

# St. John's Foundation Stage News

Summer Term 1 – Friday 21st April 2017



HEALTHY SCHOOLS LONDON



## Song of the week

(Sing to the tune of 'Here we go round the Mulberry Bush')

This is the way we tidy up, we tidy up,  
we tidy up.

This is the way we tidy up,  
Put all the things away!

*There are four verses in this song.*

*We hope you enjoy singing this at home with your child!*



## Religious Education



**We will be learning the story of the Shepherd and the Lost Sheep. Jesus Christ is like the shepherd in the story, and we are like the sheep. Jesus watches over us and helps to protect us from danger.**

## Extras

We are in need of spare underpants, knickers and socks for our spare clothes supply. We also kindly ask for boxes of tissues. Any donations will be gratefully received. Many thanks in advance.

## Book of the week



We will be continuing with the story 'Oh No, George!' This book focuses on making the right choices and caring for animals.

## Next week we will also be...

**Maths** – We will be ordering pictures of dogs by size and using size-specific vocabulary. Can you find something at home that is small, medium and large?

**Writing** – We will be making fact books about caring for dogs. We will focus on topics like diet, exercise and keeping dogs clean.

**Finger gym** – We will be using tweezers to sort different sized dog bones into bowls. This helps us strengthen our hands whilst learning about size.

**Creative** – We will be using clay to make models of dogs. We will use tools to help us.

**Outdoors** – We will be planting our spring herbs and flowers. **Please remember we still need seeds and soil!**

Reception will begin to learn some more formal active skills in preparation for going into Year One. This will be led by Mr Bishop on the field and playground. Please ensure children are wearing suitable footwear for active learning.