

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Supporting children with building relationships with their friends; adults.
- Reminders of Class routines and expectations.
- Positive behaviour: receiving 'apples' to put on the tree as a reward.
- Encouraging good sitting, looking and listening skills.
- Using our senses to learn, and share with a friend about Autumn.

Physical Development

- Ring games and playground games
- Experiment using their bodies to move in different ways.
- Hygiene routines.
- Effects of exercise on their bodies.
- Moving along to favourite songs and action rhymes.
- Gross motor activities.
- Encourage fine motor activities to develop pencil hold.

Communication and language

- Talking with children about what they are doing and their achievements.
- Talking about their experiences at home and school.
- Joining in with songs and rhymes using musical instruments
- Listening to stories and using story sacks
- Home/school Marvellous Me Box
- Home/school 'Wow!' cards

Autumn; light and dark.

Nursery Autumn 2 2017

Our children have all settled well into the Nursery routines. It is lovely seeing them all becoming more confident and independent. This is the second newsletter of six which are sent each half term. Here, we provide information about what we plan to learn and discover during the coming weeks. This is alongside fostering the children's interests and desires. May we remind you that ALL children's clothing should be clearly named.

Snack money is £1.00 per week and dinners £1.50 per day. Dinner money should be placed in a sealed, named envelope. If you have any questions or concerns please do not hesitate to ask. Thank you. Mrs Roberts; Miss McCole.



Expressive Arts and Design

- Singing songs; rhymes about Bonfire and Christmas celebrations
- Light and dark role play
- Independently creating a variety of leaf prints: discussing colours and textures.

Understanding the World

- Using ICT software to discover more about Autumn, Bonfire Night and Christmas celebrations.
- Remembrance Day Assembly in school.
- Autumn role play area

Mathematics

- Singing number songs and counting rhymes
- Extend mathematical vocabulary during play
- Counting leaves; cones and making size comparisons
- Visual timetable and sequencing our day in Nursery.

Literacy

- Looking at and listening to non-fiction books.
- Sharing and discussing the First Christmas story.
- Encourage mark making to enhance play and give meaning to marks.