

Learning in Reception – Spring Term 2



Termly Themes

Dinosaurs
African animals



Special Events

Pancake Day Mother's Day
Easter 1st School Trip

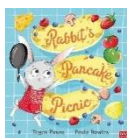


School Value

Truthfulness
Individual Liberty



Weekly Drawing Club Texts & Vocabulary



Batter
Recipe
Mixture
Scrumptious
Dreadful
Sprinkled
Flip



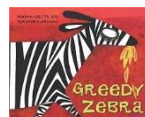
Skeleton
Palaeontologist
Extinct
Chisels & digs
Ammonite
Museum
Fossils



Herbivore
Carnivore
Omnivore
Crest
Plates
Erupting volcano
Colossal



Lazy
Fluffy mane
Golden fur
Pride
African plains
Carnivore



Trotted
Mane
Hooves
Camouflaged
Munching
Savannah
Herbivore



Phonics

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Review Phase 2 and 3

Harder to Read & Spell Words

ball tall when what said so have
were out like some come there



Amazing Artists

Focus artist: Andy Goldsworthy
(British Sculptor and Photographer)

Using natural objects to create spirals
(stones, pebbles, conkers, acorns)

Using pebbles to make towers



Maths



Time – day and night, days of the week, sequencing events

Finding, comparing and representing 9 & 10

Subitising to 10

1 more/ less to 10

Composition to 10

Making arrangements of 10

Bonds to 10 using 2 and 3 parts

Doubles to 10



Discovery Detectives – (History, Geography, Science)

Spring – signs of spring – changes in weather and temperature, new life – buds, flowers and leaves, chicks, lambs

Dinosaurs – what they looked like - features and characteristics – crests, plates, wings, legs, tails, what they ate - herbivore, carnivore, omnivore, what happened to them – extinct, bones, fossil, palaeontologists

African Animals – where Africa is on the globe, what it is like there, features and characteristics of the African animals camouflage, what they eat, similarities and differences

Celebrations – Pancake Day & Easter – around the world, what do the children in our class celebrate with their families, similarities and differences



Welly Wednesday – Ready, Steady, Grow!

Spring flowers – identifying flowers such as daffodils, snowdrops, bluebells, tulips

Parts of flowers – seeds, bulbs, roots, leaves, stems, petals, flowers

Plant life-cycles and what plants need to grow

Planting seeds and bulbs



Music

Sing with expression.

Hear, draw and sing melody shapes.



PE – Ball Skills

Develop and apply sending, receiving, reaction and response skills using beanbags and balls



RE – Salvation

Why is a palm cross a special reminder for Christians?
What happened on Good Friday and Easter Sunday?

How do Christians celebrate Easter?



Heartsmart – Team Boris

I tell the truth
Kind and unkind words
True and untrue words
Being kind and encouraging to others