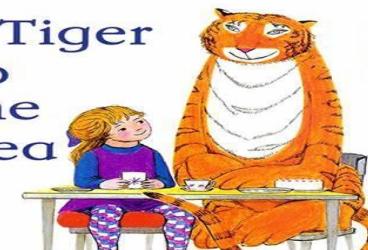



## Foundation Stage

### Term 1

# Home and Away

## The Tiger Who Came to Tea



<p><b>Literacy</b> Stories we will be sharing:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 'Home' by Carson Ellis</li> <li>• 'This is our House' by Michael Rosen</li> <li>• 'Owl Babies' by Martin Waddell</li> <li>• 'The Tiger who came to Tea' by Judith Kerr</li> </ul> <p><b><u>How you can help your child</u></b></p> <p>Ask your child lots of how and why questions when sharing different stories. Encourage extending vocabulary.</p>	<p><b>Writing/ Mark making</b> We will be encouraging children to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Mark making</li> <li>• Give meaning to marks</li> <li>• Begin making recognisable shapes</li> </ul> <p><b><u>How you can help your child.</u></b></p> <p>Encourage children to draw, mark make and provide opportunities for writing.</p>	<p><b>Mathematics</b> We will be focusing on the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identify numbers in the environment</li> <li>• Singing number rhymes</li> <li>• Counting and recognising how many is 5</li> <li>• Sequencing events according to day and night</li> <li>• Observing features of 2d and 3d shapes</li> </ul> <p><b><u>How you can help your child</u></b></p> <p>Observe and comment on shapes in the environment. Encourage children to be interested and ask lots of questions in real life situations 'How many plates do we need for dinner?'</p>	<p><b>Understanding the World</b> We will be focusing on the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ourselves and our families</li> <li>• What makes us different?</li> <li>• Where do we live?</li> <li>• How are environments different?</li> </ul> <p><b><u>How you can help your child</u></b></p> <p>Please can your child bring in a family photo to share with the class and make a large family tree. Look at maps and discuss features of different countries.</p> 
<p><b>PSE</b> We will be focusing on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Family</li> <li>• Friendships</li> </ul> <p><b><u>How you can help your child</u></b></p> <p>Talk about sharing and being kind.</p>	<p><b>Expressive Art and Design</b> We will be focusing on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Painting family members</li> <li>• Painting friends/special people in our lives</li> </ul>	<p><b>Phonics</b> This term we will be introducing 'Twinkl' phonics scheme. Phonemes we will cover s, a, t, p, i, n</p> <p><b><u>How you can help your child</u></b></p> <p>Share the love of reading and sharing stories together at home.</p>	