Topic List

Nursery

Term

Autumn 2 2023

Class Teacher

Mrs Osman

Key workers-

Mrs Jahan

Mrs Al-Sabah

Miss Marouf



THEME

Understanding the World



Phonics

In Phonics we are going to be continuing with Aspect 1 – environmental sound and introducing Aspect 2 and 3 – musical instruments and body percussions.

The children will continue learn to discriminate sounds by using musical instruments and body sounds e.g., clapping, stamping, and also to sequence body sounds.

We will start our introduction to the alphabet this term.









- We will be learning to count correctly and give each object a number name.
- They will learn to count using a lot of different ways and situations e.g. when picking leaves outdoor or when sharing marbles with their friends.
- We are going to continue to learn to recognise numbers from 1 to 10.
- The focus on language of compare will be long and short, and looking at differences and similarities in leaves, cones, etc.
- The children will learn to use the correct vocabulary when comparing lengths using a wide variety of objects e.g. twigs, leaves and other natural objects found during their autumn discovery walks.

When taking them to the park parents can encourage children to look at colours of autumn, patterns on leaves, lengths of twigs and small or big trees.

TOPIC



- Our topic this term will be seasons and colour, focusing on the natural world around us.
- We will start by looking at autumn colours, doing an autumn walk to collect autumn produce.
- These will then be used for our craft, Maths and Literacy activities.
- We will focus on one colour a week and we will have a colour table for the 'Colour of the Week'.
- The children will be asked to contribute by bringing an item from home, which they will then talk about in our 'Show and Tell' activities.
- We will be doing lots of colour mixing activities.
- We will be making colourful collages and rainbows.
- There are plenty of opportunities for parents to talk about colours at home and about the natural world, the changing season when they are out and about, in the park or in the garden.
- This term we are focusing on developing our listening skills by listening to stories and retelling them, and singing rhymes with confidence in small groups.
- The children are going to recap and retell experiences and learn how to use the correct vocabulary e.g., when writing their weekend diary.
- We will learn how to take turns to listen and speak during circle times and games.
- The children will develop the confidence in speaking to a group during our 'Show and Tell' activities.
- At home parents can read with the children and encourage them to use their imagination to tell the story in their own words using the pictures shown.





Physical Development

- ⇒ Nursery will be using the large play equipment to practise their climbing skills, and also to use the sliding pole.
- ⇒ We will be start with ball skills, the focusing on throwing and catching.
- ⇒ The children will continue to develop their gross motor skills with activities like running, jumping, and learning to hop and balance.
- ⇒ Fine motor skills activities will include pencil control, large scale painting, outdoor writing and using plenty of scissors.
- ⇒ Parents can get children to practise scissors skills and to use them safely.





YOURSELF

Personal, social & emotional development

- We will continue to learn to share and take turns by playing lots of board games.
- The children will have plenty of opportunities to learn about taking turns to speak and listening to others in our 'Show and Tell' activities through our topic work on colours.
- Self-care skills like taking shoes and socks on and off before soft play, , putting on coats and fastening them on will be given a lot of focus this term, with the children working with their key person to master these skills.
- Parents can help by encouraging and practising these
 self-care skills at home.





Islamic Studies



- The children will continue to recite the dua before we start eating.
- We will also continue to learn about Islamic manners and greetings e.g., saying 'Subhan Allah', 'Masha Allah', Alhamdulillah' etc.
- They will also learn the dua we recite after eating.
- We will continue to focus on Allah the Creator, looking at and talking about all the different things Allah has created.
- We will also learn some of the names of Allah and its meanings.





Quran



Revision: Surah Al Fatihah

Reading: Sing the Arabic alphabet

and Arabic numbers to the

children and teach it to them as a precursor to showing them the

alphabet chart.

