

Literacy

Phonics :

Children will recap set 1 sounds and they will learn set 2 sounds in classes.

We will look at the following key **texts** ;

- Tree by Patricia Hegarty
- The Winter Hedgehog by Ann Cartwright
- Non fiction texts linked to topic
- The Great Race (Chinese New Year)

Writing:

- The children will continue to develop fine motor control, letter formation and writing for different purposes.

Key Dates:

30th January – Open Morning

14th February – Last day of Term 3

Term 3

What's the Weather?



Topic

Week 1 – Seasons

Weeks 2 + 3 – Winter and environment

Weeks 4 + 5 – RSPB Bird week and arctic animals

Week 6 – Chinese New Year

Maths

Number

- Recap numbers 1-10
- Look in depth at the numbers of the week 13 – 18
- Selecting the correct numerals for an amount
- Subitise – know how many are in a set without counting
- Number formation

Shape, space and measure

- Using the language of length, height, weight and capacity.

Understanding The World

- What are the seasons?
- What clothing would we wear?
- What changes do we see between the seasons?
- Winter animals and hibernation
- What is Chinese New Year and how is it celebrated?
- Forest School sessions for RDE