The Treehouse Newsletter

Topic: Human Body Detectives

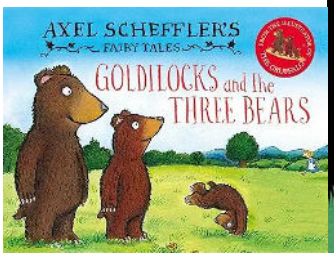
Outcome: Create our own skeletons and understand different parts of the body

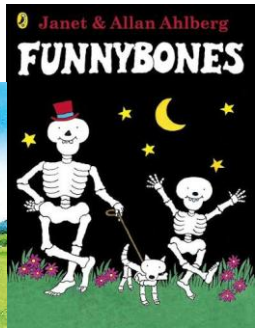
Welcome back to the new term! We hope you all had a restful holiday and enjoyed the amazing sunshine and warmth that we had! Here is the Treehouse Newsletter for our term. It details the learning that the children will be doing and activities they will be taking part in.

Literacy

This term we will be engaging and anticipating a range of different storybooks to spark interest in the Human Body and also to look at a traditional tale. From these stories we will be creating marks and give meaning to marks that we draw, write and paint. Linked to our stories we will write simple sentences which can be read by themselves and others.

The storybooks that we will be exploring together are Goldilocks and The Three Bears by Axel Scheffler and Funnybones by Allan Ahlberg





At home: Remember to share some books and practice the letter sounds we have been learning in class.

Maths

In maths this term, we will be focusing on counting and number recognition. We will count up to six objects from a group, use the language 'more', 'fewer', 'taller' and 'shorter' to compare two sets of objects, find the total of two groups by counting all of them, say the number that is one more than a given number and find one more or one less from a group of 5 objects, then 10 objects

At home: Can you practice counting objects in a group? Focusing on turn-taking as well as playing with your family.

PE and Forest School

PE takes place twice a week. This term, we will practice different ways to move safely around our area and over equipment. We will learn to confidently and safely use a range of large and small apparatus indoors and outside, alone and in a group.
Our aim is to develop confidence, competence, and accuracy when engaging in activities that involve us controlling our movements and stopping and starting.

Creative Curriculum

During creative curriculum lessons this term, in our science sessions we will be looking at and labelling different parts of our bodies.

At home: Talk about different foods: what foods they eat, what is healthy and making healthy food choices.

ART, RE, PSHE and COMPUTING

Linked to our Human Body detectives topic, we are going to be looking at our families and who is in them, we are going to be using digital cameras to take pictures of ourselves and how to look after

our bodies through daily routines. Pupils will be encouraged to develop their own ideas and then decide which materials to use to express them. We are also going to make mini skeletons.

Information you need to know

***Please can a P.E. be kept in school for when they join their whole class P.E. lessons or if needed for spare clothes. Please make sure all children bring forest school kits every Wednesday - wellies can be left at school.**

*Please refer to your child's personal timetable to inform you of when they will be accessing the Treehouse Classroom.

Key dates where the children will attend events with their class/year group:

https://dashwood.academies.aspirationsacademies.org/wp-content/uploads/sites/8/2026/07/Term-1-dates-2026.docx.pdf

Please do not hesitate to come and speak to Becky or Emily or their class teacher if you have any questions.

We look forward to seeing you all back.