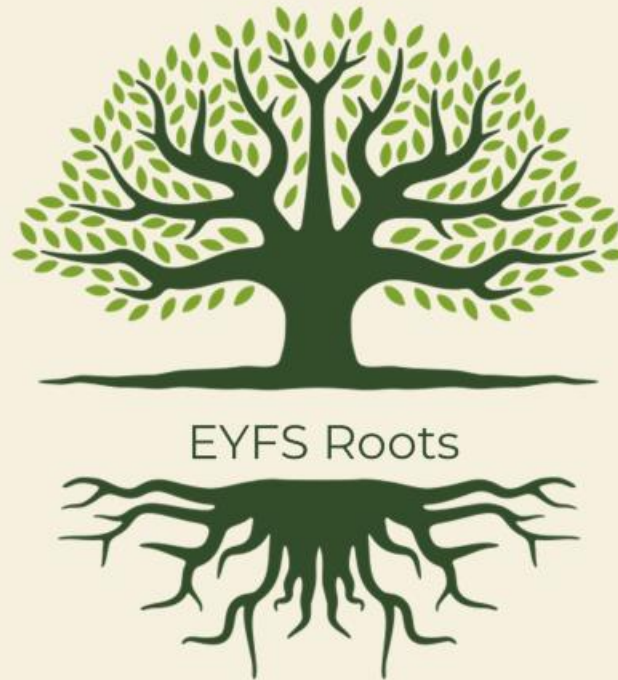


Spring 2 Key Knowledge – Enchanted Lands and Castles

In the Early Years Foundation Stage we want all children to acquire key foundational knowledge alongside their phonic and mathematical knowledge. Below are the essential 'roots' we have identified our children need to have success in the next stage of their education and in later life.



I can identify features of a castle and I know how castles have changed over time. I can talk about my experiences from Tamworth Castle 😊

We will grow our own beans, learning about what plants need to grow and how to keep plants healthy.

I understand how to eat healthily and know a variety of ways to keep myself healthy.

I can use new vocabulary confidently to explain and express my opinions.

I can set myself challenges and continue with activities with sustained concentration. I take on board others' opinions and ideas.

I know where different materials come from. I will be able to explain my creative choices.

I know how to handle tools, objects and construction materials with increasing control. I can draw and write freely and enjoy dough, pen and snippy disco.

I know how to add and subtract and can write number sentences. I understand the composition of the numbers 1-10.

I can retell some stories about mythical creatures.

I can create different textures using both materials and techniques.

I know how to send and receive objects with different body parts and work with others to control objects in space.



Ready

I know how to be ready to learn



Respectful

I know how to respect everyone and everything in our school



Safe

I know how to keep myself and others safe.



Literacy

I know how to spell the tricky words I have learnt.
I can read longer words e.g. rabbit, jumping.



Maths

I can recognise, form and understand numbers 0-10.

Essential Vocabulary

I know the meaning of these words -

Castle
Enchanted
Season – Spring
Life Cycle
Growth
Vegetable
Plant
Number bond

These books will help me to learn facts about castles and the history behind enchanted animals.



These books will help me understand Spring and what is happening in the world around me.



I know what plants need to grow-

Water
Soil
Sun
Nutrients