

Early Years Curriculum Spring 2024

Maths

Nursery

- ★ Continuing to subitise one, two and three objects.
- ★ Measure - longer or shorter, heavier or lighter and more/less full of two items.
- ★ Explore shape similarities and differences between objects.

Reception

- ★ Number bonds to 10.
- ★ Subtraction.
- ★ Exploring patterns.

Personal Social and Emotional Development

Rights and Responsibilities

- ★ Looking after myself.
- ★ Looking after others.
- ★ Looking after my environment.

Literacy/Phonics

Nursery – Phase 1 Phonics. Aspect 5 – Alliteration.

This is on initial sounds of words with activities including I-Spy type games and matching objects which begin with same sound.

Reception

- Phase 3 phonics
- Non-fiction
- Sequencing
- Recount

Physical Development

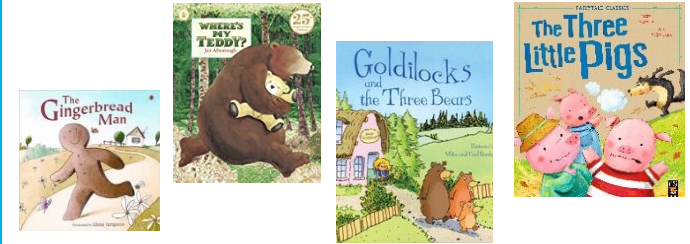
- Throwing
- Underarm throwing
- Overarm throwing
- Rolling
- Stopping a ball
- Catching

Music

- Listening
- Music Games
- Sing & Play

Communication and Language

- ★ Throughout all topics, children will listen to daily stories and share books across the provision, indoors and outdoors. Areas will be rich in vocabulary from all the areas of learning and offer children opportunities to investigate and ask questions.



Once Upon a Time...

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Salvation

- ★ Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter Garden?
- ★ Why is a palm cross a special symbol?
- ★ How do you celebrate Easter at home and at church?

Expressive Arts and Design

- ★ Transient art and collage
- ★ Sculpture- making clay bears

Understanding of the World

- ★ Making and taste testing porridge.
- ★ Baking biscuits and making sandwiches for teddy bear's picnic. Children to plan a safe route beforehand by walking round the village and taking photos.
- ★ Compare and contrast characters from stories including the past. Understand the past through settings characters and events.
- ★ Read traditional tales from other cultures.