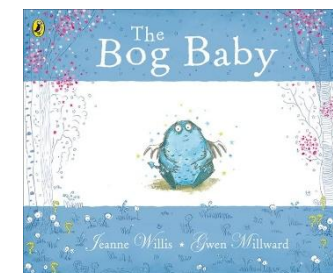




Otters —Term 1

English	We are going to be writing character descriptions and a diary entry from the point of view of a character in the book.
Maths	Number and place value. Year 1 children will be learning about place value, addition and subtraction within 10. Year 2 understanding numbers to 100.
Science	We will be looking at healthy animals including humans. Children will learn about how to be healthy including exercise and the basic needs of animals and humans.
Geography	We will be learning about map work and grids. The children will understand how to read a basic map, including understanding symbols, compass points and give simple directions using a map.
PSHE	The children will be learning about Me and My Relationships. We will be looking at friendships, what makes a good friend and listening to each other
Music	The children will be learning about developing a rhythm through chanting call and response sound patterns and performing with untuned percussion instruments.
Computing	We are looking at online safety and creating and following instructions. The children will be using step by step set of instructions used to solve a problem and provide the computer with coded instructions to follow.
RE	What Do Some People Believe God Looks Like?
PE	The children will be doing mutli-skills, where the learn a variety of skills that develop different movement skills such as reaction, balance, coordination and timing.
Art/DT	Line, tone and colour with a focus on Henry Rousseau.

Core Text



"The Bog Baby," written by Jeanne Willis and illustrated by Gwen Millward, follows two young sisters, the narrator and Chrissy, who secretly go fishing in a magical pond in Bluebell Wood, despite being told not to go alone. The pond appears only in spring, forming a puddle where pond creatures gather. While fishing, the girls do not catch newts or frogs as expected, but instead discover a **Bog Baby**—a small, round, blue creature with boggle eyes, a spiky tail, mouse-like ears, and tiny wings.

In Reading the children will learn how to retrieve answers from the text and discuss what will happen next by using what they know about the text already to help them make a reasonable prediction.