

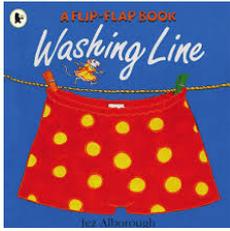


CLASS KB- NURSERY

Welcome back everyone!

Our topic for this half term is:

WONDERFUL WATER



Communication/ Language

As part of our topic, the children will talk about different sea creatures. We will learn new vocabulary linked to our stories, such as learning the names of different clothing items. We will also continue to learn a new nursery rhyme each week.

Mathematics

In Number we will concentrate on; counting different amounts, one to one correspondence, recognising numerals, saying numbers in order to 10 and representing numbers in different ways, as well as singing lots of number rhymes and songs. In our Shape, Space and Measure sessions we will work on using positional language. The children will be encouraged to use words such as 'behind' and 'next to' to describe their relative position. We will also look at simple patterns.

ICT

We will explore technology around us and learn how to use simple equipment, such as a camera, remote control car, torch, CD player.

Lunchtime payments

If your child attends the beginning or end of the week sessions and you would like your child to stay for lunch on these days, you are required to pay £2 per day to cover the cost of supervision. This amount needs to be paid on the first day your child attends each week, either on a Monday morning or a Wednesday afternoon. Unfortunately if you fail to pay, your child will not be able to stay across lunchtime. Thank you!

Understanding the World

We will learn about different sea creatures; naming them and looking closely at their features. We will also look for signs of spring outdoors to learn more about seasons.

Physical development

We will focus on our gross motor skills through a variety of physical outdoor activities, including, obstacle courses, climbing, balancing, jumping and running. We will talk about the effects of exercise on our bodies. We will also continue with our daily 'big writing' and 'dough disco' sessions to help develop our fine motor skills.

Literacy

Our focus text this half term is the story 'The Washing Line' by Jez Alborough. We will also read lots of under the sea stories, including 'Commotion in the Ocean' by Giles Andreae.

We will work on recognising our name and practise writing it, using our name cards to help us. In phonics we will work on instrumental sounds and continue to look at alliteration, which is the initial sounds in words.

Expressive Arts

The children will make sea creature collage pictures. Our role play area will be transformed into 'The Deep' where the children will pretend to visit and act out familiar experiences.

R.E.

We will read the Easter story and learn about the traditions and celebrations associated with Easter.

PSED

Our Jigsaw lessons this half term will focus on 'Healthy Me' and we will learn about ways we can keep our minds and bodies healthy.

Class library

Children will have the opportunity again to borrow a book from our class library. Library books will be given out on a Wednesday and are to be returned the following Wednesday. Unfortunately if your child does not return their book on this day, they will have to wait until the following week.