

Literacy

The Children will enjoy joining in with stories and rhymes, can talk about characters and events, and fill in missing words. They link sounds to letters, begin blending and segmenting VC/CVC words, and match spoken to written words. They write initial sounds, simple labels, and some lowercase letters from their name.

We are reading

Maths

Counting, ordinality and cardinality-Focus on counting skills Focus on the 'five-ness of 5' using one hand and the die pattern for 5
Compare Mass

Comparison-Comparison of sets - by matching Use the language of comparison: more than, fewer than, an equal number
Compare capacity

Composition-Explore the concept of 'whole' and 'part'
Explore Patterns, copy and continue patterns

Composition-Focus on the composition of 3, 4 and 5
Create simple patterns

Counting, ordinality and cardinality-Practise object counting skills Match numerals to quantities within 10 Verbal counting beyond 20
Identify circles and triangles

Consolidation
Compare circles and triangles

Personal, Social and Emotional

The Children will learn to be helpful by taking on classroom jobs, understand feelings like sadness, and make good choices. They follow rules: Ready, Safe, Respectful, and treat others kindly. They know the importance of teeth brushing, respectful listening, and using kind hands and words to build a caring classroom community.

Understanding the World

The Children will compare fairytale characters from past and present stories. They will talk about events in their own lives and begin exploring family history. They'll discuss familiar events from the past, make bread to explore cause and effect, and deepen their understanding of storytelling, traditions, and personal experiences.

Once upon a time

Physical Development

We will continue to develop our fine motor skills to help develop our pencil grip and control.

Yoga, Forest School, PE

Communication and Language

They will begin to engage in story times

They will be able to join in with familiar songs and rhymes

They will listen to and talk about stories, rhymes and non-fiction

Expressive Arts and Design

The Children will learn and perform Christmas songs and stories, create festive cards, and use puppets to retell fairytales. They'll explore materials like tape to build bridges and express ideas through making. They will also experience a live performance and talk about what they saw, building confidence and communication skills.