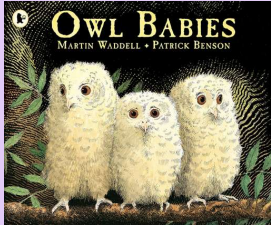


Little Gems – Term 1



This term our main focus is settling into Nursery. We will be talking about 'Me and My Family.'

In EYFS we have core books that we read across both Nursery and Reception and we have books more relevant to each age group. Reading core books allows for those children who haven't read them before to hear them, they are familiar for the children and familiarity and comfort is key when settling in and it allows for teachers to extend and challenge the children with these texts.



Core book
Owl Babies



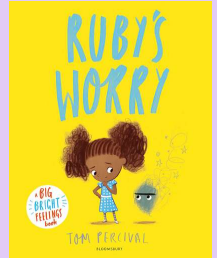
Core book
The Colour Monster



Nursery specific
All Are Welcome



Nursery specific
A Hug is for Holding Me



Nursery specific
Ruby's Worry

Term 1 Curriculum in Focus

Across EYFS we cover all the EYFS areas and targets across a daily and weekly basis, however each term we have a select number of targets from each area that we have a larger focus.

PSED

- Recognises basic emotions
- Accepts comfort
- Explores new activities with reassurance.
- Follows simple routines.
- Separate confidently from their main carer
- Plays alongside others
- Use the toilet confidently

Communication & Language

- Respond to their name.
- Ask for help.
- Listens during short interactions
- Uses simple words and short sentences

Physical Development

- Move confidently around the playground.
- Climb confidently using large equipment.
- Explores a range of tools using whole-hand.
- Feed themselves independently

Literacy

- Enjoys sharing books with adults
- begins to make controlled marks using a range of tools.
- Join in with repeated phrases and rhymes.
- Enjoy songs that develop rhyme and rhythm.

Mathematics

- Join in with counting songs and rhymes.
- Compares objects
- Explore shape through construction and puzzles.
- Fill and empty containers.

Understanding the World

- Recognise familiar adults within the nursery.
- Explore natural objects such as leaves, sticks and stones.
- Explore photographs of themselves and their families.

Expressive Art and Design

- Enjoys painting and drawing
- Joins in with songs, rhymes, movement and pretend play
- Build models using construction resources.
- Draw freely and talk about their marks.



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