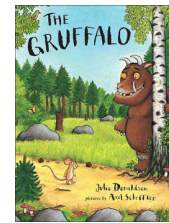


Autumn 2 - If you go Down to the Woods Today!

Texts: Room on the Broom, The Gruffalo, Red Riding Hood, The Christmas Story, The Ginger Bread Man, and Stickman

Non Fiction - Autumn, Woodland Animals and their Homes, Remembrance Day, Christmas.



Parent and Community Links

A woodland walk at Salisbury Woods
Celebrating Divali
Anti-bullying Day
Remembrance Day
EYFS Nativity Performance
Parent Stay and Play

Communication and Language Development

Communication conveys meaning

We will be learning to listen, attend and concentrate during appropriate activities and in a range of different situations.

We will be listening to a range of stories and answering how and why questions.

We will be using language to imagine and recreate roles and experiences in play situations.

Expressive Art and Design

Cultural awareness helps us become confident and express our ideas

We will be selecting tools and techniques needed to shape, assemble and join materials to make a variety of things e.g a junk model Gruffalo

We will be exploring the different sounds instruments make.

We will be following a recipe to make hedgehog bread

Physical Development

Fine Motor

We will be practicing holding our pencils and other one handed tools correctly including scissors.

Gross Motor

We will be continuing to develop our gross motor movements including hoping, jumping and skipping. Developing our special awareness when moving around.

Strength

We will be completing a range of different finger gym activities to continue to strength our fingers, helping to improve out writing.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Becoming Me

We will be talking about and developing an understanding of what contributes to good health. We will be continuing to develop our independence by putting on our own coats and outdoor wear.

Becoming a Friend

We will be learning how to resolve conflicts with other children, e.g. finding a compromise. We will be beginning to understand how our own behaviours affect other people

Becoming a Citizen

We will be learning about importance of being a good person who treats other with respect regardless of our differences. We will be learning what the term 'bullying' means and what to do if someone is unkind to us.

Mathematics

Counting

We will be practicing counting on and back to 20. We will be accurately counting out objects using one to one Correspondence. We will be matching the correct amount of objects to a numeral.

Number Sense

We will be looking closely at the composition of numbers 1 to 5 including number bonds. We will be comparing two sets of objects and using mathematical vocabulary including more, less and equal to, to describe it

Number Operations

We will be investigating what happens to numbers when we add and take away. We will be using a range of different models and images to help develop our understanding.

Patterns

We will be creating patterns within the environment. We will be using a range of different objects to continue and create ABAB patterns

Measurement

We will be ordering two or three items by length, height or capacity.

Shape

We will be exploring and recognising 2D and 3D shapes at school, home and the environment. We will be exploring the properties of 3 sided and 4 sided shapes.

Fingernosis

We will be using our fingers to represent numbers in different ways e.g. 2 and 3 makes 5.

Literacy

Reading is the gateway to learning

We will be beginning to hear and say the initial sound in words.

We will be learning how to segment and recognise some sounds in simple words and blend them together for reading.

We will be beginning to read words and captions.

Writing is fundamental for learning and communication

We will be practicing writing our letter sounds, forming them correctly using anti-clockwise movements.

We will be labeling pictures with simple words and beginning to write captions using our phase two phonic knowledge.

Understanding the World

Science

We will be looking closely at similarities, differences, patterns and change including the weather and by exploring the outdoor environment.

We will be finding out about different woodland animals and exploring what the term 'nocturnal' means.

RE

We will be finding out about different celebrations that are celebrated around the world including Divali.

We will be exploring the importance of Christmas within the Christian religions and retelling the story of 'The First Christmas' through our Nativity.

