be enjoying a Nursery tea party on this date to end our Jungle Animal topic.



**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> April- Easter Bunny Hunt**  
Nursery and Year 1 will be going on an adventure in search of the Easter Bunny... keep your fingers and toes crossed we find him AND some chocolate eggs!

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April- Half Day**

*PTFA Easter Disco & Non-uniform day £1*

*There will be no afternoon class on this date.*

**Easter Holidays- Monday 11<sup>th</sup> April - Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> April (Inclusive)**



#### **Big Bedtime Read:**

Please return all outstanding BBR book bags before the Easter holidays. Thank you.

#### **Happy Healthy Kids:**

**AM Class:** Please return red HHK bags by Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> March.

**PM Class:** The boys and girls have been waiting very patiently for their turn with their 'red' HHK bag. These will be given out next week (week beginning 7<sup>th</sup> March).

#### **Education Works:**

Our 'Clever Hands' packs will be going home during the Easter holidays. We hope the boys and girls will enjoy practising some of the fine motor activities we have been working hard on during school.

## Five Little Monkeys

FIVE little monkeys swinging in a tree  
teasing Mr Crocodile  
'You can't catch me!' 'You can't catch me!'  
Along came Mr Crocodile  
as quietly as can be  
and snap! went the crocodile  
hee-hee-hee...



FOUR little monkeys...

## Jungle Animals

(sung to the tune of 'The Wheels on the Bus')

The monkeys in the jungle say  
ooh, ooh, ahh, ooh, ooh, ahh, ooh,  
ooh, ahh.

The monkeys in the jungle say  
ooh, ooh, ahh all day long.

(continue with parrots say squawk,  
tigers say grrr)

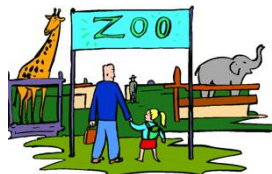
## "Goin' to the Zoo"

Daddy's taking us to the zoo  
tomorrow,

Zoo tomorrow, zoo tomorrow;

Daddy's taking us to the zoo  
tomorrow,

We can stay all  
day.



We're goin' to the zoo, zoo, zoo;

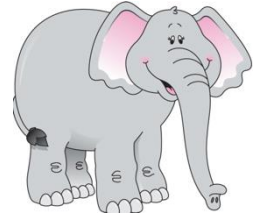
How about you, you, you?

You can come too, too, too.

We're goin' to the zoo, zoo, zoo.

## The Elephant

The elephant goes  
like this, like that,  
(On all fours, moving around  
slowly, like an elephant)



He's terribly big, (Standing up, reach arms  
high)

And he's terribly fat. (Stretch arms out  
to the sides)

He has no fingers, (Fisted hands, hiding  
fingers)

He has no toes, (Wiggle toes)

But goodness gracious,

What a nose! (Thumb to nose and wiggle  
fingers, as if extending trunk)

## Mummy Song

(sung to the tune of 'BINGO')

There is someone who I love so,  
And mummy is her name-o,  
M U M M Y, M U M M Y,  
M U M M Y, and mummy is her name-o.

There is someone who gives me  
hugs...

There is someone who reads to me...

Happy Mother's Day mummy,  
Happy Mother's Day mummy,  
Happy Mother's Day mummy,  
And I love you so!