

# Wheal Friendly Project - Spring 1 2022



## Dangerous Dinosaurs

This exciting project teaches children about the different animals that roamed Earth millions of years ago and how they are related to animals that live on Earth today.

WOW DAY: Dinosaur safari!!

### Understanding of the world

Make observations about the world around them.

Develop scientific knowledge through play activities, sharing stories and non-fiction books and discussion.

### Personal, social and emotional development

Set and work towards simple goals, being able to wait for what they want and control their immediate impulses when appropriate.

Work and play cooperatively and take turns with others.

SHOWCASE DAY: Showcase our dinosaur designs!

### Communication and language development

Make comments about what they have heard and ask questions to clarify their understanding.

Hold conversation when engaged in back-and-forth exchanges with their teacher and peers.

Participate in small group, class and one-to-one discussions, offering their own ideas,

### Literacy

Anticipate, where appropriate, key events in stories.

Use and understand recently introduced vocabulary during discussions about stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems and during role-play.

Say a sound for each letter in the alphabet and at least 10 digraphs

Read aloud simple sentences and books that are consistent with their phonic knowledge, including some common exception words.

Write simple phrases and sentences that can be

### Mathematical development

Number; Numerical patterns

Numbers 6, 7 and 8, what they look like and how they can be made and represented.

### Outdoor Learning - Being Wild

Learning to be budding explorers!

### Modern Foreign Languages

French salutations

Class text: Dear dinosaur by Chae Strathie and Cave baby by Julia Donaldson.

### Expressive arts and design

Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function.

Share their creations, explaining the process they have used.

Invent, adapt and recount narratives and stories with peers and their teacher.

### Physical Development

Gross motor and fine motor skills.

Hold a pencil effectively in preparation for fluent writing & using the tripod grip in almost all cases.

Running, jumping, hopping, skipping, balancing.

### Religious Education

Next half term we will be learning about why Easter is special to Christians.