

'Unlocking Potential in All, Empowering a Community of Hope.'

Possible Themes

AUTUMN

All about Me
Heroes/ Superheroes
My Favourite Things/
Toys from the Past
Christmas (and
around the world)
Dinosaurs/ Bears
Robots/ Inventions/
Experiments
Owls and other
nocturnal animals

Celebrations

Bonfire Night (art
resources to create)
Diwali (colour
exploration)
Remembrance
Sunday
Advent and
Christmas

We will have a Diwali
workshop this term.

Communication and Language Development

Listening attentively and
respond to what they hear
with relevant questions,
comments and actions

Using vocabulary relevant to
the topic

Physical Development

Negotiating space and
obstacles safely

Developing a secure tripod
grip to support writing and
mark making

Planning Through Stories

The Colour Monster

Owl Babies

The Gruffalo

Stickman

And many more!

Talk 4 Writing texts:

Baby Mouse

The Gingerbread Man

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Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Building relationships with
new peers and adults

Developing an understanding
of their own feelings as well
as the feeling of others

Literacy

Demonstrating an
understanding of what is
being read

Learning single sounds and
blending to read simple
CVC words

Mathematical Development

Matching, sorting and
comparing objects
Exploring size, mass and
capacity
Exploring patterns
Exploring and representing
numbers to five

Understanding the World

Exploring the natural world
around us, making
observations

Noticing and discussing
similarities and differences
in the world

Expressive Art and Design

Singing a range of well-
known nursery rhymes

Safely using and exploring
a variety of materials, tools
and techniques

Our Values

Hope and Trust

Peace

How can you help at home?

RWI- Please read with your child daily and practise their speed sounds. With this you will be able to develop their sounds bank and support them to read simple CVC words.

Books- Please read, share and talk about as many books as you can! Through this you can build your child's language, understanding and love of stories.

Talking- Please talk about what you are doing, where you are going, what you can see... talk about what your child is doing... talking is key to so many new words, experiences and understanding!

Maths- Explore numbers in the environment, compare amounts of objects regularly and see if you can spot any patterns when out and about.