

Physical Development

- Develop fine motor skills involving cutting and letter formation.
- Develop throwing and catching skills.
- Gain increasing independence when dressing e.g. puts arms into open-fronted coat.
- Show understanding of the need for safety when tackling new challenges, and considers and manages some risks

Communication, Language and Literacy

- Listen and respond to ideas expressed by others in conversation or discussion.
- Maintain attention, concentrate and sits quietly during appropriate activity.
- Use their phonic knowledge to attempt to write words, labels, captions and sentences.
- Use information books to seek information about animals and different locations.

Learning Together, Achieving Forever

PSHE

Our Oasis Habit this term is: Hopeful

 Being hopeful and persevering when things are difficult are important habits for us to learn the importance of in school, possess and demonstrate through-out our lives..

Reception: Spring Topic: Animals/Locations

Expressive Arts and Design

- Capture experiences and responses with a range of media, such as music, dance and other materials or words.
- Constructs with a purpose in mind, using a variety of resources.
- Use different media to create animals.
- Creating different representations of landscapes and locations.

<u>Artist Monet Water Lilies, Maybe</u> Edward Tinga Tinga animals

Role play

Vets Animal hospital Safari Jungle Travel agents Safari

Poems

The Crocodile by Lewis Carroll Walking through the jungle.

Maths

- Confidently recognise numbers to 20.
- Say the number one more/less than a given number up to 10
- Time Understand and use the language of time, know and order days of the week, months of the year. Begin to read o'clock times.
- 2D and 3D shape.

Understanding the world

- Talk about similarities and differences between different locations and animals.
- To go on walks in the local environment.
- Observing animals in their natural habitat.
- To Comment and asks questions about aspects of their familiar world such as the place where they live or the natural world.

Songs

Little green frog/Down in the jungle, Easter bunny/Location sounds.

<u>P4C</u>

- Thinking about why others feel sad/happy.
- · Telling others the reasons why you are happy or sad.
- Exploring ideas about how we can help our friend feel happy.

New Vocabulary Keypad, microphone, information, Squash, Squeeze, print, press, stamp, sentence, singular, 2D, 3D, more, corners, sides, time, less, altogether, days of the week, months, position, equipment, country names, sort, describe, past, future, calendar, animal, barn, farm, sea, balance, jungle, habitats.