



Weston Mill Community Primary Academy

Nursery Autumn Term 2 Curriculum Newsletter

This half term our learning journey will explore: Woodland Explorers

Our Big Question is: What's in the wood?

Our Destination will be: To go on a bear hunt in the school grounds

What we will be learning:

The children will be using their senses to explore the world around them and natural materials. They will be identifying, observing and creating their own woodland creatures.

Trips and Rich Experiences:

We will be visiting Ham Woods to experience the woodland and collect natural materials. The children will be very busy learning songs ready for our Nativity performance.

Key Dates: Details of events to follow

Our class trips to Ham woods will be in the week beginning 14.11.22

Our Nativity performances will be in the week beginning 5.12.22

Join us for Christmas Fun on Tuesday 13th December at 2pm

How can you support your child at home? Please support your child to;

- Learn to take their shoes and socks off and put them back on (for PE sessions)
- Practise listening skills, play games and learning words stop and go
- Use a knife and fork to eat their meals
- Enjoy fine motor activities such as playdough, using tweezers and scissors

Things to do	Things to read	Things to watch
<p>Go on a bear hunt and walk in the woods</p> <p>Draw a picture of your favourite woodland creature</p> <p>Find your favourite stick and make a puppet</p> <p>Please see attached sheet for other ideas!</p>	<p>'Alfie's Feet' by Shirley Hughes</p> <p>'The Gruffalo' by Julia Donaldson</p> <p>'Goldilocks and the 3 Bears'</p>	<p>Numberblocks</p> <p>BBC iPlayer - Numberblocks</p> <p>BBC school radio nursery rhymes</p> <p>Nursery Rhymes and Songs - BBC Teach</p>

Reminders

- **If you haven't already done so, please return the Tapestry Parent Permission slips so we can activate your link to your child's account. Please let us know if you can not access your child's learning journey. We will put 1-2 observations a week for your to view**
- Make sure you bring a coat to school everyday
- Bring a pair of named welly boots to school to splash in the puddles
- Please label all your belongings
- No earrings at school please
- Please bring a spare change of clothes to school everyday including pants