Danecourt School

TRACK NEWSLETTER - TERM 2 - 2024-2025

EYFS
CLASSES



OWL CLASS

Lauren Pope/Melissa Jeremey



HEDGEHOG CLASS

Beth Shearing

Our Learning This Term:

The children have settled into the school environment well and are embedding their new routines through the support of individualised timetables, now and next cards and objects of reference. This term our topic focus is 'Terrific Toys'. We will be exploring this through a range of sensory trays, cause and effect toys and then later on in the term Christmas activities.

We will be using a range of aids such as communication boards, Picture Exchange Communication System and sound buttons to develop language and vocabulary. We will also continue to use intensive interaction to support eye contact, facial expressions, turn taking and shared attention. We will continue to develop attention and listening skills through attention everyone.

During Term 2 we will be focusing on the children's independence when transitio[illegible] encouraging them to carry their own belongings, sorting bags/packed lunches and putting coats and shoes on. As well as life skills tasks such as washing hands, faces and brushing teeth. We have a range of visuals, schedules and mirrors to support the children to complete these tasks.

The children have built great relationships with the adults and have started to recognise familiar adults greeting us with big smiles, learning names and peer on peer interactions. Next steps, we want to continue to develop peer on peer interactions through a range of activities practising sharing and turn taking.

We look forward to sharing all the great things we do on evidence for learning!

Reminders:

- As the weather changes please can you send in spare clothes, warm layers and wet suits so we can continue to explore the outdoor environment.
- Any questions about your child's learning, please feel free to ask!



KEY DATES - TERM 2

- Wednesday 13th November - Signing Hands Visiting DC Featherby
- Wednesday 20th November - Parents Evening @DC Featherby
- Wednesday 11th December - Christmas Dinner @ DC Featherby
- EYFS Stay and Learn - Monday 9th December

STARS

Our school values make up the STARS, they are:
***S**elf reliance*
***T**eam player*
***A**spirational*
***R**esilience*
***S**uccessful*
This term, we will be focusing on **Success**