



**ARROCHAR ELC
NEWSLETTER
March – Easter/Spring Topic**

Dear Parents

For the month of March our topic will be Easter/Spring. We will also be focusing on Health and Wellbeing through our PATHS programme Promoting Alternative Thinking Strategies.)

Spring and Easter Plan

- ❖ Patterns on Easter eggs
- ❖ Match patterns on Easter eggs
- ❖ Make a flower craft for Mother's Day
- ❖ Easter baking
- ❖ Enjoy hot cross buns for snack
- ❖ Learn about the Easter story
- ❖ Learning and caring and sharing (PATHS)
- ❖ Make spring pots
- ❖ Make Easter cards
- ❖ Talking and looking at new life – tadpoles
- ❖ Learning our sounds
- ❖ Easter egg hunt

If anyone has any books or objects of interest which tie in with our topics, please feel free to bring these in to share with the group. Please name any books which your children bring in.

The children's evaluations - December

- ❖ Leo – “I liked icing the Christmas cookies”.
- ❖ Evie – “I enjoyed having a snow fight with the snow machine”.
- ❖ Hattie – “My favourite day at school was the Christmas party because we had cake”.
- ❖ Isla B – “I enjoyed dancing with my best friend Emmy”.
- ❖ Jessica – “I put tinsel on the tree”.
- ❖ Austin – “I liked pretending to be Santa in the sleigh”.
- ❖ Sonja - Sonja has enjoyed looking at the Christmas lights.
- ❖ Hazel – “I liked dancing at the Christmas party”.
- ❖ Oliwier – “I liked playing in the snow from the snow machine”.
- ❖ Emmy – “I liked posting my letter to Santa”.

Pre-5 Parent Contribution

The £10 fee will not be collected this term, we will collect the next £10 amount after Easter. This money is used to provide a healthy snack for the children, to purchase presents/food for parties and to purchase any required materials. Due to the ELC being closed for 6 weeks, we will meet the cost of snacks etc till Easter.

The outcomes we will be observing and assessing this month for Curriculum for Excellence are:

- ❖ As I play and learn I am developing my understanding of what is fair and unfair and the importance of caring and sharing and co-operating with others. **RME O-O2a/O-O5a/O-O9a.**
- ❖ I explore sounds, letters and words discovering how they work together and I can use what I learn to help me as I read and write. **ENGO-12a/LITO-13a/LITO-21a.**
- ❖ I have spotted and explored patterns in my own and the wider environment and can copy and continue these and create my own patterns. **MTH-O-13a.**

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Comments and Suggestions – March 2021

Please hand this in to a member of staff or e-mail your comments/ suggestions to the school:
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Comments/ Suggestions

Regards

ELC Staff