

EYFS Spring 2 Newsletter

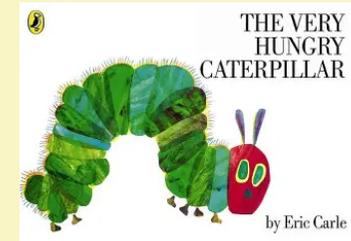


Welcome Back!

Welcome back to Term 4! We hope you had a wonderful break.

Overview

This half term, our topic is 'Let it Grow!'. The children will be exploring how plants grow, what they need to survive, and observing changes over time through hands-on activities like planting seeds, watering, and caring for our class plants. We will also be learning about the life cycles including the life cycle of a caterpillar.



Article 28 - The right to an education

Key Dates/Reminders

- Thursday 5th March- World Book Day
- Monday 9th March- MHST Parent Drop-In Sessions
- Tuesday 17th March (17:00 - 19:30) - Parents Evening
- Wednesday 18th March (15:30 - 18:00) - Parents Evening

Ways to help your child:

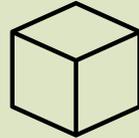
- Use letter sounds to sound out objects around your home e.g. t-a-p = tap and c-a-r = car.
- Read, read, read! To your child, with them or by spotting signs out and about.
- Sing along to your favourite number song.
- Practice number formation from 0-10.
- Sing/read lots of rhyming stories and songs- challenge your children to think of a rhyming word.

Literacy

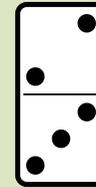
We will be exploring stories which align with our growing topic, including titles such as 'Oliver's Vegetables' and 'The Enormous Turnip'. We will be enhancing our comprehension skills including prediction. We will also be using our phonics knowledge to write labels for objects and to write simple phrases and sentences.

Maths

In maths this term we will secure our knowledge of numbers 0-10, we will be representing them in different ways and working on our subitising skills. We will also begin to explore



3D shapes.



PSED

In PSED we will be discussing our local community and jobs. We will also be talking about what money is for and understand the difference between 'want' and 'need'.

EAD

In EAD, the children will be learning the properties of different materials and be encouraged to try a range of materials and evaluate their purposes. In music we will be exploring how our bodies respond to different genres of music and sharing our opinions of music.

UTW

To help the children in 'Understanding the World', we will be discussing our communities and different festivals and celebrations. We will be investigating life cycles and habitats and continuing our



welly walks!



THE POPLAR PROMISE

At Poplar Farm School we are:

Problem solvers
Open minded and curious
Positive and independent
Loved and nurtured
Accepting of all
Resilient

