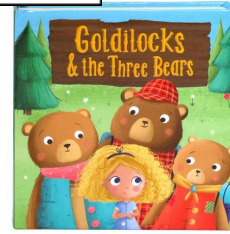
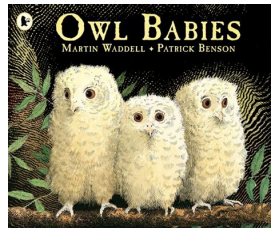
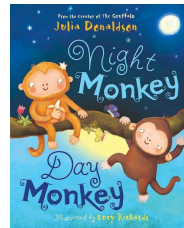
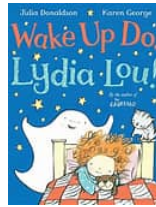


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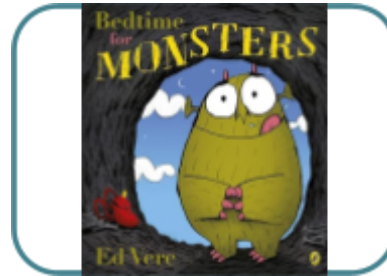


Books to Support our Learning

Physical Development

How do I balance?

This half-term we will work on our balance through different activities and using various equipment. Our weekly swimming lessons will be used to build our water confidence, water safety and to strengthen our muscles. Our fine motor skills will be developed through various activities, such as threading and placing small objects. We will also be working on our own individual targets.



Is It Bedtime?

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

How do I feel?

This term we will be focussing on Self Regulation. We will be learning about different emotions and how to recognise them in ourselves. This will help us to begin to understand how to regulate our behaviour accordingly. We will also be working on our own individual targets and continue to build independence in personal care.

Literacy

What new words do I recognise?

As well as working on our individual literacy targets, this half-term we will be extending our understanding of new vocabulary. We will look at new words we come across in our daily reading sessions as well as consolidating our understanding of daily language.

Communication and Language

How can I communicate?

Communication is at the heart of everything we do in Starfish class. We will be working on building our communication skills and understanding of language through spoken words, Makaton and PECS. As well as being incorporated into everything we do, we will work on our individual targets through small group activities and 1:1 work with an adult.

Mathematics

What can I find out about shapes?

This half-term we will focus on shapes. We will be looking at some 2D and 3D shapes and exploring some of their properties. We will also be working on individual targets to develop our understanding of basic mathematical principles and numeracy skills, such as number recognition.

Expressive Arts and Design

What do I like and dislike to touch?

This half-term we will explore a variety of textures. We will explore the feel of different textures and how we can use them to create our own artwork. We will also be enjoying a range of songs in our daily songtime.

Therapeutic Input

We will be working closely with the Speech and Language Therapist, Physiotherapist, Occupational Therapists and Multi-sensory teacher to work on our individual targets.

Understanding the World

What can I find out about "day" and "night"?

Through our topic work on Day and Night, this half-term we will be focussing on The Natural World and its effects on humans and animals. We will explore some natural processes and changes. For example, through work on the sun, moon and stars; the effects of light and dark; and nocturnal and diurnal animals. We will also look at the seasonal effect of Winter.