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Newsletter

What we have been up to:

In Reception we have been...

learning about animals. We have learnt to perform and retell stories about animals, added our own innovations and written our own versions of animal stories.

In mathematics we have been learning more about addition and subtraction and recording our findings.

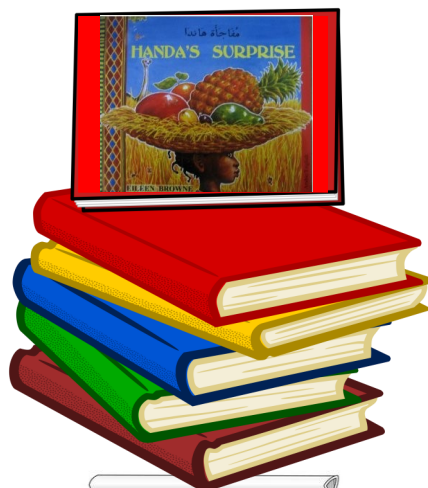
Core Curriculum:

English

We will be learning, performing, innovating around and retelling the following stories:

Handa's surprise
The Emperor and his advisor
Katy Morag – The Island Stories
The Wishing Tree.

We will also be learning about non-fiction texts related to the world.



Maths

Next term we will be learning more about doubling and halving, sharing, estimation, one more-one less, adding and subtracting.

Other areas of the Curriculum:

Expressive Arts, being imaginative

We will be learning about basket weaving, still life, fruit printing, mosaic, food tasting and making pizzas, junk modelling of iconic buildings, Chinese lanterns, cherry blossom trees and drums.

We will be creating our own island, parcel making (wrap) and tartan patterns.

We will be looking at African masks, bean sticks and animal art silhouettes. The children will also be studying flags, printing, splatter painting and marble painting.

Physical Development

We will be developing our control and co-ordination in large and small movements.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

We will be further developing our self-confidence and awareness, talking about feelings and behaviour and making relationships.

Understanding the World

We will be having a visit from Ark Farm on 6th June. Learning about where different people live and talking about what an island is and island life.

Reminders/Key dates:

Summer term
23 April - 19 July

Half term
27 May - 31 May

Ark Farm visit
6 June

Sports Day
21 May

Transition Day
Date and details to follow