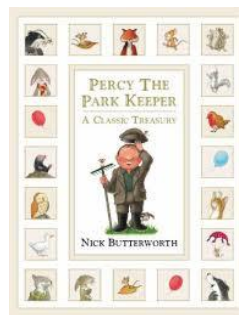
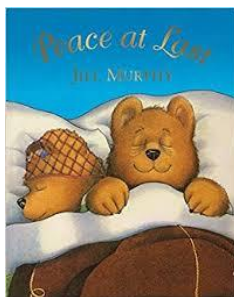


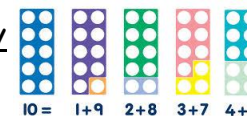
Communication, Language and Literacy

We will be reading lots of non-fiction books about animals and their habitats as well as books about light and dark. Our storybooks will include Peace at Last, Owl Babies, The Owl who was Afraid of the Dark, Night Monkey, Day Monkey, Hovis the Hedgehog, Percy the Park Keeper, Biscuit Bear, The Snowman, Father Christmas, Stanley's Stick and other Christmas storybooks and poems.

Learning is fun in FS2!



Numeracy



In maths we will be recognising numbers to 20, forming our numbers correctly and doing lots of counting on and back from given numbers. In practical activities and discussion we will use the vocabulary involved in addition and subtracting. We will record our maths work too. We will also be solving mathematical problems and will continue to learn more about shape, space and measure.

R.E.

We will be reading Bible stories for children. We will learn about Diwali and read the story of Rama and Sita.

PSE

Being afraid of the dark.

We continue to learn more about being healthy through exercise, the food we eat and hygiene.

Circle Times

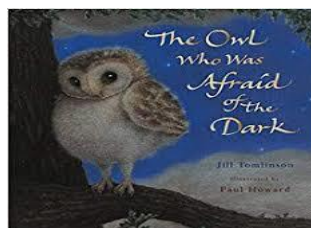
Jesse Gray Golden Rules

Class Targets

Assemblies

Jesse Cat and Gray

British Wildlife and their Habitats



Physical Development

Motor Skills - cutting, sticking and box modelling. Play and salt dough. Clay. Paint mixing, collage, cutting and sticking. Dance, drama, movement and ring games, Dough Disco.

Outdoor play

REAL PE with Mr Smith on Tuesday's

Understanding the World

Remembrance Day

We will be learning about day and night and how some animals are nocturnal.

We will explore light and dark and use torches in our classroom dens.

The change in season from Autumn to Winter
Bonfire Night

We will be finding out about animal habitats.

We will be sharing our Busy Books.

Ways to help at home

Sharing books/Reading

Learning letters and key words

Practising forming letters and numbers

Counting up and down to 10 or 20 and beyond.

Finding 3D shapes in the environment.

Weighing and Measuring

Counting out objects together accurately one by one and adding them together.

Expressive Arts and Design

We will be box modelling, paint mixing, collage, cutting and sticking. We will have weekly singing and music lessons with Mrs Walton. We will be modelling with clay and salt dough to make diva lamps and hedgehogs. We will be making a model for Christmas and practising for our Christmas Nativity!

Dear families

We have put your child's name card in their book bag as we have been practising how to write our full name. There is also a sheet detailing correct letter formation which we have also been practising too. We will be spending more focus time on letter formation now the children know lots of letters and the sounds they make and if you wish to support them at home that would be fantastic!

Word card 3 is also enclosed along with a reading book.

We will learn more letter sounds in Phase 3 and continue to consolidate Phase 2. We have had requests for more information on how to access the web/app links:-

You Tube - Jolly Phonics Phase 2

You Tube - Jolly Phonics Phase 3

You Tube - Mr Thorne Does Phonics (with Geraldine Giraffe)

Phonics Play

Teach Your Monster to Read

Also, thank you all for returning the questionnaires after our Curriculum Evening. We will respond to your comments and suggestions during the week commencing Monday 5th November when we return to school.

We wish you all a happy half term holiday and thank you all for your continued support. The children have been amazing and we can't believe eight weeks has gone by already.

Miss Booth, Miss Crawford, Mrs Cooke xxx Mrs Warren, Miss Jennings and Mrs Taylor xxx