



Foundation Class Summer

Welcome to the summer term, here is a flavour of what your child will be doing in class in the next few weeks. The broad theme for this term is Stories.

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In problem solving, reasoning and numeracy we will be covering addition and subtraction, money and real life problems, graphs and shape space and measures.



In communication, language and literacy we are looking at phonics (including real and non real words, initial consonants, and high frequency words), traditional stories, writing using our phonic knowledge (including dictation and shared writing), rhymes, poetry and non-fiction books.



In Expressive arts and design we are going to be using our theatre to encourage role play and to tie in with the books we will be looking at as a class. We will also be exploring animal patterns, shapes and colours as part of our nature/animal topic. We will be using papier-mâché and maybe clay to work in 3D. We will be printing in different ways.



In Understanding The World we are mapping our environment (Beebots) and using Clicker 7 to order stories (Computing). We also will be looking at life cycles of animals and plants. Forest school will continue each Tuesday afternoon.



In personal, social and emotional development the stories from different religions will lead us into discussions and activities on feelings, rules, choices and promises.



In physical development we will be basing our dance lessons on animal movement. We will be using the large apparatus and using small apparatus for games activities. The activities mentioned in other subjects also come into this section. The outdoor area is constantly in use at this time of year with a range of activities that encourage children to explore and learn through play.