

## Communication and Language

We will be learning to:

- listen with interest to simple stories
- listen to others in a small group
- understand 'who' what 'where' questions.
- Identify familiar objects and properties when they are described e.g. blue car
- Understand and act on longer sentences like 'find your coat' 'make teddy jump'.
- develop new vocabulary
- listen to stories and join in with rhymes
- use longer sentences of six words.
- use word endings e.g. cats, going.

## Mathematics

We will be learning to:

- recite numbers in order to 5
- begin to represent numbers using fingers, marks on paper or pictures
- know that numbers identify how many objects are in a set (up to 3)
- count objects and actions
- Match numerals 1-2 to quantity correctly.
- Sort objects into four groups
- Use language of size such as big and small.
- Use language of position such as high and low, under, in and on.
- Begin to explore 2d shapes and associated language.
- Talk about and identify different patterns e.g. stripy, spotty...



## Our theme for this term is Festivals & Cultural Celebrations

*Through this topic we will be learning to...*

## Personal, Social, Emotional Development

We will be learning to:

- choose activities and resources with help and then independently.
- play with one or more children
- form positive relationships with others
- show confidence to try new activities
- show confidence in asking adults for help.
- know that some behaviour is unacceptable.
- Talk about our feelings using words like 'happy' 'sad' 'angry' 'worried'.

## Understanding the World

We will be learning to:

- notice some of the changing features of things in my environment.
- recognize and describe special times or events for family and friends
- notice changes in the weather
- explore materials with different properties
- describe what I can see, hear and feel whilst outside.

## Physical Development

We will be learning to:

- draw simple shapes such as circles and line using gross motor skills.
- show control and coordination in large and small scale movements
- take off and put on our coat.
- attend to toilet needs independently.
- Develop our ball skills – throwing, catching and kicking a large ball.

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## Literacy

We will be learning to:

- listen to familiar stories
- Say key words and phrases from stories we know
- give meaning to marks made as we draw and paint.
- Show interest in illustrations and print in books
- Distinguish and identify between sounds in the environment
- Count or clap syllables in a word

## Expressive arts and Design

We will be learning to:

- Remember sing nursery rhymes
- join in with dancing and ring games
- Sing the pitch of a tune sung by another person.
- Explore colour
- Explore different materials, using all senses to investigate
- Begin to draw a face.
- listen and identify different sounds
- use various construction materials

These are our general plans which may change as we follow the interests of the children.