

Communication, Language & Literacy

- Recognising and writing our own names
- Listening and responding to others
- Singing songs
- Listening to stories and rhymes
- Re telling stories
- Communicating feelings and needs
- Beginning to understand 'why' and 'how' questions.
- Story structure
- To begin to recognise initial sounds.

Nursery

Our Amazing World

Topics will be more child led and planning will reflect the interests of the children. To inspire the children we will plan for themes. These may change due to interests.

Mathematical Development

- Recognising numbers 0-5, 6-10, and above
- Using number names in order in familiar contexts up to 10 including '0'
- Counting in order 1-3, 1-6, 1-9, 1-20
- Using simple mathematical language to describe shapes
- Using shapes to make pictures and patterns
- Beginning to make comparisons between quantities.
- Looking at shape and number in the environment.

Physical Development

- Following simple instructions
- Music and movement
- Fine motor skills
- Developing hand-eye co-ordination
- Keeping safe
- Self care – independent toileting, washing hands, using tissues
- Developing spatial awareness
- Holding a pencil correctly.

Expressive Arts and Design

- Using our imagination in play – eg. Role play
- Using different materials
- Making music using different instruments and singing
- Exploring colour and how it can be changed.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

- Making friends and sharing and taking turns
- Learning the rules of the classroom
- The areas of the classroom – resources etc
- Personal Hygiene
- Dressing and undressing for outdoor play/Role play
- Learning routines of the school day
- Knowing about ourselves – what we can do

Understanding the World

- Lifecycle of a caterpillar
- Our school family
- Seasons and Weather
- Exploring the classroom and environment
- Using simple tools
- How to make things work
- Computers – how to use the mouse, choose a program, using the drawing program.

Story books

- The Very Hungry Caterpillar
- Titch
- The Bad Tempered Ladybird
- Jaspers Beanstalk
- Tiny Seed