



Nursery Spring 1 Overview

Communication and Language

- Reading key texts and retelling repeated parts
- Ordering pictures of stories
- Responding to 'how' and 'why' questions
- Using 'and' in sentences

Literacy

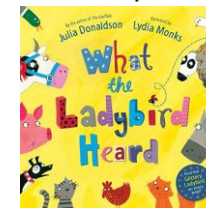
- Identify familiar logos and symbols
- Enjoy sharing familiar books
- Attempts to write some letters from own name
- Playing rhyming games

Key Rhymes/Songs

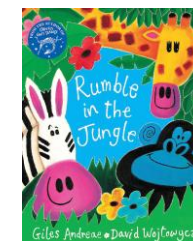
- Old Macdonald
- Down in the Jungle
- Five Little Speckled Frogs

Key Texts

What the Ladybird Heard



Rumble in the Jungle



Tad



Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Learning self-regulation strategies
- Turn taking games
- Sharing with friends

Mathematics

- Subitise 1 – 3
- Count in play
- Recognise and repeat patterns
- Begins to estimate

Knowledge and Understanding of the World

- Recognise that people lived a long time ago
- Show interest in the past
- Talk about their local environment and favourite places
- Learn about people who help us in our local community
- Recognise that animals live in different places
- Recognise differences in animals

Key Vocabulary

Farm, ladybird, farmer, robbers, jungle, tadpole, frog, count, name, letter, colour, mix, tool, paint, past, a long time ago, place, environment, community, help, home, habitat

Physical Development

- Throwing and catching
- Rolling balls
- Cutting along straight lines
- Pouring from jugs
- Using cutlery with more control

Expressive Arts and Design

- Explore colour mixing
- Paint with different tools
- Using props to act out stories
- Singing key rhymes/songs