

Communication and Language

This term in Little Learners we will be focusing on:

- Understanding 'who', 'what' and 'where' questions.
- Developing our recall of stories we hear and joining in with stories with a pattern.
- Continuing to build up a wide range of vocabulary which is linked to our learning.
- Using more complicated sentences and more interesting words.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Little Learners are learning to

- Extend our conversations in role play with others.
- Developing our confidence in talking to others in larger groups and using talk to explain our thinking to others.
- Working together to take turns, share and help each other.
- Develop the ability to adapt behavior to different events and situations.

Physical Development

Little Learners are learning to:

- Develop our pencil grip by taking part in a variety of 'dough' gym and other fine motor games.
- Find out about the effect of activity on our bodies.
- Move around in different ways using music and different stories such as 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt'.
- Showing control in using a range of equipment including tools and large and small play equipment.

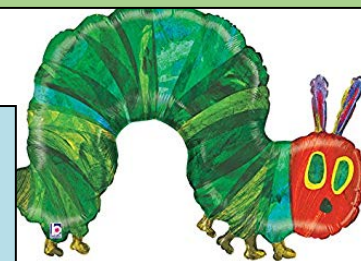
Roars, Jaws and Claws & Roots, Shoots and Muddy Boots

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Literacy

This term in Little Learners we are focusing on:

- Enjoying a wide range of books including Dinosaur Roar, Harry and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs, The Hungry Caterpillar and Jasper's Beanstalk. We will be listening to stories and looking at them independently.
- Joining in with repeated refrains and anticipating key events and phrases in rhymes and stories.
- Finding words in our environment and giving meaning to marks we find around us.



Mathematics

Little Learners will be learning to:

- Count how many fingers we have on each hand and counting up to ten using our fingers.
- Look at the shape and size of dinosaur footprints and count in a variety of ways.
- Using positional language to direct others.
- Mark making numbers in and around Little Learners.
- Working out when we have more, less or the same.

Understanding of the World

In Little Learners, we will be:

- Finding out about how materials can change
- Investigating growth and decay
- Finding out about Chinese New Year and Easter
- Using computers to find out more
- Finding out about our environment, growing plants, looking after our world.

Expressive Arts and Design

In Little Learners, we will be:

- Joining in with dancing and ring games.
- Singing familiar and new songs.
- Developing movement in response to music and creating rhythms.
- Exploring colours and how colours can be changed.
- Talking about our pictures and models.
- Making a wide range of exciting creations and baking!

How you can help at home:

Share books with your child as much as you can, talk about the things you do and see together and encourage them to begin to dress and undress themselves. Talk about their time with us and share any experiences with us- you can use Tapestry to show us what they have been up to!