

Damselflies Medium Term Planning

Treverbyn Academy – Trailblazers Nursery

Spring Term 2 2024

Where will we explore?



	Week: 1	Week: 2	Week: 3	Week: 4	Week: 5	Week 6
	Week beginning: 19.02.24	Week beginning: 26.02.24	Week beginning: 4.03.24	Week beginning: 11.03.24	Week beginning: 18.03.24	Week Beginning: 25.03.24
THEMES — THESE MAY BE ADAPTED TO FOLLOW THE CHILDREN'S INTEREST'S	Where will we explore? Down in the Jungle Dinosaur World On The Farm Plant a Seed Easter	Where will we explore? Down in the Jungle Dinosaur World On The Farm Plant a Seed Easter	Where will we explore? Down in the Jungle Dinosaur World On The Farm Plant a Seed Easter	Where will we explore? Down in the Jungle Dinosaur World On The Farm Plant a Seed Easter	Where will we explore? Down in the Jungle Dinosaur World On The Farm Plant a Seed Easter	Where will we explore? Down in the Jungle Dinosaur World On The Farm Plant a Seed Easter
Focus Books	10 Little Dinosaurs	1,2,3 Do the Dinosaur Roar	Goldilocks and The Three Bears	Dear Zoo	Chicken Licken	That's not my Chick
Key Dates		Sun 3 rd World Wildlife Day 1 st March Plant a Sunflower for World Down Syndrome	Tuesday 5 th March – St Pirans Day Fri 8 th March Ramadan	8 th - 17 th March British Science Week 15 th March Red Nose Day	Sun 17 th March St Patricks Day 21 st March – World Down Syndrome Day	Fri 29 th March Easter

Communication and Language	Story Time WellComm Singing Key Vocab Nursery Rhymes Early Words Together - parent/child	Storytime Wellcomm Singing Key Vocab Nursery Rhymes Early Words Together - parent/child				
	New starters – All about me, How do we make someone	New starters – All about me, How do we make	Can they tell you what happens next in the story / role	Bring a picture of your pet to nursery – draw	Look at our Sunflowers – talk about what has	Understanding Easter celebrations Eggs, celebrate, chicks,
	feel welcome?	someone feel welcome?	play with the bears. Three, bear, too	your pet and discuss what it is,	changed. What makes us	bunnies
	How big is a dinosaur footprint? Egg / Dinosaur / brush / rock /	How big is your footprint? Whose footprints are	hot, too cold, just right. Mothers Day –	what is your pets name?	different?	Easter Egg Hunt – follow simple instructions / counting
		these (Wildlife animals)	Making cards and communicate ideas / make			
	Name Objects	Name Objects	choices	Name Objects		Name Objects Understanding of
	Understanding of longer instructions – can you find your coat?	Understanding of longer instructions – can you find your coat?	St Pirans Day Celbrations – Watch Video	Understanding of longer instructions – can you find your coat?	Name Objects Understanding of longer instructions – can you find your coat?	longer instructions – can you find your coat?
Physical Development	Construction Play Bikes and Scooters Mark making Dough Disco	Construction Play Bikes and Scooters Mark making Dough Disco	Construction Play Bikes and Scooters Mark making Dough Disco	Construction Play Bikes and Scooters Mark making Dough Disco	Construction Play Bikes and Scooters Mark making Dough Disco	Construction Play Bikes and Scooters Mark making Dough Disco
	Forest School – Make Footprints to hide and do a dinosaur Hunt in the woods	Forest School –	Do a Cornish parade around the	Simon says act like a monkey, an		Nature Walks

	Paint feet and stomp onto paper outside to make footprints / make footprints in the mud!	Create a dinosaur swamp outside – what do we need? Plant a Sunflower Fossils in Sand tray – using fine motor skills to hold paint brushes and discover the fossils	field with flags with Dragonflies Room	elephant or a bird / copy actions	Soft Play – taking risks – building with larger objects	
Personal, Social and Emotional	Getting to know routines / Keeping safe and following simple safety instructions Meditation / Yoga / Music	Getting to know routines / Keeping safe and following simple safety instructions Meditation / Yoga / Music	Getting to know routines / Keeping safe and following simple safety instructions Meditation / Yoga / Music	Getting to know routines / Keeping safe and following simple safety instructions Meditation / Yoga / Music	Getting to know routines / Keeping safe and following simple safety instructions Meditation / Yoga / Music	Getting to know routines / Keeping safe and following simple safety instructions Meditation / Yoga / Music
	'Exploring Elephant' Working together to spot and follow footprints. Team work, who is the leader? Following simple instructions / staying safe – stop, go, come back	'Exploring Elephant' Can you brush the dinosaur's big teeth? Following simple instructions / staying safe – stop, go, come back	'Exploring Elephant' Team parade for St Pirans Day – togetherness – being part of a group Following simple instructions / staying safe – stop, go, come back	'Exploring Elephant' Working on our own ideas, our own choices and being proud of our achievements Following simple instructions / staying safe – stop, go, come back	'Exploring Elephant' Helping others – in discussion about what makes us different – look at self in mirror Following simple instructions / staying safe – stop, go, come back	'Exploring Elephant' Helping others – in discussion about what makes us different – look at self in mirror Following simple instructions / staying safe – stop, go, come back

Literacy Lending Library reading with an adult Mark making Carpet time		Lending Library / reading with an adult Mark making Carpet time	Lending Library / reading with an adult Mark making Carpet time	Lending Library / reading with an adult Mark making Carpet time	Lending Library / reading with an adult Mark making Carpet time Making Marks using our
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Mathematics	Everyday counting Matching Games Puzzles 3 Cheeky Monkeys Swinging through the Tree	Everyday counting Matching Games Puzzles 3 Cheeky Monkeys Swinging through the Tree	Everyday counting Matching Games Puzzles 3 Cheeky Monkeys Swinging through the Tree	Everyday counting Matching Games Puzzles 3 Cheeky Monkeys Swinging through the Tree	Everyday counting Matching Games Puzzles 3 Cheeky Monkeys Swinging through the Tree	Everyday counting Matching Games Puzzles 3 Cheeky Monkeys Swinging through the Tree
	Insert Puzzles Dinosaurs in order of size	Insert Puzzles	Insert Puzzles Oat Play – Pouring & Emptying	Insert Puzzles The Colour RED – sort objects into colours	Insert Puzzles	Insert Puzzles
	Bigger / smaller Heavier / lighter Taller / Shorter Explore using everyday objects	Bigger / smaller Heavier / lighter Taller / Shorter Explore using everyday objects	Bigger / smaller Heavier / lighter Taller / Shorter Explore using everyday objects	Bigger / smaller Heavier / lighter Taller / Shorter Explore using everyday objects	Bigger / smaller Heavier / lighter Taller / Shorter Explore using everyday objects	Bigger / smaller Heavier / lighter Taller / Shorter Explore using everyday objects
Understanding the world	Natural Resources Forest School Technology Carpet Time discussions about birthdays, celebrations, family Cultural Discussions	Natural Resources Forest School Technology Carpet Time discussions about birthdays, celebrations, family	Natural Resources Forest School Technology Carpet Time discussions about birthdays, celebrations, family Cultural Discussions	Natural Resources Forest School Technology Carpet Time discussions about birthdays, celebrations, family	Natural Resources Forest School Technology Carpet Time discussions about birthdays, celebrations, family	Natural Resources Forest School Technology Carpet Time discussions about birthdays, celebrations, family Cultural Discussions
	What happens if I plant a seed? Life cycle of a flower / plant – Use our senses to explore a flower / smell it, cut	Cultural Discussions What happens if I plant a seed? Plant a seed (Sunflower) and	What happens if I plant a seed? Look at different flowers / food that grow in the ground / on a tree	Cultural Discussions Science Week Junk Box Play – What can you make / create?	Cultural Discussions What happens if I plant a seed? Watch a flower grow from seed –	What happens if I plant a seed?
	it, dissect it and touch it.	watch what happens –		Open ended play	Watch video	

		encouraging children to water and care for their plant.		– It can be anything!			
Expressive arts and design	Mark Making Different media Singing / music sessions Sensory / messy play Role play	Mark Making Different media Singing/music sessions Sensory/messy play Role play	Mark Making Different media Singing/music sessions Sensory/messy play Role play Easter Decorations				
	Dinosaur Small World Fizzing eggs	Create a dinosaur Swamp Outside	St Pirans Day Flags, glueing and sticking Mothers Day Card	Science Experiments	Creating Sunflower pictures by tearing paper – tissue paper		
	Mixed media / Clay exploration	Mixed media / Clay exploration	Make Pasties Mixed media / Clay exploration	Mixed media / Clay exploration	Mixed media / Clay exploration	Mixed media / Clay exploration	
COEL – Characteristics of Effective Learning							
Lenny Lion's Learning Zoo							
Go For It Go	orilla, Exploring Elephant		l Peacock, Concentra nameleon, Slinky Linky	<u> </u>	evering Parrot, Choos	ing Chimp,Creative	