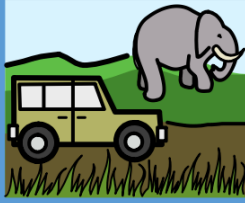
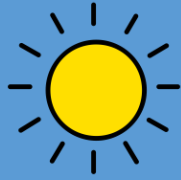


Explorer's Class



Summer 2—Summer fun and celebrations



Curriculum information



What are we focusing on?

We will be learning all about the summer and holidays. We will think about what people might take on holiday with them and how to pack a suitcase.

If you have any past holiday pictures we would love to show them to the children.



In the Explorer's Class, our learning is firstly dictated by children's individual EHCP Outcomes. The children get a chance to play indoors and outdoors and this allows us to see what each child really likes and doesn't like. We will use these high interest ideas to help motivate the children.

Please let us know if they have new likes and dislikes as we know children often change their preferences and enjoy new things.



Celebrations



We are in the final 6 weeks of this academic year! In July we have 3 children who have birthdays so we will continue to celebrate these important events.

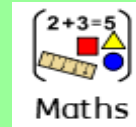
We also have sad news—Our Year 2 children in the class will finish their time with us and be moving on to a new school. Although we are very excited for their new adventures, we will also miss them lots as they have been in our school for 3 years. We will be celebrating their hard work and this will probably involve cake and music!!!

Snack

We really appreciate any snack that is sent in to share with the class. Having a variety of snacks encourages the children to try new things and to request using pictures or pointing. If there is something your child really likes, this helps to motivate them to communicate. No nuts please 😊

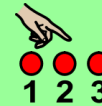
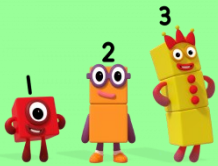


Maths



We will continue to look at numbers and will be focusing on all the numbers we have looked at so far—1, 2 and 3. We will be counting up to 3 items and then seeing if your child can give us the correct amount when asked. We will also be counting up to 20 in order along with visuals and a song.

We will be watching short number blocks clips to help us with our understanding. You can help your child at home by counting out 1, 2 or 3 items e.g. 3 cars, 3 trees.



Jumpers and hats



As the weather continues to get warmer, this is a gentle reminder to write your child's name in their jumpers and tops.

Please also send your child with a sun hat. We do have shaded areas and encourage the children to play in these areas.

If you don't name it, we don't know who to return it to!



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This half term, we will be experiencing Sensory Stories around holidays. We will be trying to use all of our senses to get the children engaged and excited.

We will pretend we are going on holiday and have a chance to pack a suitcase with some clothes for a hot holiday. We will also smell sunscreen and use a fan to experience the breeze..

Children will be given opportunities to comment on what they can see and hear. Some children will also complete follow up activities, where we will be working on their literacy skills.

If you have been on any holidays, please send us some photos.



How can you help?

Please share information with us via WEDUC regarding how your child has been at home. Please also let us know if they have any new favourite things as we can plan this into our activities.

If you have any questions or comments about your child's learning, please do not hesitate to contact us.

