

## We will be learning:

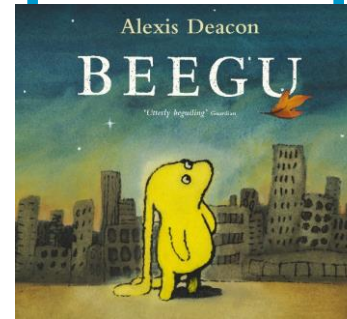
- How to combine different media and materials to create a habitat scene
- About rhyming books, how to spot rhyming pairs and how to create our own poems
- Order numbers to 5 and beyond
- To find one more and one less than a number
- How to partition numbers to 5 in different ways
- About properties of 2D and 3D shapes.
- Our phase 3 graphemes, and the sounds these make
- About the Christmas story, and singing songs about it
- About our feelings and how to be a good friend
- About moving and travelling in PE, and how to move our bodies in different ways
- About different celebrations which take place at this time of year.

## Reception Overview – Autumn 2

Our core story is:

### Beegu by Alexis Deacon

Please do not read this at home with your child until the end of the half term so your child can enjoy hearing the book unfold in class and predict what might happen.



Key vocabulary we will be learning:

Alien, spacecraft, space, planets, lonely, Earth

Phonics: **Phoneme** – a single letter sound, **grapheme** – written letter(s) that represent a sound, **blending** – pushing sounds together to make a word, **segmenting** – splitting up a word into the sounds it is made from.

Maths; more, less, count, total, quantity, order, altogether, **subitise** – to recognise a small amount without counting.

Please talk to your child's class teachers if you have any questions.

Key skills for your child:

- Being able to listen to other's ideas and respond to these with their own thoughts
- To ask a question
- To describe events
- Listening to and discussing different types of text
- Segmenting simple words to begin to write labels or captions.
- To continue to develop pencil control
- Recognising numerals to 5 and beyond
- Subitising amounts to 5
- Name some 2D and 3D shapes

At home you could:

Look at the books you have at home, do you have any information books about space? Have a discussion with your family – what do you know about space? Are aliens real? Go on a shape hunt, looking for shapes in the environment.

Please continue to read as much as possible with your child at home and continue to record this on Boom Reader.