



Tell me a Tale...

FS2 - Autumn Term 1B



Communication and Language

The children will learn to listen and respond appropriately to their teachers and friends with relevant comments, questions and answers. They will practice following simple instructions and begin to ask and answer 'how' and 'why' questions.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

The children will be taking steps to resolve conflicts this half term. We will be thinking about how to respond when things don't go our way. For example, what to do if somebody takes their toy/ gets chosen first.

Arabic

The children will be learning the following sounds in Arabic: (ا a س s د d م m ب b و w)

Physical Development

We will be developing our fine motor skills to help us with our writing this half term.

The children will also learn about the importance of washing their hands and keeping themselves clean.

We will have the opportunity to develop our spatial awareness and negotiate space in our outdoor area.

Contact Information:

Teacher:

Head of Year: Miss Laura Knight

Head of FS: Miss Gemma Brown

Dates for your Diary

27.10.2020- Happy Meet

29.10.2020- Prophet Muhammad's Birthday

02.11.2020- Meet the Principal

23.11.2020- FS Sports Day

26.11.2020- National Day Celebrations

30.11.2020- Meet the Principal

10.12.2020- End of Term and Reports

Literacy

The children will explore 'The Three Billy Goats Gruff' and 'The Gingerbread Man' stories through Talk for Writing.

We will also have a daily phonics session where we will:

- Learn speed sounds
- Learn how to form letters correctly (using rhymes)
- Learn how to segment (chop-up) words into individual sounds
- Learn to write in sentences
- Practise blending (putting sounds together) to read words
- Practise reading books
- Begin to develop fluency and expression
- Develop their understanding of different text types

The children will also learn to read and write star words, use sound mats to write the sounds that they can hear and verbally retell parts of stories.

Expressive Arts and Design

Through Continuous Provision, the children will have the opportunity to act out stories through role play and small world opportunities. They will sing songs, play musical instruments to explore rhythms and experiment with ways of movement. They will also use colour and texture in our art areas.



PE

In PE, the children will be focussing on following instructions and playing simple games. They will be moving their bodies in a range of ways as well as negotiating space.

Understanding the World

The children will be planting seeds and growing plants. They will observe and notice changes, and learn about what a plant needs in order to grow. They will record their findings through drawing, writing, model making or photography. They will also consider how we can care for the environment and represent their observations about the world in different ways.

Mathematics

The children will have daily Maths inputs where they will take part in a range of practical activities. During the second Autumn term, we will be learning about 2D shapes and money. We will also introduce addition and subtraction and consolidate our number recognition and counting skills.

The children will take part in both individual and group Maths activities to build upon their learning.

We will be focussing on:

- Naming and recognising 2D shape
- Using money language
- Using the language of more and less

