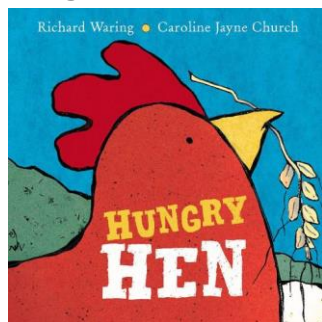


# Farm Life

Reception  
Spring Two Term 2026



## Key Areas of Learning

As confident communicators, our children continue to build their vocabulary through daily routines, stories, rhymes and songs. Interactive story sessions introduce new language while encouraging active listening, discussion and participation.

As active learners, children develop their physical skills through climbing, obstacle courses and learning to move safely within shared spaces. They collaborate to create their own play environments, using equipment and resources in imaginative and purposeful ways.

As caring members of our school community, children are learning to recognise and understand the feelings and needs of others. Through stories, discussion and positive interactions, they explore different emotions and practise strategies to help manage their own feelings with growing independence.

### Literacy

As early readers and writers, the children will be continuing to develop their phonics knowledge by blending sounds into words and beginning to read and write sentences.

The children will be using elements of the class text to inform their play and as part of their focused learning.

Using stories, the children will have the opportunity to explore farm life, including role-play and storytelling.

### Mathematics

As mathematicians, we are continuing to strengthen our counting skills past 20 and use our subitising skills to identify amounts to 10.

Using their knowledge of numbers, the pupils will explore how numbers to 10 are made, supporting the development of their investigation and problem solving skills.

### Understanding the World

As the weather begins to improve and spring starts to arrive, the children will have the opportunity to watch the world around them change. This includes new plants beginning to grow and new colours appearing in the environment.

Through stories and discussions, pupils will learn about festivals such as Ramadan, Eid and Easter.

### Expressive Arts and Design

As musicians, the children will engage in music lessons based on traditional children's tales and songs. Moving to music with instruction, changing movements to match the tempo, pitch or dynamic of the piece; understanding that music and instruments can be used to convey moods or represent characters; playing an instrument as part of a group story. Throughout the environment, pupils will have the opportunity to engage with a range of media and materials.

### Physical Development

In PE, the children will be developing teamwork skills in net and wall games.

The children will be continuing to develop fundamental skills with a range of equipment which they will be able to further explore during their Free Learning sessions in the Early Years environment.

### Experiences

Weekly Cooking Activities:

Pancakes	Bread	Easter Nests
Jam	Pizza	

### Whole School Events and Themes

27/02/26 PTA Bingo Event  
WB 02/03/26 Book Week  
24/03/26 Parents Evening- Late finish  
26/03/26 Parents Evening- Early finish  
26/03/26 Spring Term Showcase Assembly  
Spring Clubs Start- WB 12/01- Ends- 16/03