Roar! Here Come the Dinosaurs.

Communication and Language/ Literacy

-We will recap Phase 3 phonics sounds and use them to blend words.
-Sing rhymes and familiar songs.
-Practise writing recognisable letters, using the correct formation.
-Make lists.
-Spell common exception words.
-Label different parts of a dinosaur.
-We will write questions using a question mark.
-Writing a postcard to Andy, Dinosaur Adventurer.

Mathematics

-We will count to 20 and beyond.
-Order and Compare numbers to 10 using more than, fewer than and equal.
-Find 1 more and 1 less of numbers to 10.
-We will begin to look at money: 1ps, 2ps and 5ps.
-We will look back at numbers bonds to 5 such as 1 and 4 makes 5.
- Find pairs of numbers that add together to make 6,7 and 8 using "part, part, whole".
-Understand doubling.
-We will make symmetrical patterns.

Physical Development

-We will be learning ball skills: catching, throwing, kicking, underarm rolls and striking.
-Develop our core strength in Yoga.
- Perform with West End in Schools.

Books we are reading this term:

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

-Understand different feelings using the Feelosaur.
-Learn about the Hindu celebration: Holi.
-Think about special times in our lives.
-Learn about the Easter Story and why Easter is important to Christians.
-Talk about being a good friend and what bullying is.

Understanding the World

- We will look at where we live and animal habitats.
- Make a volcano.
- We will explore different materials and how materials change.
- Celebrate Book Week.
- Understand who Mary Anning was.
- Learn about different dinosaurs
- We will make republica fossils.
- Look for signs of Spring.

Expressive Art and Design

-We will make seasonal cards and crafts to celebrate Mother's Day and Easter.
-Create string prints to make an ocean scence for Owl and the Pussy-cat.
-We will look at Cave drawings and make our own with crayons and water colours.
-Sing action songs and nursery rhymes.
-Look at artist Yayoi Kusama and make spotty eggs.

Things to do at home

-Bring in a book for Book Swap (3rd March)
-Practise Phase 3 sounds and read books in book bags.
-Practise weekly spellings. These are collected on Thursdays and handed back out on Fridays.
-Learn some dinosaur names!