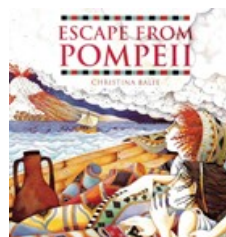
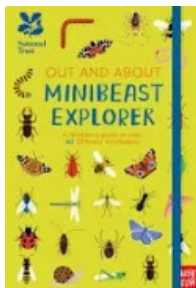
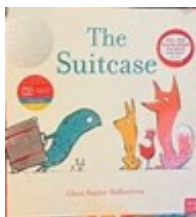




# The Haven Autumn 2024



## English

### Dolphins

In Dolphins Class, we will begin the year by responding to and analysing fiction stories. This will include a focus on different types of sentences and learning about conjunctions, before the children create their own character and use it to write their own stories.

In Autumn 2, we will be concentrating on non-fiction writing; namely, creating a factsheet about minibeasts using adjectives, prepositions, and adverbs.

As readers, some children will continue to follow the Read, Write, Inc. scheme of learning, whilst others will use Project X to support their reading skills.

### Whales

In Whales class, we will be developing our use of direct speech and verb tenses by looking at the story of The Three Little Pigs and other fairy stories. We will then use these skills to write our own mixed up fairy story.

During the Second half term, we will be working on our non-fiction writing by using the events around Pompeii to write a newspaper recount focusing on the use of adjectives.

As readers, we will continue to follow Project X to improve our reading skills. Some of us will be using the book Charlotte's Web or The Wild Way Home.

## Enriching experiences & Character building

We will endeavor to give children enriching opportunities via visits, in addition to those that they will attend in their Year group. Please keep an eye on the newsletter for details as well as any emails.

The aim of The Haven provision is not only to support the children's academic progress but also to develop their character, wider developmental skills and learning attitudes.

We focus on this daily through targeted support including fine and gross motor skills, speech and language development, social skills and in particular developing self esteem and a love for learning.

## Maths

### Dolphins

Within our Maths Curriculum we will be working on different elements depending on the children and their starting point. We are using Plan Bee, which offers a more interactive way of learning.

In the first half term, this will include developing our number recognition, place value, addition & subtraction (including number bonds), and 2D/3D shapes.

In the second half term, children will begin work on coin recognition, values of money, different units of measure, as well as continuing to work on addition & subtraction.

In all of our Maths lessons, we will be using concrete resources to support the children and their learning will be enhanced by working in small groups supported by an adult. There will be a big focus on the vocabulary of all concepts taught and these are revisited regularly.

### Whales

Within our Maths Curriculum we will be working on different elements depending on the children and their starting point. Within all the areas of the curriculum the children will work on their problem solving skills which will include them being able to explain why an answer is correct.

In the first half term, we will be extending our knowledge of place value before using these numbers to solve problems with addition and subtraction and multiplication and division. Some of us will also be learning about measures and data.

For Autumn two, we will be continuing to work on our understanding of addition and subtraction, multiplication and division as well as measures and data.

In all of our Maths lessons, we will be using concrete resources to support the children and their learning will be enhanced by working in small groups supported by an adult. There will be a big focus on the vocabulary of all concepts taught and these are revisited regularly.