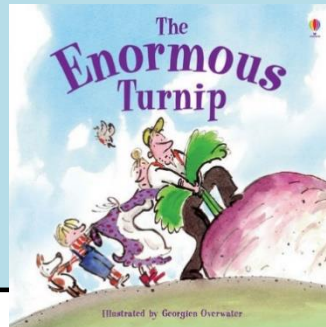
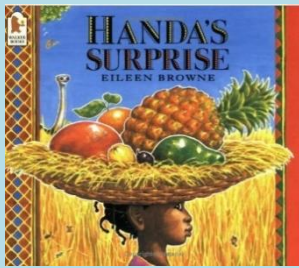




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Food, glorious food!

Our new theme this term is Food, Glorious Food. We will be reading some fantastic stories such as Handa's Surprise, The Enormous Turnip and The Tiger Who Came to Tea - and look forward to preparing and tasting lots of exciting fruits and vegetables, as well as baking cakes and preparing sandwiches for our 'Tiger Who came to Tea' party. We will be learning all about the traditions of Lunar Year and will be turning our role-play area into a Fruit and Vegetable shop. In Literacy we will be role-playing, re-telling and innovating stories. This term in maths, we will continue to develop our subitising and counting skills and, explore the composition of numbers within and beyond 5. In our daily phonic sessions, we will continue to develop our reading and writing skills by consolidating the Phase 2 sounds we learned last term.



Whole school Dream BIG- The main idea of this focus unit is to get children dreaming big for their future! Encouraging ambition and seeing that the world is their oyster - anything is achievable. By the end of the half term hopefully children will have a future career/ dream job/goal in mind.

Reading in Reception-

At Glade Hill we use **RED TED** - **R**ead **E**very **D**ay **T**alk **E**very **D**ay - and reward children with a star on their teddy chart when they read at least three times a week.

Staff ensure to match your child's reading book with their current phonic knowledge- this may look like a pink or red band book. All of our sounds and tricky words are in the back of our reading diaries and it would be really useful to practise these at home with your child.



For any questions or concerns please talk to us at the door or email us at: acorns@gladehill.nottingham.sch.uk

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