

Forest Sessions - 1.15-2.45 pm

Seahorses - Mon 11th pm

Ladybirds - Tues 12th pm

Hedgehogs - Thurs 14th pm

* Spiritual, moral, social and cultural development links

Reception Topic Map

What we are learning in school

On the 5th March we
Longdown Dairy Farm
will be visiting us!

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Sharing toys and taking turns.
- Knowing and following all of our superhero learning powers.
- Clever Never Goes - talking about children going with people their parents have told them to.
- Looking after ourselves e.g. washing hands and getting changed independently.
- Looking after farm animals.



Communication and Language

- Retelling stories & rhymes - The Little Red Hen.
- Taking turns in conversation - circle times.
- Sharing holiday news.
- Asking and answering questions about stories.
- Answering how and why questions.
- Giving reasons for choices we make.

Physical Development

- Kinetic Letters: working on large body movements.
- Team Games - play time games.
- Play-Doh - Dough gym.
- Fine motor skills e.g. cutting.
- Bikes and Trikes.
- Climbing on the play trail.

Spring 2

Fun at the farm



Literacy

- Storytelling and making story maps - The Little Red Hen.
- Learning how to recount an event.
- Phonics: letter sounds and word building.
- Non-fiction texts - about farm animals and baby animals.
- Rhyme and alliteration.
- Letter formation - Kinetic Letters.



Expressive Arts and Design

- Farm animal models.
- Observational drawings: spring flowers and trees.
- Colour mixing.
- Making pictures with natural objects.
- Natural resources to paint with.
- Pastel drawings.

Understanding the World

- Looking at baby photos.
- Talking about changes e.g. farm animal life cycles.
- Forest school sessions.
- Talking about the weather and seasonal changes.
- Farm visit.
- RE: Eggs as a sign of new life.

Mathematics

- Addition and subtraction problems.
- Part, part, whole - understanding numbers
- Talking about times of the day e.g. morning, afternoon & evening.
- Counting forwards and backwards to 20.
- Sorting farm animals.
- Writing numerals to 10.

