

EYFS Curriculum Newsletter

Summer Term 2021

Communication and Language

In Summer term, you will listen to and talk about selected non-fiction to further develop new knowledge and vocabulary. You will also use talk to help work out problems and organise your thinking and activities. You will explain how things work and why things might happen.



Physical Development

In addition to our fine motor and gross motor work in provision, you will be developing gymnastic control and outdoor games skills to prepare for your first sports day. You will refine and improve your balance and begin to create gymnastic routines.



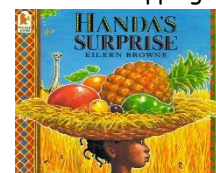
Personal, Social and Emotional Development

In Summer term, you will explore what it means to be unique. You will talk about why it is good to be yourself and how to be proud of personal achievements. This term will also be our annual Healthy Week where you will learn about a range of ways to keep yourself healthy.



Literacy

This term, you will learn how to write captions and sentences. You will be hearing stories set in other countries like "Handa's Surprise." You will also learn to begin punctuating sentences with finger spaces, capital letters and full stops. In phonics, we will be recapping the Speed Sounds from set 1 and 2 for reading and segmenting them for writing. You will also begin to learn sounds from set 3.



Mathematics

In Summer term you will be learning more about how to represent and write numbers to 10. You will also be introduced to the numberblocks 11 to 20 and learn to count beyond 10. You will recognise number bonds to 10 and explore calculations within 10. Numberblocks will continue to support your understanding of comparing numbers and will help you find one more and one less up to 20.



Understanding of the World

The Rainforest



In the first part of Summer term, you will be learning about the rainforest zones of the world. To link in with our Key Stage One topics in Class One, you will also find out more about plants and what they need to grow. You will also learn more about the continent of Africa and the variety of wild animals in places like Kenya. In the outdoor area, you will be tracking the changes to nature through Spring into Summer and what happens to plants over time.

Expressive Arts and Design



In Summer Term, you will be learning about observational drawing by looking closely at different plants both indoors and outside. You will also look

at the work of Henri Rousseau to link with our work on wild animals. In Design, you will learn how make a moving paper picture.

Religious Education

In RE you will focus on the following question: "Creation: Who made the world?" You will find out about the Christian story of Creation and explore what this means to Christians. You will learn more about how Christians believe that God made the whole universe and asks all people to treasure the Earth and look after it.



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