

Our favourite stories

Our Topic

This term we will be sharing our favourite stories including; The Tiger who came to tea, Whatever next?, Winnie the Witch and Stick Man. Children will take part in a range of activities to develop their general learning skills and vocabulary. They will explore different media to create and make and develop their fine motor skills. Children will visit the theatre, take part in a space picnic and celebrate Christmas.



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Maths

Children will practise counting, recognising and ordering numbers. They will develop their ability to say one more and one less.

They will visit addition and subtraction and solving simple problems. They will develop their knowledge of the days of the week and the vocabulary of shape and pattern.



The Tiger Who Came to Tea



English

Daily stories will link to the theme and encourage children to join in with familiar phrases, mark make and discuss each of the story events. They will continue to develop their listening and speaking skills including vocabulary. Children will participate in daily Letters and Sounds lessons and will bring key words /sounds home to practise.

PE and Physical Development

Children will change into their PE kits for PE and use a range of apparatus exploring ways to travel. They will also play games developing their understanding of rules and turn taking. Children have a weekly YogaBugs Session developing their core strength. Children will also explore the outdoor environment



Fine motor skills

Children will be encouraged to develop their fine motor skills by engaging in tasks which will develop their finger strength and therefore pencil control. This will include; tweezer and peg work, threading, using scissors,



Important dates

- Tuesday 5th September—Children return to school
- Monday 18th September—Theatre visit to see Tiger who came to Tea
- Tuesday 10th October—Space day and Picnic (Non-uniform)
- Monday 16th October and Wednesday 18th October— Parents Evening
- Friday 20th October—End of term
- Monday 30th October— PD Day
- Tuesday 31st October—Children return to school
- Friday 22nd December—End of term
- Please check children's home school books for additional dates.