

Wheal Friendly Nursery- Spring Term 1 2024



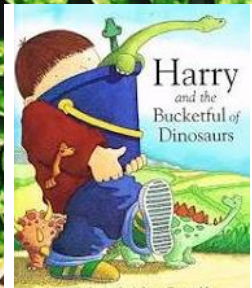
Project

We are learning
about **Dangerous
Dinosaurs**
*Driver area of
learning-
Understanding the
World*

*This exciting project
teaches children about the
different animals that
roamed Earth millions of
years ago and how they
are related to animals that
live on Earth today.*



We are
reading...



Communication and language

** Engage in conversations about stories
and explore the meanings of new
words that they hear in stories, rhymes
and poems.*

**Listen to longer stories and
demonstrate that they can remember
much of what happens.*

Literacy

** Begin to remember and repeat key phrases and
refrains from well-known stories and narratives.*

Physical Development

** Demonstrate friendly behaviour
towards others and play with one or
more other children, extending and
elaborating play ideas.*

Mathematical development

** Compare the length and height of everyday objects in their play
and begin to use language associated with this with support, such
as long, short and tall.*

**Count to 5 forwards and backwards, saying one number for each
item in order.*

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**Explore length, height, weight and capacity in their play and
begin to use language associated with this with support, such as
long, short, tall, heavy, light, full and empty.*

**Link numerals and amounts, showing the right number of fingers
or objects to match numerals up to five.*

**Recite numbers, in order, past five.*

Understanding the World

** Talk about some of the things that they have observed using simple scientific vocabulary.*

Expressive Arts and Design

** Remember and sing well known rhymes and songs in a small group.*

** Use a range of media, tools and techniques to create images, express ideas and show different emotions.*

Personal, Social & Emotional

** Demonstrate friendly behaviour towards others and play with one or more other children, extending and elaborating play ideas.*

Outdoor learning

-To explore the natural world around them.

-Describe what they see hear and feel when outside.

Key texts

**The Girl and the dinosaur by Hollie Hughes*

**Cave baby by Julia Donaldson*

**Dear Dinosaur by Chae Strathie*

**Dinosaur Roar! By Henrietta Stickland*

**Tyrannosaurus Drip! By Julia Donaldson*

** Little Kids First Big Book of Dinosaurs (National Geographic Kids)*

Possible mini themes

-Comparing places and environments

-Season- Winter

-Chinese New Year

-Shrove Tuesday