

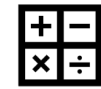
Literacy

In Literacy, the older children will continue to learn letter sounds using the RWI phonics programme. The younger children will continue to focus on listening activities and using this to recognise environmental sounds. The older children will learn to oral blend ready for reading! We will encourage children to begin to write the letter sounds too. The younger children will be encouraged to recognise their own name.



Understanding the World

This half term, we will be exploring the life-cycle of a caterpillar. We will observe and talk about the changes we see. We will track how the caterpillars have changed over time. We might relate this to ourselves growing. We will explore the Summer season and how it is different to the other seasons.



Maths

This half term, our younger children will begin to explore numbers to 5. They will recognise different ways of representing the numbers to 5. Our older children, will consolidate their knowledge of number within 5 as well as exploring numbers to 10. We will explore symmetry too.

Ellington Primary School

Nursery

CURRICULUM MAP

Summer A: To the Rescue!



Believe and achieve



Key Stories

Communication and Language

The children will develop their vocabulary linked to minibeasts. We will act out our key story 'The Hungry Caterpillar' and create a book using our own pictures to help us. We will talk about a range of minibeasts and explore this in our outdoor area as well as watching our own caterpillars grow.

Expressive Art & Design

The children will be exploring watercolours this half term. They will explore how adding more or less water changes the way the paint can be used. We will be inspired by Eric Carle's illustrations. We will also be exploring the work of african artist Esther Mahlangu and how she uses shape and colour to create African patterns.

Physical Development

This half term, we will be learning our skills to support us for Sports' Day! The children will learn to run, jump and balance to support with the team games. We hope you will be there to cheer them on! The children will develop their fine motor skills too. We will practise tracing around a picture.

Personal, Social & Emotional

We will continue to support all of the children in developing their independence skills. We will also be talking about the change to the coming year for both our older children, heading into Reception and our younger children saying goodbye to our friends.