



Halesowen C of E Primary School

Home Learning

DATE: 4th -7th May

YEAR GROUP:

SCIENCE FOCUS WEEK

THEME: The magic of Spring

DAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY
QUESTION (1 for each day or a repeated one)	What signs of spring are hiding in Halesowen?	Is it always Sunny during Springtime?	Do all flowers look the same?	<i>Do all baby animals look like their parents?</i>
ACTIVITIES	<p><i>Spring is such a magical time. During Springtime the weather gets brighter (hopefully), lots of new baby animals are born and lots of new flowers start to appear.</i></p> <p><i>During your daily exercise can you go on a 'Spring hunt' to see what signs of spring you can find hiding in Halesowen?</i></p> <p><i>You can just use your looking eyes and talk to an adult about things you have seen. If you want to use a Spring hunt checklist there is one on Twinkl or you can create your own.</i></p>	<p><i>The weather in Springtime is always changing. Last week it was lovely and sunny whereas this week it has been very rainy.</i></p> <p><i>Every morning when I wake up I don't know what to wear. I have to look out of my windy to see what the weather is like.</i></p> <p><i>Can you create a weather chart to record what the weather is like throughout the week? Remember to look out of your window and look for signs to help you decide what the weather is like (don't guess- it can change very quickly)</i></p> <p><i>Draw a picture on your weather chart to remember what the weather was like each day.</i></p>	<p>Can you become an explorer? During your daily exercise can you use your good looking eyes to find lots of different types of flowers? What flowers can you find? Do you know what they are called?</p> <p>How are the flowers similar or different? Are they the same size? Are they all the same colour? Do their petals look the same?</p> <p>What now: Can you create your own flowers using play dough or things you have found around your house? How can you make them different? Can you take a picture to show us?</p>	<p>During the Springtime lots of baby animals are born. All different types of animals look different to one another but do all animals look like their parents?</p> <p>Listen to the story Monkey Puzzle https://youtu.be/DgeKHjLSQUM</p> <p>Did the baby monkey look like his parents?</p> <p>What about the butterfly? Did her babies look like her?</p> <p>What was different about the butterfly and her babies? Did the Mummy butterfly and her babies have any similarities?</p>



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What if it's raining?

Use the spring picture I've attached to identify the different signs of Spring. Can you think of any more signs of Spring that aren't in the picture?



What now? Can you create your own Spring picture? You could draw, paint or create a collage. Remember to take a photo to show us your picture.

What is the weather like today?
Think about what you would need to wear if you were going outside. Can you find an outfit that you would wear if it's sunny? Raining? Cold and windy?

What now? Each day record the weather on your weather chart. Compare each day to the previous days. Has the weather stayed the same or has it changed?

Some examples:



Why not also collect some leaves and do some leaf rubbing once you get home (all you need is a piece of paper and a crayon). You will be able to see all of the different patterns hiding on the leaves you have found.

Can you think of any other animals that look the same or different to their parents?

What next?

Do you look like people in your house? How are you different? How are you similar?

With the help of an adult can you find a baby picture of you? Do you look the same as a baby as you do now? How have you changed? How have you stayed the same? E.g You still have 2 eyes. Your hair has grown and got darker.



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(Please note Friday would have been a bank holiday in school for VE Day so there is no learning scheduled for then- please see the website later this week for some VE day activities you can do together as a family should you want to)