

# Pre-School's Weekly Newsletter.

22<sup>nd</sup> March 2024

## Monet

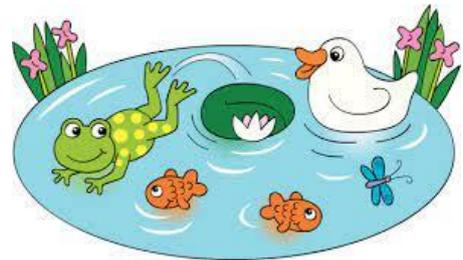
The children have been looking at the artist Claude Monet. We read the book which is all about his famous painting 'The Water Lily Pond'



We then went onto re-create our own version of this masterpiece using finger paints. Afterwards we enjoyed a French snack, consisting of Pain au Chocolate and Brioche whilst listening to some French music just like Monet.

## What we would find at a pond?

The children have been looking at different ponds and have been learning about all the different animals that they would find in or around the pond. They then went onto draw pictures of some of these animals on their own pond.



I wonder if they can tell you what they drew? Perhaps you could visit a pond over the next few weeks and see what you can find.

## Life-cycles

We have been looking at the life cycle of a duck.



Can your child tell you what a baby duck is called?

## Letters and Sounds.

This week we have looked at the phoneme.



h for hat, house, hammer and helicopter

On Bertha's Bus we had to say what sound the rabbit, elephant, horse and cat began with at the zoo!

We have been blending the words

- pan
- hug
- hat

## Just a reminder:

### Next Week:

Could you please send in two photographs, one of your child as a baby and then one as a toddler so we can order them and talk about how they have changed.

Thank you.

**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> Whole Class Photographs**

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March - School Closes for Easter.**

**Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April - Pre-School Opens.**