



What we are learning this term

ELIZABETH CLASS

SPRING 2023

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Communication and Language

This term in Elizabeth Class we will be learning to listen to and retell longer stories and we will be learning new songs and rhymes. We will consider expanding our vocabulary through our learning.

Physical Development

Gross Motor development - PE – Bikes and Scooters and ball skills
Fine motor development - Busy Fingers, scissor skills, dough disco.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Jigsaw:
Dreams and Goals / Healthy Me

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We will be exploring Christianity through the question "What is the Good News that Jesus brings?" We will be sharing Jesus' parables and learning how He taught people to think hard about doing good to please God. We will also be learning about the Easter Story and thinking about the question "Why is Easter important to Christians". And, of course, we will be talking about pancake day – Shrove Tuesday – and Lent.

Literacy/Phonics

Elizabeth Class will be continuing our phonics journey using Read, Write Inc. We will be learning sounds as well as how to segment and blend through Fred games. Our Literacy will focus on Whatever Next and The Very Hungry Caterpillar. We will be retelling and sequencing stories and beginning to write simple words.

Maths

Our mathematics will focus on shape, measure, number patterns and time.

Understanding the World

We will be discussing the need to care for the natural environment and all living things and we will learn about plant and animal lifecycles. We will also be looking at the changing seasons.

Expressive Arts and Design

Elizabeth Class will be exploring colour and the use of dots and lines to create images by comparing the styles of Roy Lichtenstein and Claude Monet.

Values

The first half term is **PERSEVERANCE**.
The second is **FORGIVENESS**.

