

Early Years Term 5



This term your child will be learning to...

Communication, Language and Literacy

Make up their own stories using ones that they have already read.
Read and write simple sentences.
Read longer words.
Use capital letters and full stops in their writing.
Create fact files.

Star Author:

Eric Carle

Focus text:

The Very Hungry Caterpillar



Understanding the world

Observe the natural world.
Plant and look after seeds and plants.
Make observations of plants and living things.
Recognise and describe changes in seasons.
Talk about lifecycles of plants and animals.
Explore the five senses.
Talk about which special groups they belong to.

Where does it come from?

Maths

Understand the composition of numbers 9 and 10
Subitise numbers
Explore odd and even numbers and amounts
Learn number bonds 9 & 10
Solve real life problems
Compare weight
Select, rotate and manipulate shapes

Our Big Idea

Where do different animals come from? Where do plants come from? What do they need to grow? This term, we will dive head first into finding out about lots of different animals and plants in the natural world; be it a real life experience of finding mini-beasts in the outside area or finding out about different plants and habitats across the world.

Expressive Art and Design

Talk about what they have created and made.
Sing in a group or on their own, matching pitch and melody.
Draw and paint living objects.

Traditional Tale Jack and the Beanstalk.



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But
Next
Unfortunately
Next
Until

Story
Author
Sentence
Full stop
Capital letter
Fact file



Seed
Plant
Grow
Fruit
Flower

Spring
Summer
Lifecycle
Group
Animal
Minibeast



Key Vocabulary

Creation
Make
Model
Paint
Real life
Sing
Dance
Perform



Number
Nine
Ten
Compare
Subitise
Number bond

Shape
Weight
Rotate
Fit



Change
Feeling
Different
Same

