



# Our Learning Adventure

Summer 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 'Where in the world can we go?' We will be finding out all about the jungle, desert, ocean and many areas of the world and the people that may live in those places. We hope to open the minds of the children to a wider, bigger world and an excitement to explore and find out about places familiar and unfamiliar to them.



Our core story this half term is 'Walking Through the Jungle'. We will explore all the different animals that live in different places around the world through this story, enjoying the rhythm and rhyme of the text and describing where the creatures live and how they move. You might like to enjoy this song version together.

[Walking Through the Jungle | Barefoot Books Singalong \(youtube.com\)](https://www.barefootbooks.com/singalong/walking-through-the-jungle) You might also like to make up your own version together. Eg. 'Walking through the park...' or 'Walking through the town...'



In maths, we will be focusing on shape. We will be recognising the properties of simple 2d and 3d shapes as well as understanding some tricky words like 'straight' 'curved' and 'corners'. As we play and explore, we will be understanding how some shapes fit together and how some are suitable for some jobs more than others. You might like to go on a shape hunt around your house together. How many squares, circles, rectangles and triangles can you find?



We will be supporting the children to develop their spoken vocabulary as we adventure this term. Our special words this term are **explore, think, chase, walk, creep, leap, trek, summer, hot**. It would be great if you could be using these words at home with

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your child as you chat, play and read together. This will really help to develop your child's language and understanding.

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