



Nursery Curriculum Overview Summer Term 2018

A brief overview
of what we are
learning this term.

Nursery

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- We will talk about looking after living things and our environment Eg, the plants in the garden.
- Talk about our feelings using story characters as prompts.
- Take turns in a variety of activities.

Communication and Language; Literacy

- We will ask questions and talk about our own ideas.
- Begin to talk about the way stories are structured.
- Practice our mark making skills both in the indoor and outdoor environment using a variety of activities.
- Take part in activities to recognise initial sounds in words and 'Read, Write, Inc' activities. Use 'robot talk' to blend and segment the sounds in simple words such as 'cat', 'sun', 'jam'.
- Take part in activities involving rhyming words.
- Explore the speech sounds we can make with our voices.

Physical Development

- We will experiment with different ways of moving and be aware of the effect exercise has on our bodies.
- Jump and land correctly.
- Explore the woodland and enjoy the freedom of movement.
- Further develop our fine motor skills using small utensils, such as teaspoons and tea strainers, in the sand and water trays.
- Find out about how to form letters correctly.

Mathematics

- We will count objects saying one number name for each object.
- Begin to recognise and use numerals in play situations.
- Put two or three objects in order of size, height and length.
- Begin to record numbers.

Understanding the World

- We will talk about and ask questions about the natural world.
- Be aware of seasonal change, for example, warmer weather, lighter nights, growth of plants and the birth of animals.
- Know what seeds need to grow into plants.

Expressive Arts and Design

- We will continue to join in with dancing and ring games.
- Use a variety of techniques to create images including painting, collage and printing.
- Weave with ribbons.
- Use a variety of construction toys.
- Enjoy imaginative play with our friends.

Helping your child at home....

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.

Listen for initial sounds in words.