

April's Newsletter



We are delighted to say that as a nursery we have achieved the Silver Makaton friendly accreditation. We are the first nursery in Peterborough to gain the award. Our Nursery team has been working very hard learning and delivering Makaton daily to the children. You might see our news in the Evening Telegraph and Peterborough's Matters!

What is Makaton?

At Broadway Nursery we teach Makaton as an additional way to communicate. Makaton helps to develop essential communication skills such as attention and listening, comprehension, memory, recall and organization of language and expression. Essentially, you sign as you speak, which enables the learner to understand you more clearly by matching a sign to a word. Makaton is also widely used for very young children who aren't yet speaking and children with speech, language and learning difficulties

We need your help!!

We are delighted to say that we have been selected for the day nurseries award and we need YOUR help! Between now and 26th April we are asking you to review our nursery and share your experiences with [daynurseries.co.uk](https://www.daynurseries.co.uk) and future parents. Please follow the link below and share how Broadway nursery and our team have supported you.

<https://www.daynurseries.co.uk/review-submit/65432236193>

We would like to say a **BIG** Thank you to everyone who has already submitted a review. Thank You for your kind words.



Parent meetings: due to the current COVID 19 advice we are still unable to hold a full parents evening. If you would like to discuss your child's development with their key person, please let us know so we can arrange a telephone consultation.



Term Dates

Spring Term Dates

- **Starts:** Tuesday 4 January 2022
- **Half Term:** Monday 14 February to Friday 18 February
- **Ends:** Friday 1 April 2022
- **Spring (Easter) Holidays** Monday 4 April to Monday 18 April



Summer Term Dates

- **Starts:** Tuesday 19 April 2022
- **Half Term:** Monday 30 May to Friday 3 June
- **Ends:** Friday 15th July 2022
- **Summer Holiday:** Monday 25 July to Wednesday 31 August

For further term dates please see the Peterborough school term dates

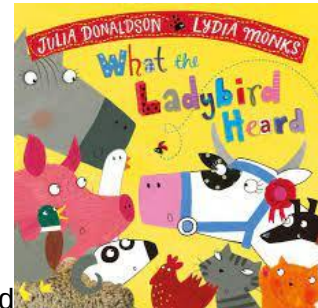
<https://www.peterborough.gov.uk/residents/schools-and-education/term-dates>

Core stories

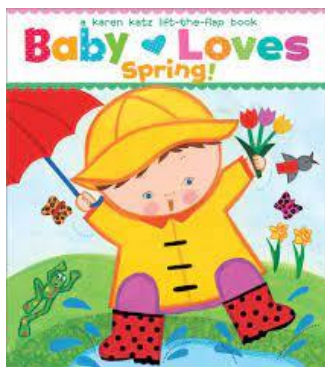
Our children will be extending their learning through their new core stories:



Our Adventures will be exploring the story Clouddette



Our Investigators will be exploring the story What the ladybird heard



The Explorers will be reading Baby loves spring.

We are very excited to announce the opening of our lending library.

You will find our lending library located in the front porch, filled with a range of different books for everyone to enjoy. Please feel free to borrow a book to read at home. All we ask is that you sign the book in and out in the provided book and return for others to read.

We hope you all enjoy your reading adventure!





**Thank you
Your Nursery Team**

