



# What are we learning this half term?



Apple class Curriculum  
Overview Summer 1 2026



## Name Writing

This is an ongoing focus in the Summer term- have fun practising with your child at home too!



## Phonological awareness

This half term our focus will be on voice sounds- oral blending and segmenting. Our younger Apple class friends will be beginning to find out about rhyming words.



## PHRSE

This half term in Apple class we will be thinking about 'relationships' and finding out about how to make friends, how to solve friendship problems when they occur and how to help others feel part of a group. We will also think about how to show respect.



Your child will bring their learning home in an A3 zipped wallet. Please return the wallet weekly. Many thanks!



## Maths

Our maths learning this half term sees us taking and giving amounts of 1, 2 and 3, following simple routes and subitising amounts.

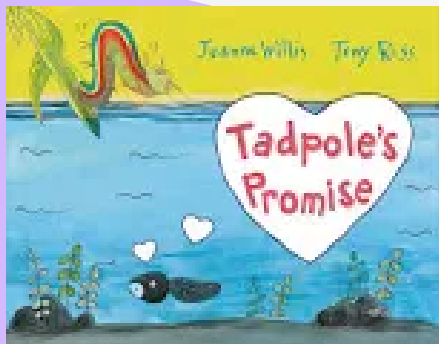
## Prior Learning

Children who attended Cherry class have taken care of a beanstalk and learnt the words 'stem' and 'petal' in relation to flowers..

## Animals and their young

Children will find out about baby animals and who their mothers are. They will learn the names of lots of different young animals.

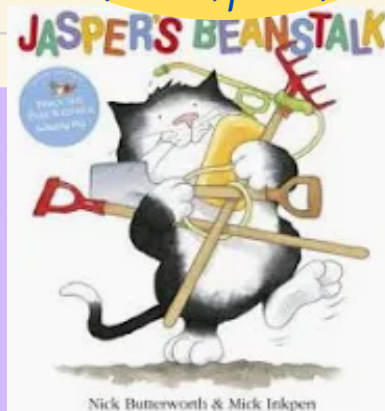
Vocabulary: sheep and lamb, cow and calf, horse and foal, pig and piglet, duck and duckling, hen and chick, swan and cygnet, goose and gosling



## Spring and Plants

Children will enjoy planting their own bean and watching it grow as well as planting and growing in Apple class garden. They will learn the names of more parts of a plant

Vocabulary: Spring, grow, seed, stem, flower, petals, leaf



## Frog life cycle

Children will have a look to see any frogs in our school pond and will enjoy finding out about the life cycle of a frog.

Vocabulary: Frowspawn, tadpole, froglet, adult frog.

