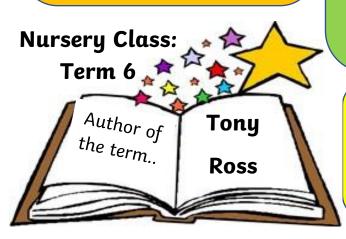


We will continue to build the muscles in our hands with our funky finger activities and look more closely at the shapes we use to form letters; with those who are ready practising some of those letters included in their name, so they can mark their work — ready for heading into Reception. We will look at pressure, control and grip.



'Amazing Animals'

In Maths, we will be looking at recognising numbers 1-10 so we can match numerals to amounts. We will continue to work on counting with 1:1 correspondence and explore how to make numbers in various ways. We will work on counting out amounts and practise knowing when to stop.

We will also be introduced to addition this term.



In our phonics and mark-making learning we will be focussing on identifying initial sounds of words and how we represent these sounds using letters. We will be playing some games from the Little Wandle phonics scheme, used in Reception, to be able to hear the sounds in words and linking words that start with the same initial sound. We will also learn some of the special rhymes for how to form letters. As we build these pre-writing skills we will continue to practise representing our ideas in drawings by combining shapes and lines.

This term will be learning about animals and their habitats including those in the jungle and ocean/seaside. We will talk about their features, identifying similarities and differences and how their features make them suitable for their environments.

As the sunny weather approaches and we get to spend more time exploring our outside area and taking trips to the school field, we will practise taking part in some relay races, experimenting with different pieces of sports equipment. We will be focussing on working as a team in PE, practising alongside others for their annual sports day. We will also cover how we stay safe in the sun and look at building indepdence in our toileting and dressing ready for school.

We will be thinking about the changes we have gone through this year at Nursery and how we have grown. We will recall important celebrations, experiences and traditions that are important to us and the things we've learnt to do this year.

