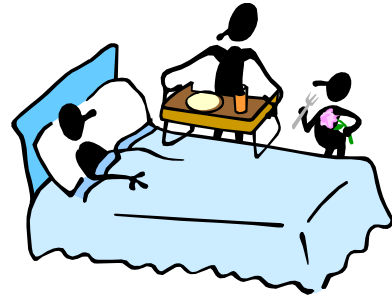


## Our Value in March is **CARING**



- Showing genuine concern or interest
- Having affection or liking for
- To look after and provide for the needs of

**At school** we will be thinking about the different ways we can show that we care. We will emphasize the importance of recognising and looking after those in need. We will point out that we should care for our environment as well as our friends, relations and pets. We will think about what would happen if we didn't care for our gardens considering the needs of plants which we must provide. This is an opportunity for us to think about caring professionals and there will be an emphasis on their work. As this is the season of Harvest Festivals we should think about our own harvest gifts and how they will help to care for less fortunate people for example children in parts of the world where life is very difficult. By selling our gifts we can use the money to help them. Very importantly we must learn to care for ourselves and we will be taking a close look at how we do this.

**Thought for the month:** 'You need to give care in order to receive care.'



**At home** you might like to focus on caring for each other and caring for ourselves. It is a good opportunity for stressing the importance of washing hands, cleaning teeth, getting enough sleep etc. It is a good idea to start a weekly diary where your children can log the times they have helped to do chores and shown a caring attitude towards others in the family, this makes a very useful discussion document.