

Learning
Growing
Achieving
together!

YEAR TWO

SUMMER TERM

JULY 2026



LOOKING BACK: MEMORY BOX

During Memory Box, the children enjoyed exploring how life has changed over time, comparing the past with the present and listening to fascinating memories shared by a special visitor. In Science, they became budding botanists as they planted beans, observed bulbs grow and investigated what plants need to survive. Their curiosity and careful observations made them excellent young scientists.



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IMAGINATIVE LEARNING

Our English lessons were filled with imagination as the children explored fantasy stories inspired by *The Egg* by M. P. Robertson. They impressed us with their descriptive writing, thoughtful diary entries and their own creative fantasy stories. In Maths, they continued to build confidence by applying a range of strategies to solve problems and using their skills in real-life contexts.

CREATIVE CURRICULUM

Creativity flourished across the curriculum. The children learned to weave with wool to create a fantastic whole year group piece celebrating the Paris Olympics, designed and sewed their own felt bags in DT, and experimented with digital photography in Computing, producing some wonderful photographs. They also enjoyed composing and performing their own music, learning how different musical layers work together.



What a wild adventure!

SENSATIONAL SAFARI

As we moved into Sensational Safari, the excitement continued! Our visit to Woburn Safari Park was undoubtedly a highlight of the term, providing inspiration for some fantastic recount writing and sparking many interesting discussions back in the classroom. The children loved learning about Africa, discovering its landscapes, wildlife and cultures while comparing life in Kenya with life in the UK.

SCIENTISTS AND ARTISTS

Science lessons encouraged the children to think about how animals, including humans, grow and change, while practical investigations continued to develop their enquiry skills. In Art, they explored African tribal patterns before creating beautiful relief prints and clay tiles.



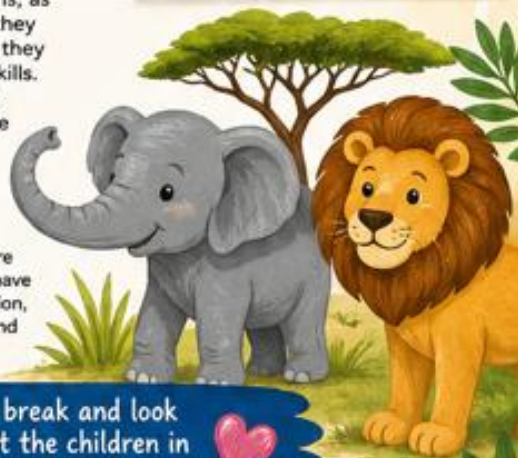
Capturing creativity!

LIFE SKILLS, SPORT AND MUSIC

Throughout the term, the children developed important life skills through RE and PSHE, exploring different communities, beliefs and traditions, as well as learning about fire safety and making safe choices. In PE, they showed excellent teamwork, determination and sportsmanship as they developed their athletics, striking and fielding, and team-building skills. Music lessons were full of energy as the children recreated African sounds, explored call-and-response rhythms and performed a range of songs with great enthusiasm.

A FANTASTIC TERM!

It has been an incredibly busy and memorable term, filled with exciting experiences, creative opportunities and impressive achievements. We are so proud of everything the children have accomplished this year. They have approached every challenge with enthusiasm, curiosity and determination, and it has been a pleasure to watch them grow into confident, caring and capable learners.



We wish all of our families a wonderful summer break and look forward to seeing what exciting adventures await the children in the next stage of their learning journey!