

Nursery Spring 1 Curriculum Leaflet



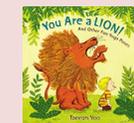
Once Upon a Time - Traditional Tales

Communication and Language

Retell traditional tales using a story map, hot seat as characters from traditional tales and perform stories as a class in small groups and on the stage. Act out the story following an adult narration, use 'first, next and last' to help retell the story and talk about how a character is feeling.

Physical Development

PE lessons with Abdi on the pitch. Yoga using key text You Are A Lion - Balance in a space whilst moving different body parts showing coordination. Make body shapes. Children practise and apply newly learnt skills during independent learning time in the Outside Area. Fine motor skills: Develop finger strength, pencil grip and control i.e. threading, cutting, sharpening pencils, Lego/construction cubes, junk modelling, weaving, playdough. Work towards tripod grasp of pencil, Little Wandle non-cursive letter formation.



Personal, social and emotional development

Develop resilience and perseverance when facing different challenges, be introduced to the skills and tools needed to manage feelings in order to self-regulate. To identify and understand basic feelings beginning to understand how others feel. Introduction of Zones of Regulation. Outdoor learning - importance of safety and a healthy lifestyle - being in nature, exercising, sleeping well, eating a balanced diet. Supported interaction - how to make good friendships, co-operate, resolve conflicts and negotiate roles in play.

Literacy

Key Texts: Goldilocks and the Three Bears, The Three Little Pigs, Jack and the Beanstalk and Little Red Riding Hood- versions by Maria Alperin.

Outcomes: Simple character drawing and name writing (mark making), story map, wanted poster, sorry cards, lists.

Phonics - Little Wandle Foundations for Phonics: oral blending and recognising initial sounds.



Mathematics

Number: For numbers 1 to 5 - count, sort, order, recognise, chant, 1 to 1 correspondence, subitise, link numerals to amounts, one more than, one less, no change to amount if nothing is added or taken away.

Measure: Recognise properties of a triangle, talk about shapes and structures. Compare lengths and heights, vocabulary relating to height and length e.g. short and tall.

Understanding the World

Cooking porridge - how do the ingredients change? Plants and seasons observations - planting seeds, plant life cycle and needs. Collecting materials based on their properties. Lunar New Year.

Expressive arts and design

Outcomes: Sock puppets, Lunar New Year lanterns and dragons, healthy treats for grandma's house, shadow puppets.

Construction of 3 little pigs houses, 'huff puff' straw painting, colour emotion pictures.

Music lessons with Tom - Rhymes and Pitch