



**Nursery Curriculum Overview**  
**Spring Term**

**Nursery**

**Personal, Social and Emotional Development**

- Become more independent in looking after ourselves including putting on our coats, shoes and Wellingtons.
- Play games in small groups and take turns with our friends.

**Communication and Language; Literacy**

- Take part in lots of listening activities and develop an awareness of letters and sounds using Read, Write, Inc.
- Use our name cards to practise recognising, writing, copying or tracing our names.
- Talk about familiar stories and the sequence of events. Listening to traditional tales and joining in nursery rhymes.

**Physical Development**

- Take parts in lots of physical activities and use our bodies to move in different ways.
- Use small objects to further develop our fine motor control. E.g. use a pencil with the correct grasp and good control, sprinkle glitter with pinching fingers.
- Talk about what our bodies need to be healthy. E.g. drink plenty of water, exercise, eat healthy food.

**Mathematics**

- Count objects and actions everyday.
- Use pictures and puppets when joining in number rhymes. Add one and take away one.
- Take part in activities about shape, size and pattern.

**Understanding the World**

- Find out about seasonal change.
- Learn about Chinese New Year.
- Talk about some of the things they have observed such as plants and animals.
- Learn how to operate the 'Beebots'.

**Expressive Arts and Design**

- Use a variety of materials to create pictures, models and collages. Mix paints and make different colours.
- Join in with music and movement.
- Play imaginatively with our friends using puppets, animals etc.

**Helping your child at home....Nursery**

Your child's home-school diary will continue to provide details of activities to complete at home. Please complete the home task with your child. Read to your child as often as possible, especially at bedtime!

Help your child to hold pencils correctly and to write their name.