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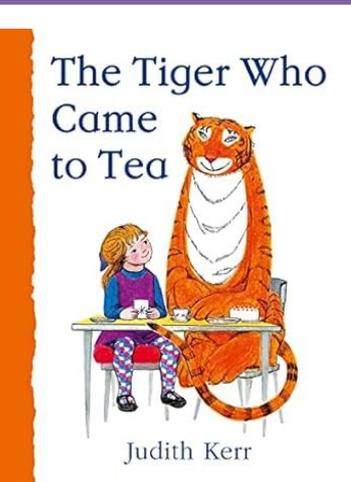
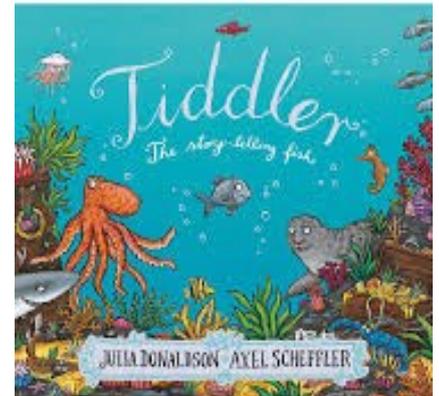
Pre-School are learning all about things that are 'in the garden' this half term. We will be finding out about lots of insects and flowers. We will look at key features of their life cycles as well as continuing our understanding of showing care and respect for living things and the natural environment. We will also talk about making healthy choices and the importance of looking after ourselves.



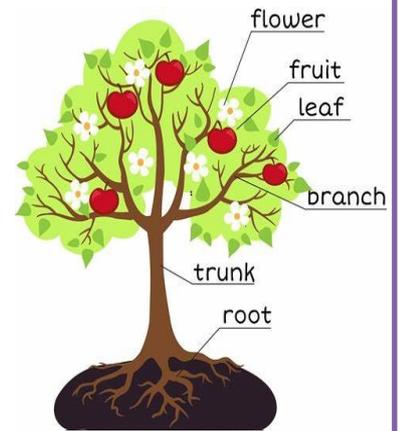
This half term Reception will be listening to the story 'Tiddler' and learning about different sea creatures. They will be creating lots of artwork based around different sea creatures.

In English, we will be writing their own book about different animals to share at the 'Booknic'!

In PE, we will be busy practising different races ready for Sports Day!



This half term in English, Year 1 will be writing our own instructions on how to make a jam sandwich. We will be reading 'The Tiger Who Came to Tea' and writing our own versions of this story. Don't forget we also have the Booknic this half term – the children are very excited to share their stories with you! In Maths, we will be looking at the value of numbers up to 100 as well as understanding the value of money. In Science, we will be learning about different parts of a plant and planting our own seeds to see if they grow. We will also be doing lots of work around change and transition to prepare children for their move to Year 2.



This half term Year 2 are looking at coastal towns and comparing them to our local area.

We are looking forward to our trip to the beach.

We will be working on transition and supporting the children moving into Year 3.

In our Art lessons we are learning printing methods to create artwork.





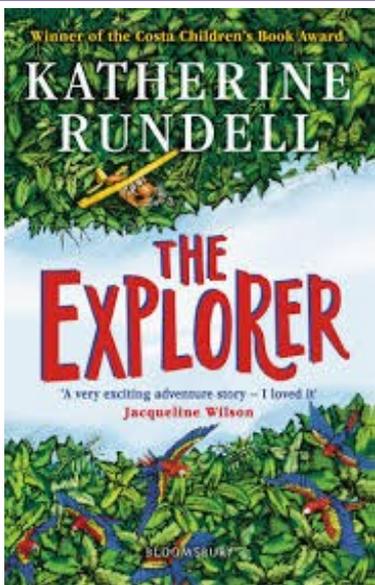
This week's newsletter item for Year 3 has been written by Willow and Millie:

"We are looking forward to the last half term in Year 3. We have lots of lessons to cover and some new exciting topics. In Science we will be learning about light, we will look at different vocabulary like ray and glare. In RE we will be learning about spirituality, we already know that spirituality is not just about religion but that anyone can have it. In History we are looking forward to re-capping our learning from last year about Anne Lister and what she did that was important. We also have lots of events this term like Sports Day in July and the Booknic. We have been busy making our books using our English and DT skills and can't wait to share these with our adults."



Year 4 have a busy half term ahead. At the minute, we are concentrating on revising our times tables ready for the check next week. Our English topic is based on the water cycle and stems from the book 'The Rhythm of the Rain'. The children will be retelling the story of a water droplet and then will be writing a chronological report about the cycle. This also links to our Geography topic which explores where our water comes from. In

science, we will be looking at living things and their habitats. It will hopefully be a fun final few weeks in Year 4!



This half term, Year 5 will continue learning about Brazil and writing a travel brochure to encourage people to visit. We will be reading the book 'The Explorer' by Katherine Rundell and then write an explanation text for how to survive being stranded in the Amazon. In Maths, we will be learning to add and subtract decimals and also to multiply and divide them by 10, 100 and 1000. Though our Science and PSHCE lessons we will be exploring how humans grow and develop from the womb to old age. We will be learning the process of screen printing in Art and how to make savoury scones in DT. Our PE focus this half term is on orienteering. In French we will be learning the numbers 50 to 100 and using them when saying amounts of money.

Another busy half term ahead as Year 6 prepare for their exciting new adventure!

In the classroom, we will be learning about how Crime and Punishment has changed over different settlements of people in History. In DT, we will be creating a controllable car which is powered by an electrical circuit and motor, and in English, we will be learning about the story of Holes and publishing our own non-chronological reports. We will also begin practising for our leavers service and preparing for high school.

