
Year R are going to be investigators!

We are going to be investigating Autumn. We will be:

- Exploring outside as it becomes Autumn.
- Seeing the changes in the seasons.
- Looking at similarities and differences between objects such as leaves.
- Learning about local wildlife and hibernation.

Anything that you do at home will help to create links with what your child learns at school and the real world.

Remember to make learning fun!

Reminders:

PE Day: Thursday

Please ensure that your child has their PE kit in school (T-shirt and shorts).

Please ensure earrings are removed.

We have water bottles for each child in school so you do not need to send one in from home.

You can bring your book bag every day to change your library book. Later on in the year you will have a day for book changing.

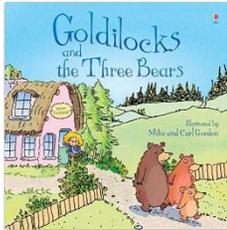
Rattle, Splash, Splosh!



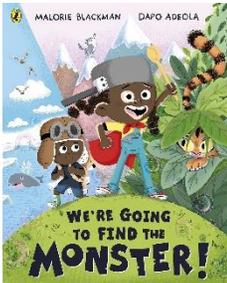
Year R - Autumn 1

Stories:

We will be listening to and discussing these stories over this term:



Goldilocks and the 3 Bears
(Traditional Tale)



We're going to find a Monster by Malorie Blackman and Dapo Adeola



Bog Baby by Jeanne Willis and Gwen Millward

We will be:

- Retelling the stories
- Making story maps
- Using smallworld and puppets

Maths:

We will be thinking about the earliest maths skills of:

- Matching
- Sorting
- Comparing amounts
- Comparing size
- Making patterns



Key Questions:

Which one is the same?

Can you sort by colour? Size? Shape?

Which one has the most?

Can you put them in size order?

Phonics

We are going to start learning our first sounds this half term. We go in a specific order and will introduce a few sounds a week, recapping previous sounds every day.

Read Write Inc.
Phonics

Desktop Speed Sounds Chart

Speed Sounds Set 1

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|--------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| m m | a a | s s | d d | t t |
| i i | n n | p p | g g | o o |
| c c | k k | u u | b b | f f |
| e e | l l | h h | sh sh | r r |
| j j | v v | y y | w w | th th |
| z z | ch ch | qu qu | x x | ng nk |

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We will send home sounds that they are learning so you can help at home.