



## WAGTAIL CLASS SPRING 1

What a busy second half term the Wagtail Class have enjoyed, involving a fun filled Christmas café and trips out to the local post box. The children have worked hard exploring our class text 'The Train Ride', finding out about different parts of our environment along the way. We have absolutely loved exploring our new slide and sand area which has added lots of exciting opportunities to our outside learning and play area.



### Spring Term Learning:

Our class focus text for the first half term is 'Walking Through the Jungle,' by Julie Lacome. We look forward to linking this to all areas of our curriculum.

Through physical development and communication and language we will explore animal sounds and movement using different voices and actions. We will find out about wild animals and their different environments.

During 'Talk for Writing' we will retell the story, using story maps and explore creating our own versions of the story.

Mathematical development will provide opportunities to explore pattern. We will work with numbers to five through action songs using props to support learning.

Our PSHE sessions we will be discussing perseverance. We will encourage the children to think about what they would like to get better. Within class we will celebrate their achievements when recognising how they have met their own goals.

Within Expressive Arts and design the children will create the 'Tiger in a Tropical Storm' by Henri Rousseau

### DATE FOR YOUR DIARY:

Wednesday 7th January 2026- Children return back to school.

Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2.15 p.m - Wagtail Class Reading Cafe

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February - Half Term Holidays