



Our Learning Adventure

Spring Term 2

In nursery, we talk to the children about 'going on an adventure'. This relates to the learning that they will be doing through their play. This term we will be going on the following adventures:



We will be asking 'How can we use our imagination?' this term. This is such an exciting topic as we share a lot of fantastic stories that encourage creativity, imagination and role-play! We know that developing an imagination fosters excellent problem solving, creativity, language development and helps develop crucial social skills. We will be sharing ideas on how to encourage imaginative play at home too, so look out for these on Learning Journal.



Our core story this half term is 'Peace at Last'. This is a fantastic story with lots of repeating phrases for the children to join in with. We will be thinking about the sounds, sights and experiences of the characters and re-telling the story with lots of expression. You may like to enjoy the story together at home by watching this video

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In maths, our focus is composition. This involves thinking about how a number is made up of different smaller quantities. We will be exploring the different ways that numbers can be made. We will be using all sorts of items to build different amounts and notice other quantities within them, as we play. You can support this learning by doing lots of looking and talking about what you see, e.g. 'I can see 3 daisies – 1 there and 2 over here.'



We will be supporting the children to develop their spoken vocabulary as we adventure this term. Our special words this term are **day, night, shadow, quiet, noise/y and shine**. It would be great if you could be using these words at home with your child as you chat, play and read together. This will really help to develop your child's language and understanding.

Please don't hesitate to come and speak to Peter or Sarah if you have any questions. We would love to share more about our learning in nursery with you.

Don't forget that you can tell us about what your child is learning at home using