

### 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.
- Spell common exception words.
- Describing how a dinosaur moves using powerful verbs.
- 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.

### 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.

Roar! Here Come  
the Dinosaurs.

### Books we are reading this term:



### we will use this term:

Cave, volcano, erupt, lava, dormant, active, direction, scales, reptile, prehistoric, years, predator, prey, archaeologist, palaeontologist, fossil, dinosaur coast, Jurassic, dinosaur names (e.g. Stegosaurus).

### Things to do at home

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

### Understanding the World

- We will look for signs for Springs.
- Make a volcano.
- We will learn about different dinosaurs and where they lived.
- Understand who Mary Anning was.
- Look at our school eggs and see the chicks hatching.
- We will make replica fossils.
- Look at maps and use direction words.

### Expressive Art and Design

- We will make seasonal cards and crafts to celebrate Mother's Day and Easter.
- 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.

### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Understand how our friends feel different emotions using the Feel-o-saur.
- Learn about the different celebrations: Ramadan and Eid.
- Learn about the Easter Story and why Easter is important to Christians.
- Talk about being a good friend and what bullying is.