

Knowledge Organiser – Spring 1 - Bears

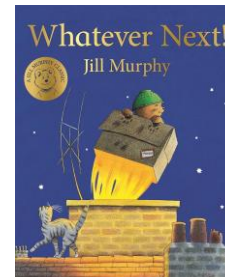
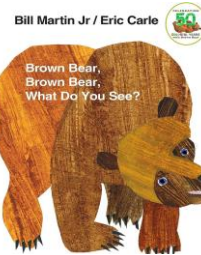
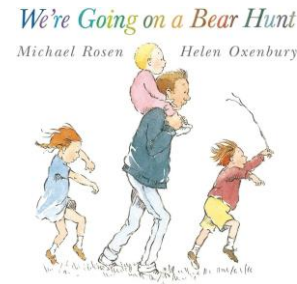
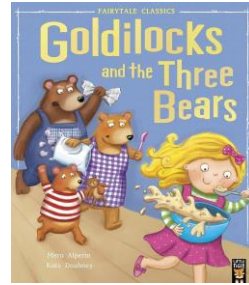
Topic Key Knowledge

To know that there are different bears all over the world.

To know that teddy bears have been toys for many years and recognise the similarities and differences.

To know that winter is when it is most cold and that winter is one of the four seasons of the year.

Key books



Vocabulary

Week 1 - bigger, biggest, smaller, smallest, big, small, medium

Week 2- past, present, antique, precious, delicate, old, new, soft, cuddly

Week 3 - over, under, habitat, mountains, forest, stream/river

Week 4 - planets, astronaut, craters, space, moon

General –

Weather, snow, wind, rain, fog, sun.

Bears – Brown, spectacled, black, panda, polar

Map, globe

Environments – river, forest, waterfall, mountain, jungle, bamboo, ice, snow.

Key learning and skills this half term

Phonics – We will continue to learn Phase 3 sounds.

Maths – We will be practising our numbers up to 9. We will also be using size language and positional language.

Literacy – We will be focusing on talking about books, answering questions and anticipating key events. We will practise writing short captions and write our names independently on a line.

Understanding the world – We will talk about the weather daily and learn about the season of winter.

We will look at maps and find out where different bears come from in the world.

We will explore the natural environment in our forest school sessions.

We will look at how teddy bears have changed from the past until now.

Creative – We will draw bears.

Ideas for home

Look at teddy bears at home – if possible compare other family members and look for differences.

Have a teddy bears picnic!

Visit a zoo – can you spot any bears?

WOW experiences

Bears and Blankets day – Friday
2nd February – more info to follow!