

Literacy

We will be

- Learning to retell the story of Lost and Found.
- Finding out about Penguins.

Mathematical Development

- Comparing groups of objects.
- Combining two groups to find the whole.
- Understanding about length, height and distance.
- Using the language 'more, less'.

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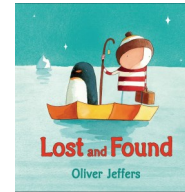
- Discussing what it means to be a good friend.
- Exploring different feelings and emotions.
- Knowing what to do if we are worried or scared.

Knowledge and Understanding of the World.

- Exploring ice and why it melts.
- Finding out about polar regions and explorers.



EYFS Spring 1 Curriculum Bulletin Wonderful Winter



Welcome back! We hope you had a lovely Christmas break. Happy New Year to you all. We are looking forward to another exciting term. This Term our theme is "Wonderful Winter" where we will explore habitats in the Polar Regions and find out about some of the animals that live there.

Important Information:

Please make sure

- All clothing is clearly named
- Your child has a warm waterproof coat, a warm hat, PE kit and a pair of wellies in school.
- Please let us know if someone different is collecting your child.

Phonics

- The children will be learning to blend to read e.g. d-o-g dog and segmenting a word to spell (sounding the word out on their fingers).
- Learning to read words we can't sound out e.g. the, to, no, go, into, you, he, she, we, me, was.
- Learning to read and write simple captions e.g. *a nap in a cot* or *run to the den*.

Physical Development

We will be

- Continuing to develop fine and gross motor skills.
- Forming letters correctly.
- Taking part in dance on a Monday and P.E. on a Tuesday (Mrs Nicholls class)/ Friday (Mrs Lyons' Class).
- Continuing to work independently, in pairs and in small groups.
- The children will learn how to throw and catch a variety of different sized and shaped objects including balls, quoits, and beanbags.

Creative development

We will be

- Penguin inspired art work.
- Drawing penguins.
- Using large boxes to help us imagine that we are rowing a boat in the roleplay area.
- Sculpt and make a clay penguin.
- Used mixed media to create a winter scene.