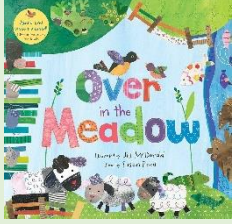




<p><b>English</b></p> <p>This half term we are reading 'Over in the Meadow' by Jill MacDonald and 'First Animals'. We will explore each text through sensory activities. You can watch a video of the first story by logging on to: <a href="https://www.barefootbooks.com/inthemeadow">https://www.barefootbooks.com/inthemeadow</a></p>  <p>Our Author of the Month for January is Tim Hopgood and for February is Fiona Wyatt. Please see our reading newsletter for more information Our Little Wandle phonics lessons will continue 4 days a week and your child will continue to develop their listening skills through games, songs, rhymes and sensory massage.</p>	<p><b>Maths</b></p> <p>In Maths this half term we will continue explore early counting and number skills through sensory interactive activities. We will experience different amounts of objects starting with number 1...</p> 	<p><b>Science</b></p> <p>In Science, our topic is Materials and their Properties. We will explore water, sand, rocks and shells – lots of opportunities to splash, pour, shake and build.</p>
<p><b>Physio</b></p> <p>All pupils with a Physio programme will continue to follow these each week. Our rebound session is on Thursday mornings and will provide a combination of building strength, co-ordination, and relaxation. Some pupils will take part in Hydrotherapy sessions on Wednesday mornings.</p>	<p><b>Curriculum Newsletter</b>  <b>Spring Term 2024 First Half</b>  <b>Pink class</b>  <b>'A Pirate's Life'</b></p> 	<p><b>Horticulture</b></p> <p>In Horticulture, we will have opportunities to plant seeds and bulbs and learn how to look after them.</p>
<p><b>Computing</b></p> <p>This term in our Computing lessons some pupils will practise pressing buttons and switches to turn equipment on and off, while others will explore digital painting programmes.</p>	<p><b>Music</b></p> <p>Del from Dudley Performing Arts will continue to visit each Friday – we look forward to familiar and new songs.</p>	<p><b>PSHE</b></p> <p>Our Topic this half term is Working Together. We will learn about which groups we belong to: family, class, school and community. Pupils will share playground equipment and share resources in class.</p>
	<p><b>Food Technology</b></p> <p>Our focus is melting, freezing and setting. We will explore ice and its properties. We will make foods that need to set, including eggs and jelly.</p>	<p><b>Art and Design</b></p> <p>In Art this half term we will be learning about the work of artist Paul Klee. We will print our own pictures inspired by his use of colour and shape.</p>
		<p><b>RE</b></p> <p>For RE this half term we will be learning about special places, for us and our families and for the local community.</p>