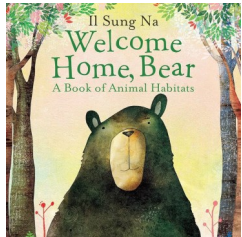


WB 29th January 2024

This week we are moving on to learn about animal habitats. Which animals live where? To support our theme, we will be reading the story Welcome Home Bear by Il Sung Na.

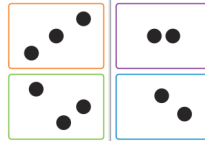


Bear decides he wants to love in another habitat but after visiting a few, decides he is just where he needs to be!

Please see the reverse of this letter for our next stay and play session on the 14th February.



In maths we have been looking at numbers 1,2 and 3 using Numberblocks characters. The children enjoy watching these short episodes (found on BBC iPlayer or Amazon Prime) and then practising the concept afterwards with blocks and games. There are also toys and wipe clean books that you can purchase too.



We have been practising 'subitising', that is, recognising how many things are in a group without counting them. We can use dice patterns to help or just a random arrangement of items up to 5. We are starting with up to 3 items.

Our topic is: Animals



Please ensure each child has a small drawstring bag of spare clothes that they can keep on their pegs in case of accidents. They do not need to bring these home every day. Children should also have a **bookbag** to take home their books and letters each day.

Please, no backpacks.



Snack is provided at nursery so no food in bags—thank you.

Jewellery

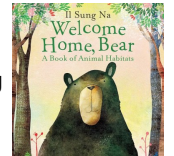
Hooped earrings are not permitted to be worn at school as they are a safety risk. If a child's earring gets caught, this could cause serious injury to their ear. Please change to a stud-style earring. Thank you



Monday—Literacy

Reading our new story,

Welcome Home, Bear by Il Sung Na, focusing on animal habitats.



Tuesday—Maths

One, Two Three! Counting, ordering and comparing numbers to 3.



Wednesday—Literacy

Continuing our learning on animal habitats.

11am—Join us for Shared Reading.

Thursday—Outdoor Learning

Outdoor Learning

Please bring named wellies in a bag, thank you .

Friday

Multi Skills—practising balancing and throwing and catching.



Hillside Primary School Nursery Stay and Play

Wednesday 14th February 2024
10.30am

Drop your child off at the
usual time of 8.30am and
return at 10.30am.