

Welcome to Term 4

Welcome back, everyone! We're excited to kick off Term 4 with some fantastic activities lined up. On the 13th of March, we'll be hosting a Pets Party where the children will get the chance to see, hold and chat about a variety of animals. From snakes to guinea pigs, rabbits, and even centipedes, it's going to be an unforgettable experience!

Make sure to keep an eye on our socials page for any upcoming events across the school. We've got lots planned, and we can't wait to share it all with you. Let's make this term one to remember!



Year R Learning Letter Term 4

Term 4 Focus-

Expressive arts and design.

Expressive Arts and Design is a vital area of learning within the EYFS framework. This engaging aspect aims to nurture creativity, imagination and the ability to express ideas through various media. Children explore activities such as painting, drawing, collage, role-play, music, dance and modelling with malleable materials.

The framework highlights the importance of providing a rich variety of experiences, allowing children to experiment and develop their artistic skills. Through continuous exposure and engagement, they learn to communicate their thoughts and feelings creatively. This process enables them to interpret, respond to and appreciate the world around them, fostering a lifelong love for the arts and enhancing their overall development.

Phonics (Read Write Inc)

We will continue to develop our knowledge on sounds including special friends (sh, ch, th, ck, nk). Fred games will continue to be used to build up confidence to orally blend. Ms Cave will carry out her next phonic assessment and we will send, via Evidence me, any sound gaps to practise at home. We thank you for all the sound practising that has been happening so far.



Maths

This term in maths, we're diving into the exciting world of patterns! We'll be looking at how patterns appear in numbers, shapes, and even in nature. Children will get hands-on experience identifying and creating their own patterns, which helps build their problem-solving skills. It's a fun way to see how maths connects to everyday life, so let's get ready to spot some patterns together!

Drawing Club

In Drawing Club, we are challenging the children with adventurous codes using their mathematical and phonic awareness. We will be going on an adventure and making memories with three little pigs, Billy Goats Gruff, The Gingerbread man, Jack and the Beanstalk, The Magic Porridge Pot and We are going on a Bear hunt! This term will showcase all of the Classic stories we know and love.