

Supporting transition for those children who will be starting Reception in

September – we will provide a range of activities to support those children who will be moving on. We will have school role play areas to support their self-awareness and confidence during this transitional period.

Leavers Ceremony We wish to celebrate the children's successes and many friendships that they have made during their time with us at Midland Road. We look forward to inviting parents and carers to attend this ceremony on Weds 25th July.

Things you can do to support your child's learning

Borrow our core story to share with your child and listen to the audio version of the story on YouTube.



Go along to events for children at Bradford Literature Festival from 29th – 8th July. There is a superhero day on Saturday 30th June
www.bradfordlitfest.co.uk

Do volunteer to join us on our trip to St Leonard's Farm or on any other outings that we make following the children's interests. Just speak to a member of the nursery team.

DON'T FORGET TO LOOK OUT FOR OUR RECIPES OF THE MONTH— HEALTHY TREATS TO MAKE AND EAT WITH YOUR CHILD!

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This Term in Blue & Green Room



**Summer 2
2018**

More detailed plans are done on a weekly basis. These are displayed for you to view but please ask if you would like your own copy. We will also keep you updated in our weekly 'What's Happening'.

Jeśli potrzebujesz tłumaczenia na język polski użyj numeru.

যদি এই অনুবাদ বাংলায় চান তাহলে উপরের সংখ্যায় যোগাযোগ করুন.

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THIS HALF-TERM IN BLUE AND GREEN ROOMS

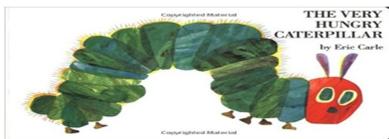
What we think our children will enjoy learning

A number of children have been observed acting out their home experiences and developing their own stories about families. We will be extending these interests with different resources and setting up different role play areas .

We will provide a wide range of resources to reflect and support children's experience and understanding celebrations such as: Eid, wedding celebrations and holiday experiences.

Our children have been equally motivated, and fascinated by fantasy role play pretending to be superheroes and villains. We will encourage the children to make up their own superheroes and to design their own superhero costumes and re-enact their own stories and tales.

This will help their **communication, language and design skills**.

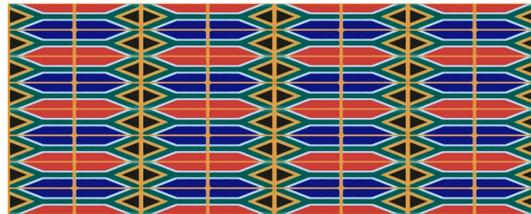


Last term many of our children showed care for, and a continuing interest in, the mini beasts in our environment. We feel they will enjoy our core story, 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar', which will build upon this previous learning.

What we would like to teach our children about

Shape, space and pattern will form part of our **maths** focus this term.

We will be looking for patterns inside and out, using pictures, the computer and creating our own symmetrical or repeating patterns using different materials.



We will extend children's understanding of space using floor puzzles and their use of the language of position e.g. next to, at the top.

This term we would also like to play board games with small groups of children to further develop their knowledge and understanding of number.

Another key focus is **expressive art and design** so we will be creating music and dance.

We would like to share what Laura, the dance teacher, has been teaching groups of children so that everyone can explore and express themselves. Different types of music will be used as well as instruments and scarves.

Making musical patterns will also help us with our listening and reading as we will learn how

Our children will be engaged with a wide range of activities to celebrate the festival of Eid. We welcome families and their children to share their experiences and celebrations during this time and hope you can join us on Wednesday 20th June after school for our Eid Celebration event—more information later!

It is Bradford Literature Festival from 29th June – 8th July and we will have a visit from an author as part of this! This will support the children's love of books and how an author creates a book.



We will be visiting St Leonard's Farm in July. This will provide the children with an opportunity to learn about farm animals close up and build on their continuing Interest in living things.

This will also provide the wonderful opportunity to celebrate the end of our school year with all of our class friends and their parents.

