



Redhill Nursery Fortnightly Update

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Assistant Headteacher

We are pleased to announce the appointment of our new Assistant Headteacher, who will be working across both of our primary schools. Miss Farmer has been a valued member of staff at Redhill for over 20 years, serving as a Reception teacher and EYFS Lead. She brings with her a wealth of experience, dedication, and expertise, and we are very much looking forward to the positive impact she will continue to make in her new role.

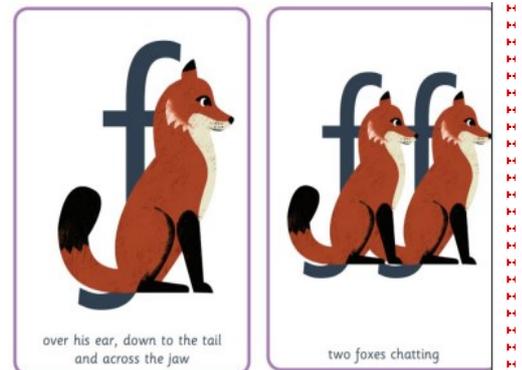
Literacy Focus

Next week, we will continue our Nursery rhymes topic and then move on to our Spring theme where we will focus on Life cycles. We will look at non-fiction books and research the internet to find out about the life cycle of duck and other lifecycles. We will discuss the features of a non-fiction book and represent the facts we find out in different ways such as a book or poster. We will also sing the Nursery rhyme 'Little Peter Rabbit has a fly upon his nose' ready for our Easter activities in the last week of term.

Phonics Focus

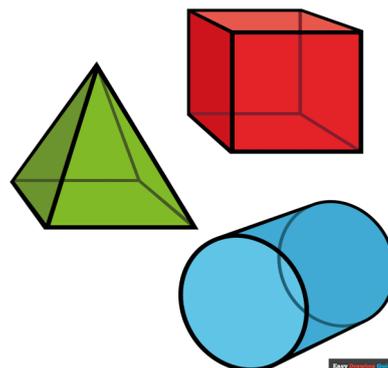
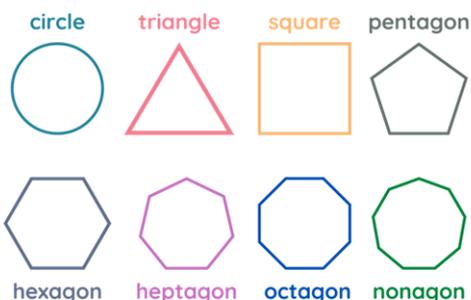
Nursery 1— The children will focus on listening games and identifying different environmental sounds including animal sounds.

Nursery 2— We will focus on hearing and saying the initial sound 'f' and the end sound 'ff'. We will play listening games and sort objects into the correct letter sounds. We will find words and objects in the environment that begin with the sound 'f' and find words that end with 'ff'. We will also use our robot arms to sound out words such as 'fan', 'fit', 'puff' and 'huff'.



Maths Focus

In maths, we will be focusing on geometry. We will explore 2D shapes and their properties. We will go on a shape hunt and find shapes in the environment. The children will create shape pictures and look at how they fit together. We will also identify some basic 3D shapes.



Clothing

Please do ensure all your child's belongings are labelled with their name. If they are not labelled, it is hard for us to locate your child's item of clothing. Please can I also ask that you check the labels in your child's clothing to ensure it is theirs.

Thank you for your support with this.

Reminders

PE – Monday pm and Thursday am

Please ensure your child is dressed in PE kit

Welly Walk – Tuesday am

Please ensure your child comes into Nursery dressed for Welly Walk in a waterproof suit and wellies. Please can you also ensure the suit and wellies are named.

Show and Tell

Please check your child's reading record for their day to bring show and tell.

We are looking for...

- Old kitchen pots / pans / utensils that we can use in our mud kitchen.
- Old plant pots for when we begin our planting in the garden.
- Old bits of material that you don't want anymore for different textures.
- Any jigsaws you no longer need (with all the pieces please), in particular any peg jigsaws.
- Old handbags.

If you have any of these items that you no longer want or need, then please bring them in for us to

