

Blossom - Core Learning – Autumn 1

Literacy



Topic

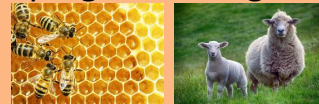
Who am I and where do I belong?

Understanding the World

We will learn about Animal Adventures
Living & Non-living - Recognising that
living things move & grow.

Describing Minibeasts - Finding &
describing minibeasts on the school
grounds

On the Farm - Naming & describing farm
animals & grouping according to their
similarities



Maths

The children will begin to practise
recognition of up to 3 objects,
reciting numbers to 5, saying one
number for each item in order:
1,2,3,4,5, show 'finger numbers' up
to 5, linking numerals and amounts,
compare quantities using language
of more & fewer than, talk about &
explore 2D & 3D shape: sides,
corners; straight, flat, round.



Phonics

The children in preschool will be slowly introduced to phase 1 of the Little Wandle Letter and Sounds programme, through play based activities and rhymes. These will encourage the children to listen to and hear sounds that are all around them, supporting both their listening, speech and language skills. The children will be learning and singing lots of songs and rhymes, please follow this link with some videos and downloadable lyrics, to support your child at home -

<https://www.littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk/resources/for-parents/#tabnameTabNurseryRhymes-Videos>



Events / Information

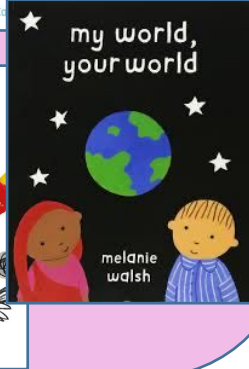
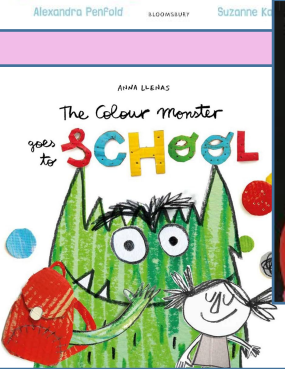
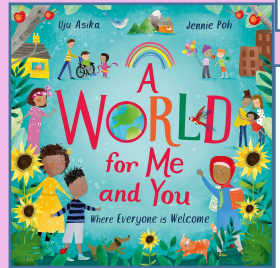
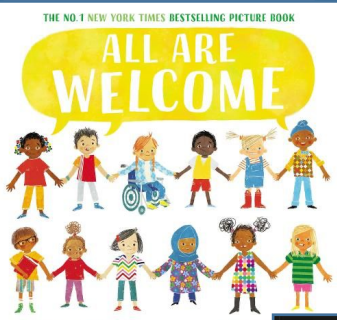
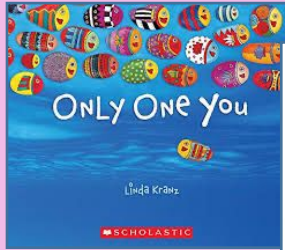
WessexWild Trip - Tuesday, 23rd
September

Washingpool Farm - Tuesday, 14th
October

Show & Tell (week beginning) -
15th, 22nd & 29th of September

Cherry - Core Learning – Autumn 1

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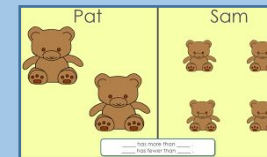
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Maths

The children will build on previous experiences of number from their home and preschool environments, and further develop their subitising and counting skills. They will explore the composition of numbers within 5. They will begin to compare sets of objects and use the language of comparison.



Phonics

Reception Autumn 1

	Phase 2 graphemes	New tricky words
Week 1	s a t p	
Week 2	i n m d	
Week 3	g o c k	is
Week 4	ck e u r	I
Week 5	h b f l	the



Please see the following link to find the order that the letters and sounds are taught and videos that show you how the children have learnt to say each sound -

<https://www.littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk/resources/for-parents/>

Events / Information

WessexWild Trip - Tuesday, 23rd September

Washingpool Farm - Tuesday, 14th October

Show & Tell (Thursday PM) -

Bees - 19.09.25.

Butterflies - 26.09.25.

Beetles - 3.10.25.