

Foundation Spring 2 Overview

This term our topic is '*Stomp and Roar*' where we will be learning about dinosaurs! We will begin the topic by exploring a variety of adjectives to describe different dinosaurs and begin putting these into simple sentences using our growing sounds knowledge. As the topic progresses, we will begin learning exciting facts about dinosaurs and work up to creating our own non-fiction pages about a dinosaur of our choice. We will be learning words such as 'carnivore', 'herbivore', 'omnivore', 'powerful' and 'ferocious'. We will also be linking dinosaurs from the past with woodland animals that we have today, using our prior learning. Which woodland animals are carnivores? Which are herbivores? Which are omnivores?

Some of the texts we will be reading this term are:

If I had a dinosaur

Dinosaur Farm

Dinosaur sleepover

Dear Dinosaur

What happened to the dinosaurs? (non-fiction)

Harry and the Dinosaurs

Maths

After learning and exploring about numbers one to eight last term, we will be comparing and subitising numbers to ten and investigating different ways of building number bonds to ten. We will also be comparing and describing different lengths and heights and then ordering and sequencing simple events. We will be recognising and naming 3-D shapes, then revisiting making and copying patterns.

Phonics

In Phonics this term we will continue to focus on blending sounds together to read green words. We will carry on revising our single sounds and learning special friends sounds as well as blending words with three or four sounds e.g. frog, flat, lots, stop. Please continue to practice sounds and blending at home. Your support makes all the difference.

