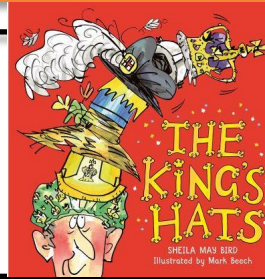
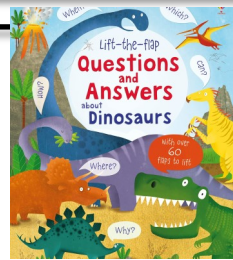
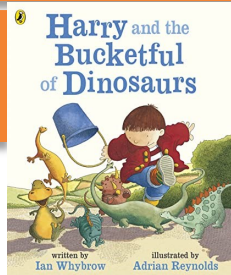


Long Ago.... —Reception—Term 5

Interesting Books



King Charles III's Coronation

- A coronation is a ceremony to **crown** a new king or queen.
- King Charles III will be crowned on **Saturday 6th May 2023**.
- His wife Camilla will be crowned **Queen** on the same day.
- The coronation will be at **Westminster Abbey**.
- The King will hold the **Crown Jewels** and wear the St Edward's **Crown** after making a **Coronation Oath**.
- The ceremony will be led by the **Archbishop of Canterbury**.
- A concert and a light show will be held at **Windsor Castle** the next day.
- People might have street parties as part of the **Coronation Big Lunch**.

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Find out about the last Coronation.

Do any family or friends have stories, photos or souvenirs from the last Coronation?

Fill a time capsule with items from this year and coronation celebrations. Bury it to be dug up at a later date!!

Subject Specific Vocabulary

scales	Any thin, flat piece that flakes off skin or another surface.
carnivore	An animal that mostly eats other animals.
herbivore	An animal that mostly eats plants.
Dinosaur	Prehistoric, diverse group of reptiles.
Tyrannosaurus	A very large carnivorous dinosaur, with powerful jaws and small clawlike front legs.
coronation	The ceremony for crowning a king or queen.
royals	A member of the monarchy.

Communication and Language

Show and Tell. Make comments about what they have heard and ask questions to clarify their understanding.

Poetry Basket. Learn simple poems and remember/recite them to an audience. Use recently introduced vocabulary.

PSED—Personal, social and emotional development

Healthy Me - Manage their own basic hygiene and personal needs, including dressing and understanding the importance of healthy food choices. Oral hygiene will also be promoted during the next 2 terms.

Physical Development

Orienteering—to develop map reading and decision making skills.

Real PE— Ball Skills- Sending & Receiving; Reacting and Response.

Forest School—Activities will help to improve a child’s fine and gross motor skills. Outdoor activities can also focus on a variety of other physical skills such as balancing, climbing and sensory skills.

Understanding the World

Children will understand the past through settings, characters and events encountered in books read in class and story telling. Children will also learn the differences/similarities between things in the past. This will be embedded through a visit to the **local museum** and learn more about Kings and Queens from the past. Children will also explore the natural world around them making observations and drawing pictures of animals and this is enhanced with a school **Reptile Roadshow**.

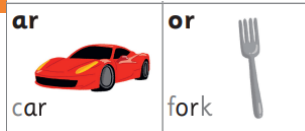
Expressive Art and Design

The children will continue with Mrs Leat’s music lesson on a Wednesday where they will learn to use other percussion and a wide range of songs.

Term 4 Rocket

Phonics

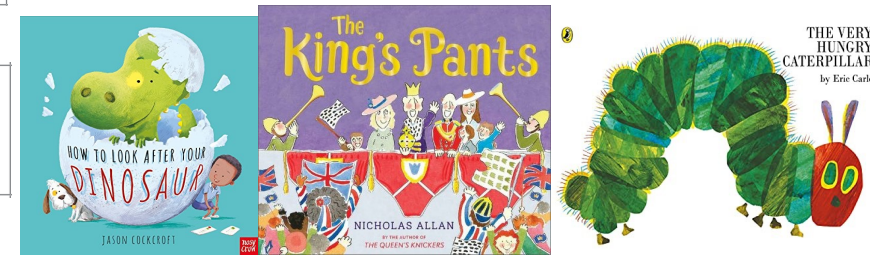
Look out in the home challenge book for word ladders. They are also on the web-site.



Literacy

We will continue to share a virtual book through Rocket Phonics login that supports learning of the taught letter sounds. Children will also bring home their own guided book. The weekly home challenge books give you access to do additional reading/writing practice should you so wish.

We continue to promote Reading for Pleasure, enjoying daily class storytime. We will explore the theme of ‘Long ago...’ through the stories below. The children will write for different purposes such as information report, letters and story telling.



Numeracy

Through our Mastering Number sessions our children will consolidate their counting skills, counting to larger numbers and developing a wider range of counting strategies. They will secure knowledge of number facts through varied practice.

Pupils will:

- Sort odd and even numbers according to their shape
- continue to develop their counting skills, counting larger sets as well as counting actions and sounds
- Build on previous work on the composition of numbers to 10.