



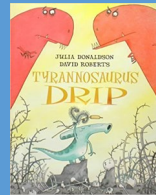
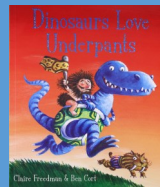
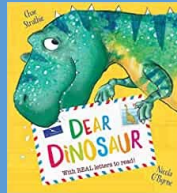
# Curriculum Letter Spring 1st Half 2022

## Dinosaur ROAR!



We are going to be learning about Dinosaurs this term.

Our reading texts this term are Dinosaur Fact books, Dear Dinosaur by Chae Strathie, Dinosaurs Love Underpants by Claire Freedman and Tyrannosaurus Drip by Julia Donaldson .



### Vocabulary

Letter

Facts

Dinosaurs

### Talking Top Tip!

To talk about what their favourite part of their day was. What was your favourite part of today? Why?



We will be learning:

- To hear all the sounds in words, including digraphs, and to use these when we write.
- To continue using our phonic sounds to break words down and blend when reading and writing.
- To understand how to research information about dinosaurs.



Autumn

Winter

Spring

Summer



To understand why we celebrate pancake day (March 1st) and why Chinese New Year ( 1st February) is celebrated.



## Physical Development- Gross and Fine Motor Skills

### Funky Finger Activities



### Dough Disco

#### We will be learning:

- To understand the safety rules for gymnastics and why they are important.
- To move in different ways under, over, around and through balancing and climbing equipment.

## Expressive Arts

#### We will be learning:

- To develop the technique of paper tearing and to use this to create collages.
- To distinguish between loud and quiet sounds when listening to and playing instruments.
- To create their own dinosaur composition.



## Mathematics

#### We will be learning:

- To count backwards to number 0.
- To compare different amounts with 0.
- To order, name and count 1-10.
- To subitise numbers and know that numbers are made up of smaller numbers.



## Understanding the World

#### We will be learning :

- To talk about the similarities and differences between dinosaurs.
- To understand where dinosaurs lived.
- What dinosaurs like to eat.
- To investigate what makes ice melt.



## Literacy- Phonics

#### We will be learning:

- To continue to practise new Super Power words.
- To name some Phase 3 phonemes e.g. j, v, w, y, z, ch, sh, th, qu
- To segment and blend sounds together to form simple words when reading e.g s-a-t, p-a-t



## Reminders

#### Please remember:

- To read with your child and sign their diary.
- To practise their keywords and letter formation.
- Your child's PE kit and plimsolls.
- To only date one star for each day that you read/share stories.
- You will be able to share and see observations of your child on the Evidence App from the 17th January.

