



Spring 1 Newsletter

Spring to Life!

Predictable Interests & Themes



Dental Hygiene

New Beginnings

Signs of Spring

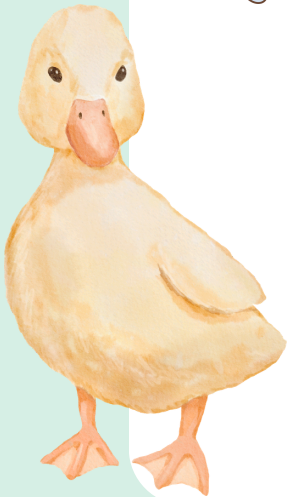
Growing & Planting

Life Cycles: Ducks & frogs

Weather Changes

Mini Beasts

Ramadan



Phonics

Week 1 review Phase 3: ai ee igh oa oo
ar or ur oo ow oi ear Review all
taught so far Secure spelling

Week 2 review Phase 3: er air words
with double letters longer words

Week 3 words with two or more
digraphs

Week 4 longer words words ending in
-ing compound words

Week 5 longer words words with s in
the middle /z/ s words ending -s
words with -es at end /z

After School Activities - EYFS

Gymnastics every
Wednesday 3.30-4pm

Upcoming Events:

Duckling Hatching 3rd March
World Book Day 5th March
Red Nose Day 20th March
Smithills Farm Trip 24th March
Easter Bingo 25th March
Eid Party 27th March

What are we Reading?

Jack and the Beanstalk
The Ugly Duckling
Guess How Much I love
You
Tadpoles Promise
Superworm
The Easter Story

Reading at Home

Reading daily with your child helps build their confidence,
improve fluency, and develop a lifelong love of books.
Just 10 minutes a day can make a big difference!



Maths

Know that the last number reached when counting a small set of objects tells you how many there are in total ('cardinal principle').

Count objects, actions and sounds.

Link the number symbol (numeral) with its cardinal number value.

Count beyond ten.

Compare numbers - linked to 7 & 8.

Understand the 'one more than/one less than' relationship between consecutive numbers - linked to 7 & 8

Automatically recall number bonds for numbers 0 to 5

Have a deep understanding of number to 10, including the composition of each number

Verbally count beyond 20, recognising the pattern of the counting system Comparing quantities up to 10 in different contexts, recognizing then one quantity is greater than, less than or the same as another quantity

Subitise up to 5

Automatically recall number bonds up to 5

Explore and represent patterns within numbers up to 10, including odds, double facts and how quantities can be distributed equally.



Adventure Thursdays:

Sainsburys trip to explore & buy mushrooms & Mushroom Foraging in Forest School

Spring Walk - Noticing the Signs Of Spring

Easter - Church Visit

Eid Celebrations!

