

Literacy

We will continue to develop a love of stories by spending time with our friends in our cosy reading den. We will learn new nursery rhymes and explore the rhyming text 'Brown Bear, Brown Bear' by Eric Carle. We will use Rosie's Walk as our Talk4Write text. We will explore instructions as we follow a map to get from one place to another.

We will introduce Shared Reading and use the text 'I went Walking'

Mathematics

We will become fluent in counting up to 10 or beyond. We will learn to select a small number of items from a group as we visit the Role Play Farm Shop. We will use pennies to pay for our produce. We will practise sorting the vegetables back into the correct baskets. We will learn positional vocabulary using the story 'Rosie's Walk' as a stimulus. We will learn how to play 'What's in the box' and use it to practise asking mathematical questions and extend our knowledge of mathematical language.

Physical Development

We will play games which will help us develop good co-ordination and ball control. We will create different shapes using our bodies and learn to move in different ways as we recreate our own version of Rosie's Walk.

We will develop our fine motor skills by taking part in funky fingers sessions and learning how to use scissors.

Communication and Language

We will be building up a repertoire of favourite songs and rhymes, joining in with actions and words. We will extend our vocabulary as we take on different roles in our Role Play Farm Shop. We will learn the names of the farm animals and the produce sold on the farm.

Understanding the World

We will learn about the different animals that Rosie encounters on the farm. We will learn how important it is to keep healthy and discover that walking allows us to look at the world around us, make observations and ask questions. We will explore how to represent things that we have encountered through our walks and will recreate our own walks in our garden and throughout the school.

This half term we are planning
To use 'Rosie's Walk' by Pat Hutchins as an inspiration for our Role Play area.
We will explore the topic 'Movement'.
Our RE themes will include Chinese New Year and 'Special People.'

Our School Value Aspiration

Foundation 1
Spring Term 1st half
2018

PSED: Going for Goals

We will be learning how to take responsibility for our successes and when things go wrong. We will find out what a goal is and how we can work to reach our goals. We will learn that we are all good at different things but in order to achieve our goals we have to work hard, try new things in our learning and be resilient. We will play circle games and rounds which will help us focus and concentrate.

Technology

We will continue to practise MiniMe Yoga and will use the iPad to take photographs of our favourite poses.

Expressive Arts and Design

We will become more inventive in how we use materials by making props for our Role play 'Rosie's farm Shop'. We will mix colours to create the colourful feathers, paint with feathers, and learn how to use a hole punch and split pin to create the sails of the windmill in the story. We will be making decisions about what we want to make and how we want to represent our ideas. We will have the opportunity to work together on large scale models. We will express our ideas by using the resources to create adventures and make up stories.

