What's The Big Idea? Big Idea Organiser

Old MacDonald Had a Farm! - To make bread.

Nursery Summer 1



Enquiry Questions:

What is a farm? What lives on a farm? What can you grow on a farm? Who works on a farm? What jobs do they do? How do they care for the animals? Where does my food come from? What food comes from a farm? How does the food get to me?

Links to learning:

What the Ladybird Heard

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yDRDypQ0IBw Little Red Hen

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HEJPSPNv3Do

Farm to fork

TESCO FARM TO FORK - YouTube



Communication and Language Key Information:

Enjoy listening to longer stories and can remember much of what happens.

Understand 'why' questions, like: "Why do you think the caterpillar got so fat?"

Use a wider range of vocabulary.

Start a conversation with an adult or a friend and continue it for many turns.

Knowledge Vocabulary:

Farm Habitat Animals

Ingredient Bake Smell

Instructions Harvest Taste

Optional home learning activities-

Week 1: Design your own Easter egg.

Week 2: Can you remember the characters in the story 'What the ladybird heard'? Can you draw them?

Week 3: Practise identifying numbers 1-5.

Week 4: What food are you having for dinner tonight? Do you know where any of it came from? Could you do some research with your grown-ups?

Week 5: What did we need to make bread? Can you remember any of the ingredients and where they came from?

Understanding the World Key Information:

Use all their senses in hands-on exploration.

Talk about what they see, using a wide vocabulary.

Begin to understand the need to respect and care for the natural environment and all living things.

Key Texts:

What The Ladybird Heard Little Red Hen Old MacDonald Had a Farm Topsy and Tim: At the Farm Farmer Duck A Squash and a Squeeze