

TOPIC LIST- NURSERY

TERM- SUMMER 1

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Theme: All creatures: Spring/Growing

UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD

- Our Nursery topic this term will be 'Seasons and Growing'
- We will start by discussing the changing season, and then going for a walk around school to look for signs of spring e.g., blossoms, spring flowers, new buds and leaves.
 - The children will be looking at growth and life cycles:
 1. A long-term project by growing beans seeds.
 2. Learning the story of 'The Hungry Caterpillar' – the life cycle of a butterfly
 3. We will learn about the life cycles of chicken and frogs.
- At home encourage the children to talk about what they see when you are out and about e.g. cherry blossoms, spring flowers like tulips and daffodils, and new leaves on trees.
- Model observational and investigational skill by asking out aloud "I wonder if", for example.

PHONICS



Rhyming Words



- In Phonics the children will revisit Aspect 4 and 5 – rhyming words and alliterations.
- We will start Aspect 6 (Voice sounds) and the main focus will be Aspect 7 (Oral blending and segmenting)
- We will continue to develop our emergent writing skills by keeping a bean diary, plus continue recording our weekly Weekend diary.
- The children will extend their vocabulary by blending and segmenting new words.
- At home help the children tune into different sound in English by making changes to rhymes and songs, like: changing a word so that there is still a rhyme “Twinkle, twinkle chocolate bar”

MATHS

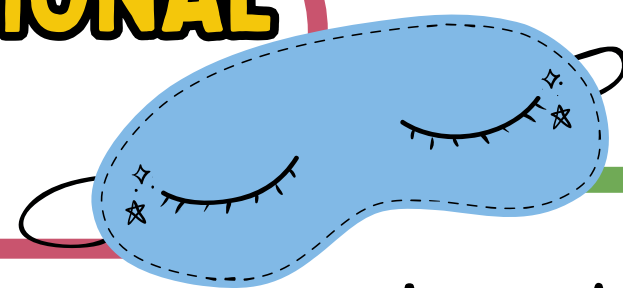
- The children will continue to count numbers accurately using a variety of different ways.
- They are going to learn more about number bonds.
- We will also look at numbers before and number after.
- The topic for Maths this term is capacity.
- The children will be looking at identifying words relating to capacity e.g., full, empty, half full, half empty etc.
- At home ask the children to practise number bonds e.g. two spoon and three forks, how many pieces of cutlery do we have altogether?

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COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE

- This term we will continue to focus on widening our vocabulary – through our topic work on season, growing and life cycles.
- The emphasis will be on asking and answering the 'wh-questions' – 'who' 'what', when, where, why and how questions.
- We will be recording a diary to track the progress of our bean seeds.
- The children are going to look at writing for different purposes – writing initial and other dominant sounds.
- At home parents can help by offering children lots of interesting things to investigate, like different living things. This will encourage them to ask questions.

PERSONAL, SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT



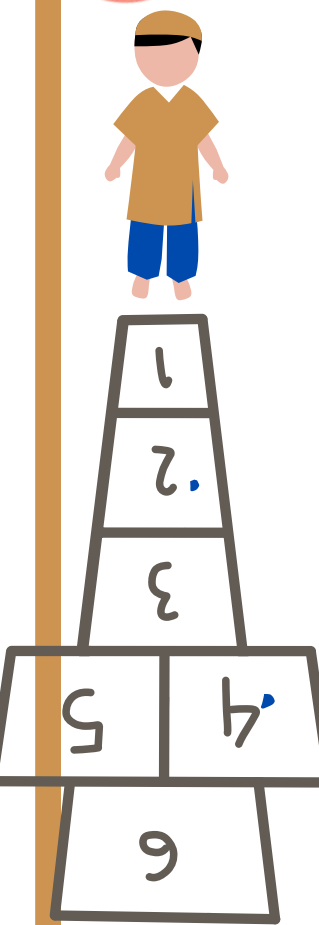
Take care of yourself first

- The children will continue to develop their self-care skills and also to help others.
- The children will be looking at manners – what to say or do when mistakes have been made.
- We will talk about feelings and how we can make ourselves and our friends happy in the Nursery.
- At home help children explore situations from different points of view and talk together about how others might be feeling.



PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

- Nursery will use the bikes this term and learn to cycle around obstacles.
- We will continue to practise and develop our ball skills.
- Large motor skills development will focus on balancing and climbing skills.
- Fine motor skills will focus on using writing tools, cutting skills and using staplers.
- At home encourage the children to become more confident and competent movers by providing opportunities to play outdoor in larger areas, such as larger parks and spaces in the local area.



QURAN

Memorisation:

- Surah An-Nasr

Revision:

- Surah Al Fatiha, Surah Al-Ikhlās, Surah Al Falaq, An Nas and Surah Al-Masad

Reading:

- Sing the Arabic alphabet to the children and showing them the alphabet chart. Pronounce each of the following letters correctly.

ISLAMIC STUDIES

- They will continue to learn about the five pillars of Islam, recapping their experiences of Ramadan and Eid.
- We will recap on toileting etiquette, the dua before entering the toilet, and learn to recite the dua when leaving the toilet.
- We will focus on the story of Prophet Nuh (a.s) this term.