

Heatherside Infant School Year R Summer Term 2026

As readers	As writers	As mathematicians
<p>we will continue to develop a love of reading by reading every day - this can be our reading book or sharing stories linked to our theme and the children's interests and needs.. We will be able to talk about the story, make predictions and talk about why things have happened. We will be learning our Level 4 phonics and our Level 4 tricky words. In our reading we will recognise digraphs, trigraphs and adjacent consonants in words when sounding out and blending them correctly.</p>	<p>we will hear the Level 3 sounds and adjacent consonants in words and we will know the corresponding letters to write. We will be increasingly independent in sounding out our words to write (segmenting) and when writing simple sentences for pictures. We will be writing the Level 2 and 3 tricky words. We will continue to develop and practise the correct letter formation when we are writing.</p>	<p>we will be subitising (say how many by looking) all the numbers from 0 to 10 and the different ways to represent them. We will be making the numbers to 10 (number bonds) in different ways and recalling them. We will recognise the numbers to 20 and learn about their composition. We will learn that teen numbers are made up of tens and one. We will be adding and subtracting practically. We will be sharing and grouping objects.</p>

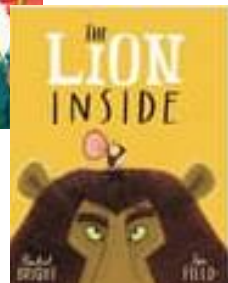
Our topic this term is Exploring our Natural World

As journalists we will be listening and responding to our book of the week, we will be drawing a picture and writing simple sentences using the sounds we have learnt and are learning. We will be creating our own fact books for our minibeasts and animals We will continue to practise our letter formation to make our writing easier to read.



As explorers we will be finding out about different minibeasts and different animals. We will focus on our school values of Togetherness and Creativity . We will talk about the changing seasons.

As designers we will be experimenting with colour, doing observational drawings and working with different materials to create pictures animals and minibeasts and models inspired by our theme.



As investigators we will be talking about animals, minibeasts and sea creatures. We will learn about their habitats and where they live. We will learn about different places in the world. We will learn about how we can protect our world.