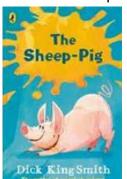
## <u>ASC Base Newsletter - Autumn 2</u>

All the children in the ASC Resource Base have settled into the new academic year with really positive attitudes. We are extremely proud of all of the children who are helping each other every day and continuing to build social relationships.



This term in guided reading and English, we will be using the text, 'The Sheep Pig' as our stimulus. We have started reading the book this week and the children are already gripped by the talking animals. Currently, we are learning to use contractions in informal letters. Later in the half term, we will also be learning to write narratives and nonchronological reports.

In geography this half term, we will be learning all about rivers and how rivers can change over time. In science, we will be learning about flowers and the process of pollination. In our design technology lessons, we will be investigating bridges, thinking about what makes them strong and sturdy, before designing and creating our own load-bearing bridge construction.

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In PE lessons, which will continue to be on a Tuesday afternoon, we will be learning the skills involved in tag rugby and we will be working towards playing a match.

## Blended learning

We are extremely proud of all of the pupils in the ASC Resource Base. Some pupils continue to access a range of lessons in the mainstream school as well as accessing the main playground on a playtime and lunchtime to build relationships with peers in their year groups. All opportunities for blended learning are bespoke to individual pupils and offered when they are ready.

Thank you again for your continued support. Mrs Elliott, Mrs Carrick and Mrs Sanderson