



## Year R Homework Letter

24.3.17



The Lenten boxes need to be returned before the end of term. I have advised the children to ask permission before they place any of their own money in their boxes. We have discussed the significance of raising money to help other people.

The children have been invited to create an Easter garden, which will eventually be displayed in St Peter and Paul's Church. It must represent the Easter story and contain the tomb of Jesus. There is more information on the school website. The gardens must be brought into school by Thursday 30<sup>th</sup> March.

In Maths, we have been learning about fewer, for example, 'Which group has fewer cubes?' It is important that children use and understand a variety of Maths vocabulary. If possible, try to use this in everyday life in order to help your child understand this more clearly.

In Literacy, we have begun to write captions for pictures. The children are using their phonic skills and improving their letter formation. In Phonics, we are learning to read and spell two-syllable words such as boatyard, chicken and lightning. We are also continuing to consolidate all our learning in the Phase 3 stage.

In Physical Development we have been experimenting with different ways of moving. The children are also learning to negotiate using space safely when playing racing and chasing games with other children. Additionally, we have more physical exercise in the classroom as we follow the 'Activate' exercise programme daily. Please ensure all items of clothing are clearly labelled, also, could you check your child's jumper, as one child in the class has mislaid their jumper. I enjoyed meeting you all at Parents' Evening and thank you for coming to discuss your child's progress.

### Diary Dates

Monday 27<sup>th</sup> March: P.T.F.A. Easter Egg Hunt.

Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> March: Easter Service at Christchurch, 9.30 a.m.

Friday 31<sup>st</sup> March: Last day of term.

Have a lovely weekend  
Mrs. Holmes