



# Newsletter Term Four

Last term Reception further developed their story telling skills through some well loved children's stories. The Aliens who love Underpants and Whatever Next. We also explored a range of traditional tales, in Rainbow Time; The 3 Little Pigs , The Billy Goats Gruff and Goldilocks.



Outdoor Learning continues this term with a new group. The children are visiting the woods once a week and using the natural resources and their senses to make things such as birdfeeders and leaf collages.

## Dates for the Diary

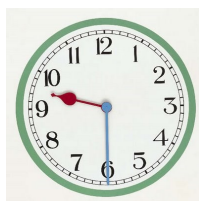
Hearing and Vision screening (during school hours, no parents re-	Thursday 22nd Friday 23rd February
NHS Visitors How to keep your teeth healthy.	Monday 26th February
Mothers, Aunts and Grandmas are invited to our Cream Tea	Wednesday 7th March 2.15pm
Celebration Afternoon 2.30pm	Wednesday 28th March
INSET day	Wednesday 14th March
Last day of term 4	Thursday 29th March



## Learning Journey Dinosaurs and Beasts

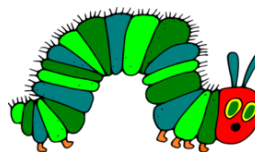
This term we will be continuing to explore addition and different ways to record our work. We will be counting in a range of ways , including backwards from 20 and forward in tens and hundreds!

We will begin to explore the vocabulary around money, measuring and time.



We will be developing our understanding of the seasons as we move in to Spring and look at the differences in the weather and explore new life and growth.

We will continue to explore stories through Monstersaurus, The Very Hungry Caterpillar, Tanka Tanka Skunk. We will also learn poems about Minibeasts.



Through Letters and Sounds we will continue to learn diagraphs and trigraphs, and a few more tricky words! We will continue to develop blending and segmenting skills and the confidence to use this when writing short simple sentences.

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## Parents as Partners

### Treetoppers

We love hearing about your child's successes at home. Please take a Treetopper from our display and complete one to share your wow moments

### Hats and Scarves

We have a large number of hats and scarves in Reception. If you are missing any items please come along and check. Please help us to return items to you by naming them clearly .

### Outdoor Learning

One group of children will take part in outdoor learning this term. Please look out for a letter in your child's book bag that will let you know what to provide for these sessions.