

Maths

We will be counting and chanting numbers in order up to 10 and then 20. We will match numbers of items to spoken and written numerals. We will copy, continue and create patterns. We will learn about the days of the week and use language related to time, such as yesterday, tomorrow, morning, afternoon. We will begin to learn key positional vocabulary such as on, under, beside. We will begin to find number pairs to make 5 and 6.

Expressive Arts & Design

We will be singing familiar and new songs and joining in with dancing and ring games. We will explore a range of resources to create representations of ourselves, and use various construction materials to make enclosures and create spaces. We will be aware that tools can be used for a purpose. We will engage in imaginative role play, using available props or creating our own resources.

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We will share the Creation story and think about how God created our wonderful world.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

We will be beginning to form good relationships with our peers and adults, playing in groups and initiating conversations. We will select and use activities and resources, and begin to communicate with others about our own home and community. We will take turns and share resources with others, becoming aware of the behavioural boundaries in the setting.

Themes for this term:

Settling in
Ourselves
Harvest and Autumn
Healthy eating and exercise
Children's interests

Communication & Language

We will be developing our listening skills when talking one to one or in small groups, and begin to follow simple directions and instructions. We will retell simple past events and use appropriate vocabulary when talking about objects and people that are important to us. We will use language to imagine and recreate roles and experiences in our play.

Literacy

We will listen to and join in with stories, poems, rhymes and rhythmic activities. We will look at books independently and share them with friends and adults. We will begin to give meaning to marks as we draw, write and paint.

Physical Development

We will be taking care of our personal hygiene, washing and drying our hands. We will be dressing and undressing with some support. We will be using equipment and tools safely, and begin to develop our pencil grip for mark making. We will explore ways of moving, such as crawling, jumping, skipping, sliding and hopping, and negotiate space successfully to avoid obstacles.

Understanding the World

We will talk about people and significant events in our own experience. We will know what makes us unique and notice some similarities and differences in relation to friends or family. We will notice and talk about the natural world and found objects. We will explore technological toys to achieve effects such as sound or movement.

Happy Hedgehogs

Hedgehog Class

Foundation Stage 2

AUTUMN TERM 1

