



Class Learning Information

We hope you find this information helpful. This is just some of what your child is learning in class this Term!

Languages

This term we will be focusing on phonological awareness and the children will be learning their initial sounds, syllables and rhyme. Through songs and books the children will explore a new nursery rhyme every week. The class will explore various Julia Donaldson books together during ERIC time - 'Everyone Reading in Class'. We will explore and discuss characters and key events. The children will be introduced to a variety of reading strategies this term, including visualisation and prediction. There will be lots of opportunities to explore writing through play experiences using various materials linked to the theme 'I am Unique' and Elmer.

Numeracy and Mathematics

The areas we will cover this term include:

- Numbers 1-20 (including recognition of numbers before and after, ordering and formation.
- count on one more to any single digit upto 20
- 2D Shapes
- Colour
- Sequencing, ordering and identifying pattern.

Religious Education

This term the children will be focusing on learning their daily prayers and the sign of the cross. We will also look at what makes us special and our similarities and differences.

Health and Wellbeing

Children will focus on PATHS linking to the values of friendship, honesty, learning and respect and how they are applicable to our daily lives. Children will also use daily Compliments.

Social Subjects

Through exploring the theme 'I am Unique' children will discover and discuss their personal likes and dislikes, interests and hobbies.

Sciences

The children will be learning about their five senses - smell, touch, sight, hearing and taste. We will use the outdoor learning environment to explore the senses.

Expressive Arts

Music:

- Identifying the differences between various sounds and instruments. Recognising pattern.
- Exploring rhyme in various songs and nursery rhymes.
- Composing and performing.

Visual Art:

- Various activities linked to Julia Donaldson books, Elmer and I am Unique.

Drama: - Links to nursery rhymes, books
- Using various dramatic sequences to explore feelings and develop empathy.

Dance:

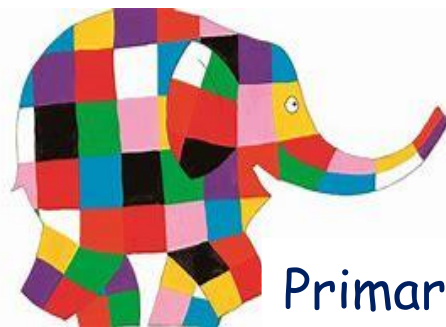
- Determined to dance coach

Information and Communications Technology

The children will develop basic computer skills i.e. logging on/off the computer. Computer games to encourage enjoyment of ICT. Visiting the learning zone and learning to use the interactive whiteboard in the classroom.

Homework

The children will receive a wordless book home to be explored each night. Look at pictures encouraging discussion about what you can see and think is happening in the story. Children will complete the phonological awareness grid provided each week, if you can, please colour to indicate completed tasks and complete any work in the yellow homework jotter.



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