



### M - Maths

As the children have done so well with learning their numbers to ten we will now begin looking at teen numbers using the Ten Town characters to help. We will be using these numbers to solve simple sums involving addition and subtraction. We will also begin looking at our number bonds to 5/10 and using the part part whole method to show this. The children will also be creating repeating patterns and measuring weight and height of items.

*Targets: recognise numbers from one to twenty, order two or three objects by length, use the vocabulary involved in addition and subtraction in practical activities.*

### PSED - personal, social and emotional development

This term the children will begin to settle back into school life. We will also be encouraging the children to be independent in solving their problems and encouraging them to use their words instead of becoming frustrated. They will look at a range of feelings and emotions and discuss how these make our bodies feel.

*Targets: talk about our feelings and how other people may be feeling, begin to solve problems without aggression.*



### CLL - communication, language and literacy

Throughout the term we will be looking at lots of different book about each of these topics:

- The Ugly Duckling
- Oi Frog
- Humpty Dumpty
- The Hungry Caterpillar
- The Easter Story



As all the children in the class have had a chance to learn each of the sounds in the alphabet some of the children will now be moving on to digraphs (two letters which make one sound together). They will be using their sounds to continue practising writing simple sentences

*Targets: hear and write the sounds in simple words, write simple sentences, in meaningful contexts.*



## Topic Web Term 4 - Are Eggs Alive?

### PD - physical development

This term we will be re visiting gymnastics. The children will be learning to move in different ways across space. They will be practicing their balancing skills and will also be able to practice balancing on the benches. The children will continue with busy trays in the morning to develop their fine motor skills and all children are now using handwriting books to practice their letters daily.

*Targets: Travels with confidence and skill around, under, over and through balancing and climbing equipment, use a pencil correctly and write recognisable letters.*



### UTW- understanding the world

This term we hope to take the children on a trip to a local farm to see some and pet baby lambs (Covid Permitting). We will also be observing some tadpoles, caterpillars and even some duck eggs in class to watch as these grow and change.

We will learn about the Easter Story and why it is celebrated, as well as trying to visit a local church for a small service.

*Targets: ask questions about their familiar world such as the place where they live, look at similarities and differences, join in with family customs and routines.*

### EAD - expressive arts and design

This term during adult directed time the children will have the opportunity to make a range of crafts, from Tadpole bubble painting, creating nests and even cooking some real cakes

. During child initiated time the children will have the opportunity to explore lots of different materials and media. We will also be learning to recite and edit rhymes, such as Humpty Dumpty Sat on a wall and enjoying our new role play area where the children will be the farmer, and have to take care of all of the baby animals.

*Targets: plan an idea before beginning to create, make their own songs, explore the different sounds of instruments, use simple tools safely and appropriately.*

Our aim is to keep learning fun and exciting for all of the children in Palace Class, therefore sometimes we will adapt and change our plans to suit their needs.

