

Ways to help your child.....

Share your child's reading book at home regularly and write a comment in your child's reading log. Support your child to recognise, read and write their name.

Expressive Arts and Design

The children will be developing their creative skills by making a 3D Boxasaurus dinosaur.

Understanding the World

Our topic about winter will develop understanding of seasons and the features of winter. We will learn about why birds need feeding in the winter and make our own bird feeders. Children will consider dinosaur habitats and study their features and characteristics. In RE we will think about helping others and the importance that Christians place on prayer.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

The children will be learning about their bodies and the correct names for their private body parts. They will develop their understanding of how to keep clean with a focus on hand washing and teeth cleaning.

Spring 1: Hedgehog Class

Winter Wonderland and Dangerous Dinosaurs.

Physical Development

In our Games sessions the children will be developing the skills involved in throwing and catching. In Dance we will be moving like dinosaurs and thinking about the differing ways children's toys might move.

Literacy

Our learning will be supported through a variety of both fiction and non-fiction books. The children will use non-fiction books to learn about Artic animals and then retell the story of Gruffalo's Child. We will read letters sent from a dinosaur in a museum and write labels for our own Dinosaur Museum. In phonics children will be continuing to recognise phonemes and blend them to read simple words and sentences.



Mathematics

Our maths work will focus on comparing numbers and starting to combine amounts of objects. We will focus on numbers 1-10. We will measure dinosaurs using a variety of measuring tools and use balancing scales to compare the weight of dinosaurs.

Communication and Language

We will be developing our speaking and listening skills by using Talk Partners during our carpet time to share ideas with friends.