

## LITERACY

Through literacy, we will be looking at both fiction and non-fiction texts relating to minibeasts and other animals.

We will be focusing on writing simple sentences using finger spaces and full stops as independently as possible.

## NUMERACY

In numeracy, we will be looking at ordering numbers 1-20, counting on and back and using two single digit numbers for both addition and subtraction. We will be looking at these concepts in a variety of practical ways.

We will also be looking at length, time and money.

## PHONICS

In reception we are focussing on consolidating our phase 3 phonics sounds and our ability to write sentences independently.

In nursery we will be focussing on oral segmenting and blending ready for starting phase 2. We will also be looking at a variety of different sounds including environmental, voice and instrumental sounds.

## OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES

Every Wednesday afternoon, we will be exploring the outdoor environment. Please dress your child suitably for all weathers.

## TERRIFIC TIGERS

### SUMMER 1

## ALL CREATURES GREAT AND SMALL

## PE

Our PE days will be Mondays and Tuesdays. We will be focussing on gross motor skills through the Jungle Journey programme.

## PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

We will continue to work on fine motor skills, through a variety of different activities. We will also be looking at handling equipment correctly, including pencils for writing.

## UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD

Our topic this half term is animals. We will be looking at the similarities and differences between a variety of animals including minibeasts and pets. We will be making observations of real minibeats including worms and caterpillars and looking at changes and why some things occur.

## PERSONAL, SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL

During this half term we have new children starting in our class. We will be settling them into our class, teaching them our routine and working on building relationships within our classroom. We will also be looking at how our words and actions can affect other people and how we can negotiate our problems.