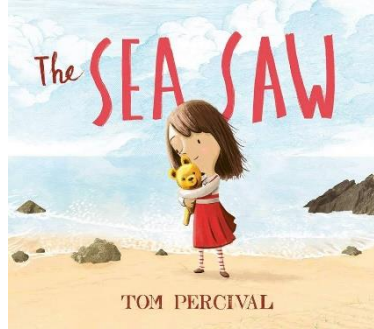


Personal, Social and Emotional

We will be following the Jigsaw scheme of work focusing on 'Changing Me'. Our Five Ways to Well Being theme is continuing on from last term: 'Be Active'. This will include the values Resilience, Sportsmanship and Teamwork.



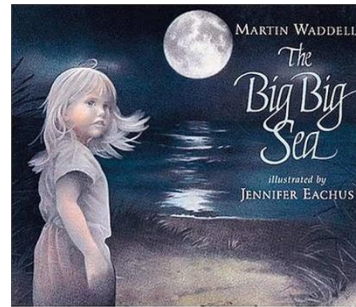
Communication and Language

Using our term stories, we will talk about the plot and the main characters, and think about their feelings, actions and motives. We will also make links from the events in the stories to our own experiences. We will continue to develop our language skills and confidence through circle time and role play.

Writing

We will be starting this term by reading *The Sea Saw* by Tom Percival. Following this, we will read 'The Big Big Sea' by Martin Waddell. We will continue to develop our sentence writing skills, using our grapheme knowledge from our Little Wandle phonic lessons. We will use capital letters, finger spaces, full stops and memorise our sentences before writing them. We will also re-read our sentences to make sure they make sense. We will be writing sentences based on the books we have read.

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Physical Development

This term our PE focus will be 'Games'. We will be learning how to build our strength, agility and co-ordination through running, jumping and throwing. We will be learning how to work co-operatively and follow rules with a partner and as part of a team. We will also be preparing for Sports Day through games and activities. We will continue to practise our FMS within our provision including cutting and using a range of small tools.

Mathematics

The children will continue to explore doubling and halving and how quantities can be shared equally. We will practise adding and subtracting and problem solving. We will be using a variety of resources such as ten frames, objects in the class and pictures. We will also practise verbally counting forwards and backwards and play a variety of counting games. We will continue to develop our reasoning skills and use sentence stems e.g. "I know that...because..."

Understanding the World

The children will continue to explore their immediate environment and learn any new vocabulary associated with it. We will be looking at similarities and differences between different religious and cultural communities in this country and use maps to look at life in this country and life in other countries. We will continue to make observations of the school grounds and draw any changes since last term that we observe.

Expressive Arts and Design

This term the children will use a range of materials to create collages. We will draw and paint pictures with increasing detail and considering the shape and size of equipment needed. We will continue to build on our colour-mixing skills and explore using different tools and techniques. We will work both collaboratively and independently talking about our creations and how we made them. We will continue with drawing club as we learn to draw different things with step-by-step instructions.