





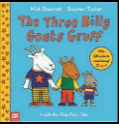


Nursery Half Term Overview – Summer 2 2024

Area of Learning	Week 1 Tues 11.06-14.06	Week 2 17.06-21.06	Week 3 24.06-28.06	Week 4 01.07-05.07	Week 5 08.07-12.07	Week 6 15.07-19.07	Week 7 22.07-26.07	
Possible Themes & Core Texts	 <p>The Crunching Munching Caterpillar by Sheridan Cain</p> <p>Supplementary text 'Butterfly' non-fiction</p>	 <p>The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle</p> <p>Supplementary text 'Ladybird' non-fiction</p>	 <p>The Very Quiet Cricket by Eric Carle</p> <p>Supplementary text 'The Bad Tempered Ladybird'</p>	 <p>Superworm By Julia Donaldson</p> <p>Supplementary text 'Oi Frog'</p>	 <p>The Three Little Pigs by Ladybird</p> <p>Supplementary text 'Suddenly'</p>	 <p>Squash and a Squeeze by Julia Donaldson</p> <p>Supplementary text 'Mrs Wishy Washy'</p>	 <p>Three Billy Goats Gruff</p> <p>Supplementary text 'The Farm chorus'</p>	
	Visits & WOW Experiences		Butterflies				Summer Fair	FARM Trip
	Celebrations	PRIDE month				SPORTS WEEK		
	Role Play Area	Ice-cream shop or hairdressers	Ice-cream shop or hairdressers	Ice-cream shop or hairdressers	Ice-cream shop or hairdressers	Ice-cream shop or hairdressers	Ice-cream shop or hairdressers	Ice-cream shop or hairdressers
	CLA	Core Nursery Rhymes and Songs: <i>In the Garden amongst the Flowers..</i>	Core Nursery Rhymes and Songs: <i>Little Arabella Miller/ There's a Tiny Caterpillar...</i>	Core Nursery Rhymes and Songs: <i>Nobody likes me - worm song</i>	Core Nursery Rhymes and Songs: <i>There's a Worm at the Bottom of ...</i>	Core Nursery Rhymes and Songs: <i>Who's afraid of the Big Bad Wolf</i>	Core Nursery Rhymes and Songs: <i>Big Red Combine Harvester</i>	Core Nursery Rhymes and Songs: <i>Driving My Tractor (Barefoot Books)</i>
	PSED	My Body I can name parts of my body and show respect for myself.	Respecting My Body I can tell you some things I can do and some food I can eat to be healthy.	Growing Up I understand that we all start as babies and grow into children and then adults	Growth and Change I know that I grow and change	Fun and Fears can talk about how I feel moving to School from Nursery	Celebration I can remember some fun things about Nursery this year	Farm Trip Making Friends/ families
		<i>Confidence-Take part in sporting activities as part of a group</i>						
PD	<i>Gross Motor: Ball skills/ running freely / dance to a pattern/racquet skills/start and stop games/races/ control of body/ jumpstart/Sticky Kids exercises</i>							
	<i>Fine Motor: Cutting around and sticking with purpose</i>	<i>Fine Motor: Playdough manipulation-make worms of differing lengths</i>	<i>Fine Motor: Jigsaw/interlocking materials</i>	<i>Fine Motor: using force on paper</i>	<i>Fine Motor: Make fruit kebabs- cut fruit add to a skewer</i>	<i>Fine Motor: Digging and using one handed tools</i>	<i>Fine Motor: Marks for a list -on whiteboards</i>	

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Literacy	Spot rhyming words and suggest a rhyme	Role-play story-puppet Retell narrative	Print for purpose – make information for caterpillar care	Repeated text- talk about vocabulary	Retell story in sequence- talk about before and after	Listening games Beginning, middle, end	Mark make/write some letters accurately, with some support
Maths	<i>Kim's game- Minibeast theme-can child spot one then two missing/describe position</i>	<i>Perform pattern dance- Create patterns from natural materials – dotty ladybird count</i>	<i>Extend a pattern/split a pattern into the smallest unit</i>	Counting comparing shape ladybirds Numicon - find different ways to make a number	Spatial reasoning- 1 st / then/ after- play lining up games -children name order	<i>Subitise amount – quick view- Play how many do you see-explain</i>	<i>Sequence events using stories to verbally say – first, next, last...and size bigger, biggest</i>
EAD	Caterpillar patterns- child select different materials/ paper circles/ sponges/ pompoms etc	Ladybird- dotty pictures Bee Dance	Butterfly symmetrical prints – use paper straws and string or pegs to create a model	Shape repeating prints Colour mixing	Design and Make medals using ribbon and foil shapes	Muddy pig pictures	Farm paintings/ watercolour painting
UW	Minibeast – life-cycles discussion frogs/chicks/butterflies	Natural material exploration - stones/shells etc Look at images /videos of minibeasts	Care for plants/ find minibeasts to observe outdoors	Farm small world – with textured materials- lentils/ bran/etc Farm animals and their young identify and name	Talk about what we experienced during Sports/Health week	Talk about a farmer's job What jobs are on a farm	Family Trip Discuss our own previous experience of farms/zoo