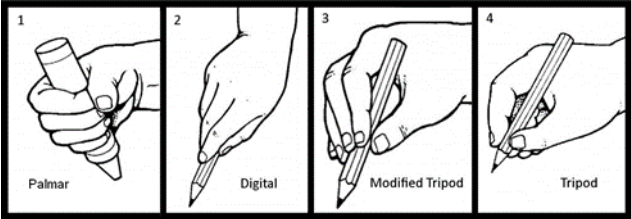


## Key Vocabulary for Families

Key Words	Definition
<b>Conservation of Number</b>	Rearranging items and explaining that the total number remains the same because none have been added or taken away.
<b>Counting to Cardinality</b>	This is progressing from knowing some number words to saying one number for each object, then knowing the number of the whole group.
<b>Mark Making</b>	This supports pre- writing and drawing skills. It is a sensory and physical experience in the Early Years too.
<b>Pencil Grip</b>	<p>Your child's pencil grip should naturally develop and progress as their muscles and posture strengthen and develop. Gentle correction and correct modelling of the tripod grip will encourage your child to be a comfortable and confident writer.</p> 

## Class



**In the Garden**



**Journeys**



## Key Independence Skills

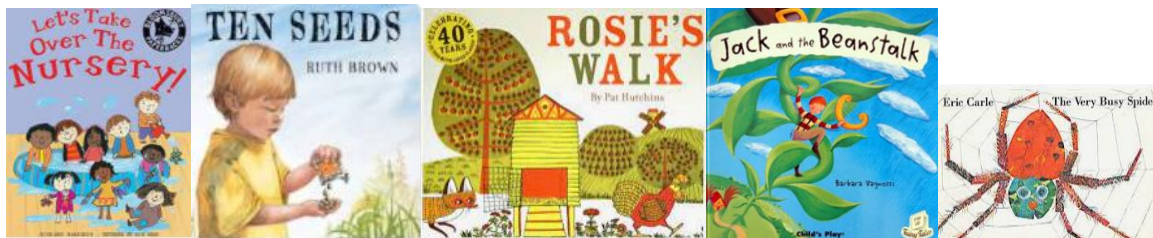
- Beginning to 'Choose it, Use it and Put it Away'
- Trying to put on my Wellies
- Organising my water bottle

## Weekly Activities

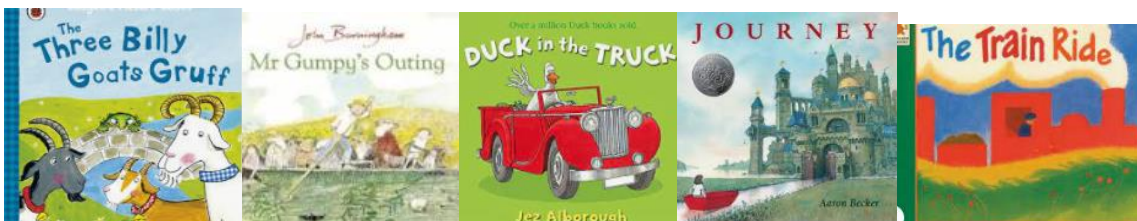
- Counting activities, songs and stories.
- Exploring shapes and creating and building with shapes.
- Phonics Sessions
- Messy Play
- Calendar time, seasons and days
- Free-flow inside and outside Choosing Time
- Snack Time

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## Favourite Five Books



We will look at five main story books to explore our topic of 'In the Garden' and also a settling in week at the start of term.



Next half term we will be looking at the theme of 'Journeys'.

These ten books will be read regularly throughout the term and always be available for children to enjoy in our 'cosy corner'. If you have these books at home, please share them with your child or you could borrow them from the library.

These texts will explore story language, rhyme, plant life cycles, positional language and counting. We will also think about friendships and feelings of the characters within the stories. We are encouraging excellent oracy skills this term by encouraging the children to talk in trios, speak in full sentences and to take turns when talking.

## My Key Adults at School:



Mrs Kennard



Mrs Takakuda



Mrs Warman



Miss Bedford

## Home-School Communication

Whole school and Duckling class messages and reminders will be communicated via Class Dojo.

Personal photos, learning observations and learning activities will be posted on Tapestry. Please do share with us home achievements on Tapestry too, we love to see them.