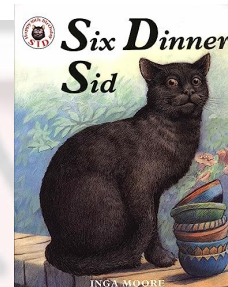
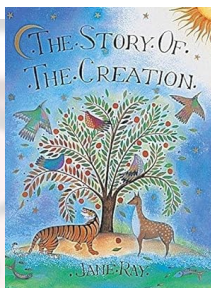


Literacy

We will be exploring The Story of Creation at the start of the term to support our learning in Religious Education. The book is by author Jane Ray and has beautiful illustrations telling the story of the creation of the world.

We will then move onto the text Six Dinner Sid which is a great story about a cheeky cat. We will be exploring the trick Sid plays on the neighbours from Aristotle Street.

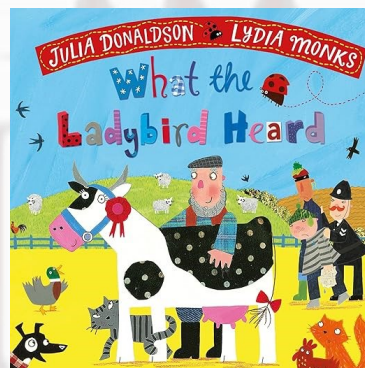
In weeks 4 and 5 we will be reading the wonderful story What the Ladybird Heard by Julia Donaldson. We will be enjoying the rhyming story and link Hefty Hugh and Lanky Len's map to steal the cow to our own work on maps in geography.



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Mathematics

In maths this term we will be focussing on number. We will be comparing quantities of objects of different sizes and avoiding misconceptions regarding size and quantity. We will be looking at ordinal numbers and using appropriate mathematical vocabulary to discuss these numbers. We will be recalling number bonds to 5 and moving on to look at number bonds to 10 and learning about the relationship between these numbers. We will be doubling numbers and recognising doubles and non doubles in different ways such as on butterfly wings and on ladybirds.

Personal and Social Development

In PSHE this term will be exploring relationships. We will be thinking about what makes a good friend and talking about resolving conflict between friends. We will be exploring these topics through stories and role play and allowing the children to talk about their feelings and ways they could solve some of the issues raised in the stories.

Expressive Art and Design

This term we will be exploring 3D maps in our design and technology. We will be bringing together our learning in other areas to investigate our local area and then use this information to create a 3D map of the area. We will be learning different techniques to attach different materials to our map to create buildings and foliage found in the local area.

Religious Education

In RE this term we will be finding out about the Creation Story and this will be strengthened by using this story as one of our texts in literacy at the start of term.

We will be finding out more about Christianity and exploring how God impacts and influences the lives of Christians.

Understanding the World

In science this term we will be exploring forces. We start the term looking at how cars travel down ramps and the use of different surfaces and gradients of the slopes on the cars speed. We will then look at how objects can travel through water and using the power of the wind to move. We will then look briefly at the Earth, Moon, planets and sun.

In geography we will be exploring maps. The children will look at maps of our school and the local area. We will be making our own maps and discussing the features of different kinds of maps.

Physical Development

This term we will be joined in our PE lessons by JJB coaching. We will be covering movement skills with the coach during our sessions. On Monday the children will be doing Balanceability with Mrs Phillips. They will have sessions using balance bikes outside which is great fun.

The children can come to school in their PE kits on Mondays and Thursdays during the Summer term.