



EYFS F2 - Summer 2

Oh the places we'll go!

Our British Value Focus:
We are revisiting all of the British values.

Our WOW starter:
A trip around the world!

EPIC Ending:
Pirate Day - The Great
Treasure Hunt!

Our focus texts in literacy:



Literacy and Phonics

This half term, children will continue to develop their reading and writing skills by orally rehearsing, dictating and writing simple sentences that can be read by others. They will build confidence in writing with increasing speed and stamina, using finger spaces, capital letters and full stops more independently. Children will work towards meeting the Early Learning Goals in Literacy by writing recognisable, correctly formed letters, including their full name, and beginning to compose simple sentences. In phonics, they will confidently blend sounds to read words, spell words using phonemes, digraphs and consonant clusters, read and write some common tricky words, and apply their knowledge of Phase 3 sounds to ensure their reading makes sense.



Personal, Social, Emotional Development

This half term, children will learn about the seasons and explore how plants, animals and humans grow and change. They will learn about life stages, including how babies grow, and talk about their own bodies and similarities and differences between girls and boys. Children will also think about their future and prepare for the transition to Year 1, while developing their understanding of life cycles, growth and the natural world around them.

SCARF: Growing and Changing

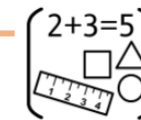


Physical Development

During this half term, children will develop their physical skills through athletics and active play. They will practise running in different directions, adjusting their speed and changing direction to avoid obstacles, while learning to move safely and consider others around them. They will have the opportunity to compete in races during our EYFS Sports Day. For their fine motor development, children will continue to practise forming most letters correctly and develop a comfortable tripod pencil grip to support their writing.



I wonder what is beneath the sea and on the shore ...



Maths

This half term, children will work towards the Early Learning Goals for Number and Numerical Patterns. They will develop a secure understanding of number, including building quick recall of number bonds and practising forming numbers correctly. Children will be encouraged to talk about their mathematical thinking, explaining how they solve problems and reason. They will continue to strengthen their number sense in preparation for Year 1.



Expressive Arts and Design

This half term, children will explore their creativity through expressive arts and design. They will learn to combine different media to create collages, such as a sea scene, and develop skills in selecting, cutting, tearing, sticking and assembling materials. Children will also experiment with a range of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings, and share their creations with others, explaining the process they have used.



Understanding the World

This term, children will continue to develop their understanding of themselves and the wider world. They will learn about how to look after their environment and begin to understand how human actions can have an impact. Through the SCARF programme, children will name body parts and learn about where babies come from in an age-appropriate way. They will reflect on what makes places special, discussing places that are important to them and recognising that different people may value different places. Children will also continue to build on their knowledge of the past and present, different countries, and how maps and tools such as Google Earth can be used to explore the world around them.

Important Dates/Events:

- 2.6.26 Return to school
- 5.6.26 WOW Starter: A trip around the world! Bring your suitcase and wear your holiday clothes.
- 10.6.26 Healthy Eating Day
- 11.6.26 Class Photo Day
- W/C 15th June- sports week: wear your PE all week ☺
- 19.6.26 Father's Day stay and play
- 24.6.26 African Drumming Workshop
- 7.7.26 F2 Sports Day at 9.15am
- 9.7.26 Move up morning (transition to year 1)
- 17.7.26 EPIC Ending: Pirate Day and Treasure Hunt!
- 21.7.26 Library Visits
- 25.7.26 break up for Summer!

Supporting Learning at Home:

- Encourage your child to write their name and simple words.
- Play counting games and count objects around the house.
- Practise number bonds to 5 and 10
- Encourage your child to talk about their day and feelings.
- Practise recognising letters and sounds little and often.
- Let your child help with simple jobs to build independence.
- Spend time outside exploring nature and the local environment.
- Praise your child for trying and encourage them to keep going ☺