

What's happening in EYFS?



Learning Overview

This half term we have lots of super exciting learning opportunities coming up! This overview is to give you an insight into what will be happening in the classrooms so that you can discuss this with your child at home.

Spring 2
We're going on a Journey!

Mark Making



This half term, children will continue to develop their physical development and fine motor skills through mark making activities. Children will explore how to make different movements with a range of media using horizontal, vertical and circular movements.

Children will refine their mark making skills in order to draw recognisable pictures.



Mathematics

In maths, children will explore creating patterns by creating AB patterns (leaf, stick, leaf, stick).

They will practise their subitising skills and subitise numbers up to 3.

The children will focus on sorting objects into groups by colour.

Value of the Half Term

We are Kind!



This half term our value of the term is 'We are Kind'. Children will learn what compassion means and how to show compassion to others.

Children will learn different ways to be kind to others and how to support and help others when they find things difficult.

Through stories and reflective discussions, children will build confidence in developing skills to be a compassionate friend. They will learn phrases to say to others such as 'It's Ok. I can help you.' Our aim is to help every child develop the skills to be a supportive friend to others.



Reading



Children read a range of stories each week. This half term, children will begin to vote for their favourite book to read at the end of the school day.

Wider Experiences:



Book swap Event
9th March



Easter parade
26th March

Understanding the world



Children will learn about different modes of transport. Children will share their experiences of what types of transport they have been on.



Children will also learn about Easter and take part in Easter activities

Oracy

This half term, children will further develop their oracy skills. Children will create their own stories during 'helicopter stories' and perform them to the class.

Children will also develop their presenting skills to 'show and tell' special objects to their peers.

Children will learn and perform poems and will re-enact stories using actions and words.



Science



In Science, children will investigate seasonal changes.

Children will learn about Spring (including Easter) and compare what they find out, to what they know about Autumn and Winter.

Phonics



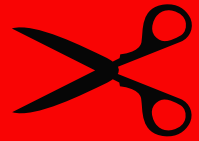
This half term, children will continue to practise their pre-phonics skills through by identifying the initial sounds in words such a p in pig.

Children will practise their listening skills and begin to take part in oral blending games such as 'can you touch your h-a-n-d?'

Children will continue to practise their voice sounds by imitating sounds that the adult makes such as 'boing' and 'buzz'.

Art and Design Technology

In Art, children will begin to explore the artist Eric Carle.



Children will learn about the artist, and experiment creating their own collages.

Music



In music this term, children will be learn about Dolly Parton!

Physical Development



This half term, children will continue to develop their physical and gross motor skills through a range of different turn taking games.

Children will enjoy taking part in parachute activities with their friends and play different ball games with their peers.

Children will work together to complete challenges such as obstacle courses.