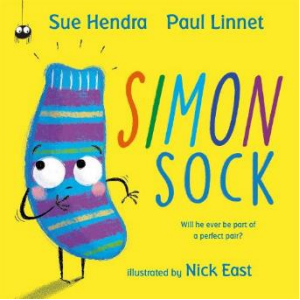
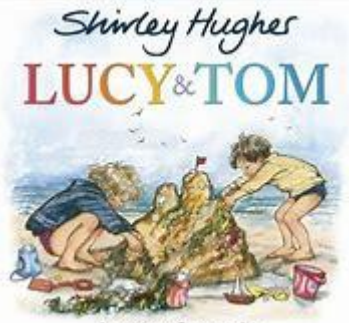



Early Years Weekly Overview

Dear Nursery,
Every Monday, you will see the weekly overview that sets out our learning for the week on the learning section of our school website. Should you have any questions or if you need any further guidance, please email the Nursery team nursery@alexandra.hounslow.sch.uk.
Thank you, The Nursery Team.

This half term our topic is: Sea Creatures

This week we are focusing on: Lucy and Tom at the Seaside

Personal, Social and Emotional development	Communication and Language	Physical Development
<p>This week we are thinking about transition. We will talk about the changes that are coming soon. The children will be encouraged to talk about how they are feeling.</p> <p>We will also be talking about how we are all different using this story as a prompt.</p> 	<p>This week we will be focussing on</p>  <p>At the Seaside</p> <p>This week we will reading the story Lucy and Tom at the seaside. You can listen the story by clicking here: Lucy & Tom At The Seaside. - Bing video</p> <p>This week's key vocabulary</p> <p>Seaside, picnic, sandcastle, turret, paddling, swimming</p>	<p>This week the children will have lots of opportunities for the children to write their name in lots of exciting ways. They will even be able to write their name in the sand, just like Lucy and Tom in our story this week.</p> 
Literacy	Maths	Topic/Reading
<p>When reading stories with the children this week we will focus on a range of skills:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Acquiring story book language such as character names and main plot events. - Retelling the story using vocabulary from the look. 	<p>This week we will be focusing on problem solving. This will happen in lots of different contexts through out the nursery setting.</p> <p>At home you could involve your children in everyday mathematical problems.</p>	<p>Do you have any story books at home or from the library that are set at the beach or under the sea? Joining your library Joining your library London Borough of Hounslow</p> <p>If your child has a favourite story we love to hear about it. You can email us at nursery@alexandra.hounslow.sch.uk</p>



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Phonics

This week our focus is on hearing the sounds in words. We will use a selection of summer themed objects and ask the children to listen the sounds and find the object. E.g. Can you find the h-a-t? Can you find the s-u-n?

If you would like more support on teaching phonics here are the links to our website:

Video:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=VdNI75_ZvOY&feature=youtu.be

Guidance:

https://www.alexandra.hounslow.sch.uk/images/uploads/pdfs/Nursery_PHASE_1.pdf

For example,

Can you the table for 4 people. If they only have 3 forks you can ask “What do we need to do?”

Can you share the biscuits out so that you both the same?

Who has the most peas left on their plate?

We will also focus on the concept of when something is taken away the amount decreases.

What will happen when one melts away?



Time to Talk

You may ask your child what they have done at Nursery and they might be unable to tell you. By asking them a more specific question, it will support them to respond. Each week we will offer a suggestion of a topic to talk about with your child.

Ask your child...

Tell me about a song you sang.

Can you tell me something that begins with ...?

Tell me about Lucy and Tom, what do they do at the seaside?

How do you feel about moving to Reception?