



**Cymru**  
National Day Nurseries Association

# Factsheet



## Spring, Easter & St David's Day

Wales

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# Gwanwyn, Pasg a Dydd Gwyl Dewi Sant

Use the following vocabulary when discussing Springtime/**Gwanwyn** or Easter /**Pasg** or undertaking St David's Day activities/**gweithgareddau Dydd Gwyl Dewi Sant**.

The more words you use incidentally, the more children will hear the phonetic Welsh alphabet and use this to develop their linguistic skills through repetition.

## Word bank and useful phrases

Spring  
Shoots  
Flower/flowers  
Green  
Sprout/shoot  
Chick(s)  
Lamb/Lambs  
Wake up  
Grow  
New  
Tree/Trees  
Nest  
Egg(s)  
Rabbit(s)  
Grass  
Sunshine  
Plant/plants  
Warm  
Warming up

## Geirfa ac ymadroddion defnyddiol

Gwanwyn  
Blagyr  
Blodyn/blodau  
Gwyrdd  
Egino  
Cyw(ion)  
Oen/Wyn  
Deffro  
Tyfu  
Newydd  
Coeden/Coed  
Nyth  
Ŵy(au)  
Cwningen/cwningod  
Gwair/Glaswellt  
Heulwen  
Planhigyn/Planhigion  
Cynnes  
Cynhesu

Weather  
Seeds  
Playing  
Children playing  
Swallows  
Cuckoo  
Daffodil  
Frog  
Toad  
Spawn  
Tadpole  
Easter egg  
Good Friday  
Easter Sunday  
Happy Easter  
Easter Bonnet  
St David's Day  
St David  
Patron Saint  
Wales  
Welsh  
Leek  
Daffodil  
The Red Dragon  
Love Spoon  
Flag

Tywydd  
Hadau  
Chwarae  
Plant yn Chwarae  
Gwennoliaid  
Cwcw  
Cennin Pedr  
Broga  
Llyffant  
Grifft  
Penbwl  
Ŵy Pasg  
Gwener y Groglith  
Sul y Pasg  
Pasg Hapus  
Boned Pasg  
Dydd Gwyl Dewi Sant  
Dewi Sant  
Nawddsant  
Cymru  
Cymraeg  
Cennin  
Cennin Pedr  
Y Ddraig Goch  
Llwy Garu  
Baner

## Song

*(Tune: Oh my Darling Clementine)*

St David's day

St David's day

St David's day

St David

We all remember

Our Patron Saint

We all remember

St David

Working hard

Working hard

Working hard

Make every day

We all remember

Our Patron Saint

We all remember

St David

## Can

Dydd Gwyl dewi

Dydd Gwyl Dewi

Dydd Gwyl Dewi

Dewi Sant

Pawb yn cofio

Am ei nawddsant

Pawb yn cofio

Dewi Sant

Gweithio'n galed

Gweithio'n galed

Gweithio'n galed

Wnai bod dydd

Pawb yn cofi

Am ei nawddsant

Pawb yn cofio

Dewi Sant

## Further support

- Wales National Anthem with lyrics in English a Cymraeg:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EadntTQ0AkA>
- St David's Day song:  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MI9FwmEBW3w>
- Why do we celebrate St David's Day?  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EGec9T8sYSo>

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