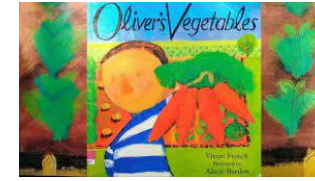


Possible books this term



Literacy: Writing

We will be learning to:

- Take part in Squiggle whilst you Wiggle to practise our pre writing skills.
- Write my name forming letters correctly.



We will be sending name cards home to practise letter formation when the children are ready.



Come Outside



Spring 2

Communication and Language

This is a prime area and aspect that underpins everything we do in nursery. We encourage as much conversation and opportunities for talking as possible.

- Nursery 2 children will begin 'Chatting with Children' in a small group time to develop their listening and attention skills, their understanding and speaking.

Mathematics:

We are learning:

- To represent, sort and compare 1,2 and 3.
- Match numerals to pictures
- To recite numbers
- To know that the last number reached when counting a set of objects tells you how many there are in total.
- Show fingers up to 3 in different ways, recognising that the total is still the same.
- Subitising to 3 and beyond
- To compare one more and one less
- About the composition of numbers 1,2 and 3.
- About circles and triangles
- We will be exploring measuring and capacity.



Physical Development

Gross Motor Skills:

We will be learning to:

- Do our zips up on our coats and fasten buttons on cardigans
 - Climbing on the trim trail and apparatus
- Develop ball skills: rolling, throwing and catching

Fine Motor Skills:

We will do daily activities to develop the strength and movement in our hands, fingers and thumbs including:

- Dough Disco
- Squiggle Whilst You Wiggle
- Cutting - We will be developing our scissors skills, holding the scissors correctly and using them to snip

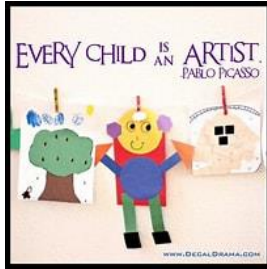
Please support your child by encouraging them to zip up their own coats



Expressive Art and Design

We will be learning to :

- Mix colours
- Do observational drawings and paintings with a focus on flowers using Van Gogh as inspiration.
- Use watercolours
- Make transient art and look at the work of Andy Goldsworthy
- Create Easter nests, baskets and cards



Understanding the World

We will be learning...

- About seasonal changes and growing.
- To plant seeds, bulbs and beans and watch them grow and change
- Look at growth and decay
- Lifecycle of a plant and parts of a plant
- How we have grown and changed
- Growing and tasting vegetables
- How to stay healthy
- New life -Animals and their babies
- Growing sunflowers -measuring them and recording changes
- Create cress heads and make egg and cress sandwiches.
- The story of Easter



Literacy-

Reading:

We will be learning to:

- Recognise their name
- Participate in story times and retell stories
- Take home a library book and have 1:1 reading times with an adult to discuss the story in depth
- Learn how to take care of books
- Understand that print has meaning
- Know which way a book goes
- Know what the blurb is
- Know we read from left to right and top to bottom
- Turn the pages in the right direction



Phase 1 Phonics:

Rhyme and alliteration
Voice sounds
Oral blending and
segmenting

Support your child by
reading
to them as often as
you can.



