

Communication and Language

Retelling familiar stories and joining in with actions or repeated refrains.



Understanding the World

- Talking about the children's families and life outside school.
- Talking about the children's interests and what they like to do at home.

Expressive Arts and Design

- Painting and craft activities.
- Playdough and messy play resources in our role-play activities.



Physical Development

Eating school lunch and having a go at using a knife and fork.

Developing a comfortable pencil grip to make marks (lines or circles) on paper or to form letters, if they are confident to do so.



What are we learning in school?

Autumn 1: There's a bear over there!



Books:

We're Going on a Bear Hunt

Goldilocks and the Three Bears



Literacy

- Books about bears including the traditional tale: *Goldilocks and the Three Bears*.
- Talking about stories and answering questions.
- Retelling some of the stories together as a class!

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Establishing new rules and routines.

Building new friendships within the class.



Morden Hall Park is packed with fantastic activities and fun days out for the whole family! Why not join the Harvest Festival on Saturday, 3rd October, and support your local community? Simply scan the QR code to find out more.



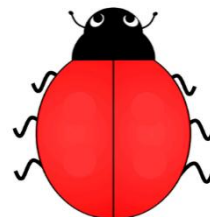
Maths

- Comparing objects we find by size, weight, colour and shape.
- Pattern making with shapes and colours.
- Exploring the numbers 1-3 and calculating with these numbers.





Ask your child lots of questions about the stories you share at home. Repeat stories as much as possible to help them become familiar with key stories.



Draw out lots of ladybirds. Each ladybird needs 6 spots on its back. How many different ways can you find to draw the spots on?



Visit the library and see how many books you can find about bears. Can you share what you have found with the class?

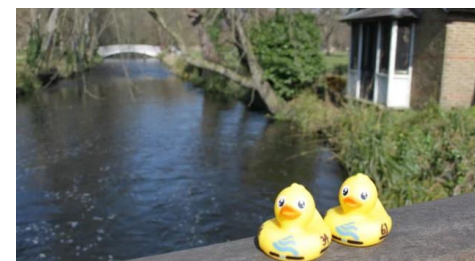


Use water and a paintbrush to make marks, write letters or your name.

Home Learning Challenges

You can bring in any home learning to share with the class or email pictures to:
school@malmesbury.merton.sch.uk

You can also message us on Instagram
[@malmesbury_primary](https://www.instagram.com/malmesbury_primary)



Join the 'Quacky Races' at Morden Hall Park on Saturday 19th September. Find more information on their website.



Draw your family tree and bring it to show the class.



Can you record the weather every day?
What do you notice?



Go on a nature hunt and sort what you find into size order.

