

Nursery Spring 2 - Animal Kingdom

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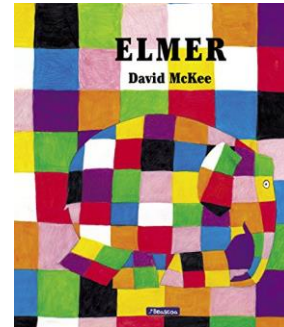
This is an overview of what the children in Nursery will be learning during the second half of the Spring term.

Being Imaginative

This term our role play in the classroom will be a, 'Vets', where the children will learn how to take care of animals.

Art

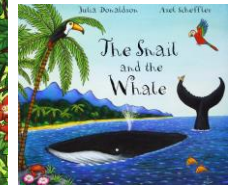
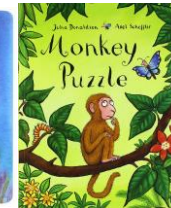
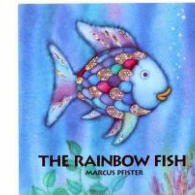
The children will be painting and collaging pictures of Elmer the elephant, tigers, monkeys and fish. They will also be making 3D sculptures of elephants.



Literacy

The children will be reading about fictional stories on animals. They will be reading: Elmer the Elephant, The Tiger Who Came to Tea, The Rainbow Fish, Monkey Puzzle and The Snail and the Whale.

The Tiger Who
Came
to Tea



Phonics

The children will be learning to recognise our 'Read Write Inc' pictures. They will be continuing to practise their listening skills by playing lots of fun and practical games. Please try practising writing their name at home and recognising each letter.

Home Learning

Reading books will be changed once a week. Please bring your child's reading book and diary into school on a Thursday so we can change them on a Friday. Please ensure that you have made a comment about your child's reading in their reading record.

Homework is uploaded to portfolio on class dojo every Friday.

Please use your Purple Mash log ins to access Mini Mash!

Mathematics

The focus of this term for the children will be re-capping their understanding of: height, length, size, weight and positional language. They will also be continuing with 'Ten Town', where they learn stories and songs about the different numbers and will be practising counting and number formation.

P.E.

The children in Nursery will have P.E. on Thursday afternoons. They will be learning how to balance on different equipment. They will be developing their ball skills and using different types of equipment. Please make sure your child comes into school wearing their full PE kit.

R.E.

The children will be learning about 'New Life and The Easter Story'. We will be visiting our local church 'St Paul's to learn all about Easter.

World

The children will be learning about seasonal changes during Spring, the weather and new life born in the Spring.

We are focussing on, 'Animals' in this topic and will be learning about animals from all over the world, where they originate and their habitats.

People and Communities

The children will be talking about: St David's Day, Shrove Tuesday, Ash Wednesday, Mother's Day and The Easter Story.