



Literacy



Communication and Language



During the half term, we will be learning about rhyme and alliteration. The children will be playing games to hear the initial sounds in words.

Each week we will be recalling the main parts of a familiar story and talking about characters and settings.

Talk for Writing

We will be reading 'Jasper's Beanstalk'.

Our topic for the half term: 'Are eggs alive?'

We will be focusing on how plants grow and the lifecycle of a chick.

Physical Development

The children will be developing their pencil control and tripod grip. We will be encouraging the children to write their names and other words independently.



We will continue to encourage the children to increase their independence with self-help skills such as toileting, handwashing, and putting on and taking off shoes and coats.

Maths



The children will be developing their language to describe the height of some objects. We will also be ordering objects by height. The children will be practising writing numbers and completing a simple addition.

Understanding the World



The children will be finding out about what a plant needs to grow. We will be talking about the changes that occur as a plant grows.

The children will be exploring the lifecycle of a chick.

We will read the Easter story and discuss the meaning of Easter.

Dates for your diary

Monday 24th February - INSET day - school closed



Monday 2nd March - Class Photos

Thursday 5th March - World Book Day

Tuesday 17th March

AM nursery Family Morning 10.30-11.30am

PM nursery Family Afternoon 2.00-3.00pm

Wednesday 25th March s Parents' Evening

PSED and British Values

We will be playing games to develop our sharing and turn-taking skills.

Expressive Art and Design



We will be encouraging the children to play a range of instruments and explore the sounds they make.

The children will also be able to make and create their own instruments using junk modelling materials and paints.

