

Welcome Back!

What we are learning this half term.

Our topic this half term is "All Creatures Great and Small". Our sensory story will be 'The Hungry Caterpillar'.

This term, the mobile farm and ducklings are visiting, and we're excited to see all the animals and watch the eggs hatch. We will be exploring life cycles as part of our science topic.

We will be continuing to develop our communication skills and explore using communication boards, switches and the IWB to sharing our voices and make choices.

We will also continue to develop our engagement, focus and concentration through a variety of multisensory activities including sensory cooking, junk modelling and dressing up to develop our imagination skills.

How you can help at home.

Please continue to enjoy sharing books and stories together at home. Point out letter sounds and encourage you child to show letters when asked.

Please let us know if you need any visuals to support communication at and continue to model and use clear language when engaging in activities with your children. Please let us know if you want your child re-referred to NHS speech and language if you feel they need new targets, if current ones have been met.

While out and about, look at the different creatures you may spot, are they big or small? Look at the changes that summer brings.

Community links

Aiming Higher - [Supporting Disabled Children And Their Families In Blackpool, Fylde and Wyre](#)

Blackpool local Offer - [Information for parents](#)

[Potty training - ERIC](#) – supporting toilet training

Reminders

- Please make sure **all** items of clothing are clearly labelled with your child's name including hats, water bottles, coats and shoes.
- Please make sure your child has a sun hat and sun cream applied daily as the weather improves and we continue to engage in outdoor play and learning.
- Please send in a spare set of clothes including socks, in case your child gets wet during water play.
- Reading books will be changed on a Friday. Please make sure the children bring them back into school with their diary signed.
- Please check our class page on the school website and Facebook for updates of our learning in class.
- We politely ask that children do not bring toys from home in to class to save any upset if they get lost or damaged.