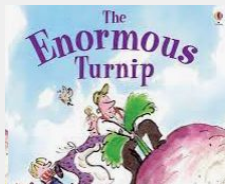


Communication and Language, Literacy

Key texts: **The Enormous Turnip**

This half term we will be focusing on the story 'The enormous turnip'. We will be learning to imitate the story using a text map. We will also learn how to innovate our story by changing the characters and the vegetable. We will then retell the new version of the story. We will continue to practise writing short sentences independently. There will be a focus on saying what we want to write and orally rehearsing this, before we write independently.

Children will continue to use their sound knowledge to blend their letters together, They will begin to hold a sentence and write it down independently. They will carefully learn to develop their letter formation and form these accurately.



Expressive Arts and Design

We will be getting crafty by using our creative skills, We will design our very own faith cards. Children will safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design and texture. They will make their own costumes for our Chicken Licken performance. We will perform songs, rhymes, poems and stories with others and learning to move in time to the music.



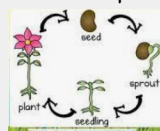
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Value: Positivity

Mead Open Farm trip 8th March 2024

Understanding the World

This half term we will understand the effect of changing seasons on the world around us. We will be observing signs of spring. We will talk about parts of a flowering plant and understand the key features of its life cycle. We will also look at the life cycle of an animal. We will learn that people have different beliefs and celebrate special times in different ways



Physical Development

This half term we will be learning to develop our ball skills. We will learn skills on how to send and receive a ball. We will learn how to keep an eye on the ball and develop a good ready position to receive it. We will learn a backswing to send a ball with good accuracy and weight. The children will work on reacting and moving quickly by moving their feet to get to the ball rather than stretching.



Maths

In maths we will be looking at the numbers 9 and 10. Children will match verbal number names to numerals and quantities. Children will learn their bonds to 10 and recognise how to represent these using 10 frames, part part whole models and using other mathematical resources. We will be learning our doubles to 10 and exploring our odd and even numbers. The children will continue to develop their knowledge of 1 more and 1 less.

Children will learn their 3D shapes, find 2D shapes within 3D shapes and look for these in their environment. We will look at patterns and learn how to create our own.



Personal, Social and Emotional Development



This half term we will learn ways on keeping our bodies healthy. We will learn how moving and resting is important for our bodies. We will look at making healthy food choices and understand the importance of sleep for our bodies.

