



The children have chosen our weekly themes for this term, these are as follows:

Week 1 – Our Families – Drawing Club Text – The Blanket Bears

Week 2 - Our Town - Drawing Club Text - Whatever Next

Week 3 - Dinosaurs - Drawing Club Text - Tyrannosaurus Drip

Week 4 – Space – Drawing Club Text – The Way Back Home

Week 5 - Inventions - Drawing Club Text - What We'll Build

Week 6 - Inventions - Drawing Club Text - Unplugged

During this term we will develop:

Mathematics

We will learn to:

- Say numbers in the correct order to 20.
- know one more and one less.
- Know the composition of numbers to 8.
- Count objects correctly.
- Find numbers within the environment.
- Talk about and explore 2D and 3D shapes.
- Sequence events and use the language of time.
- · Compare size.
- Compare length.
- Recognise and discuss pattern.

Literacy

We will learn to:

- Talk about books, discussing the main events in the texts.
- Name the different parts of a book.
- Sequence events from a texts.
- Recognise all level 2 and most level 3 phonemes alone and in words.
- Be able to blend with increasing independence.
- To be able to say the letter name and sound for each letter of the alphabet.
- Begin to correctly form letters.
- Be able to write short captions/sentences independently.
- Make marks using a variety of media.

Communication and Language

We will learn to:

- · Listen to Stories.
- Tell stories.
- Use language to share our feelings, thoughts, ideas and experiences.
- Follow three step instructions.
- Use language within role play scenarios.
- Sing a large repertoire of songs and rhymes
- Grow our vocabulary.
- Understand language we hear.

Phonological Awareness

We will learn to:

- give the phoneme when shown all Level 2 and Level 3 graphemes.
- find all or most Level 2 and Level 3 graphemes, from a display, when given the phoneme.
- blend and read CVC words (single-syllable words consisting of Level two and Level three graphemes).
- segment and make a phonetically plausible attempt at spelling CVC words (single-syllable words consisting of Level 2 and Level 3 graphemes).
- read the tricky words he, she, we, me, be, was, my, you, her, they, all, are.
- spell the tricky words the, to, I, no, go, he, she, we, me, be and was.

 write each letter correctly when following a model.

We will follow the Twinkl Phonics Scheme and be consolidating level 3 phonemes.

Understanding the World

We will learn to:

- Develop positive attitudes towards differences in people. We will share our preferences and discuss our choices.
- Identify where we live within the world and begin to understand that there are other countries.
- Develop an understanding of what past and present mean.
- Develop a sense of a membership of the school community and the local community.
- Observe changes to the weather as the seasons change.
- To begin to have an awareness that others may have different beliefs.
- To ask why and how questions about the world around us.
- To begin to have a deeper understanding about why things happen the way they do.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

We will learn to:

- Follow rules and understand why they are important.
- Discuss feelings.
- · Managing emotions.
- Take turns and share resources.
- · Set simple goals.
- Develop a sense of a membership of the school community and the local community.
- Develop strategies to help us with our selfregulation.
- Understand how our actions affect others.

We will do this through circle time sessions, adult directed activities and free choice child-initiated activities.

Physical Development

We will learn to develop our fine motor and gross motor skills by:

• Joining in with daily fine motor activities.

(squiggle while you wiggle programme)

Expressive Arts and Design

We will learn to:

- Take part in role play scenarios.
- Develop narratives around small world toys.

- Using one handed tools and equipment such as scissors and paintbrushes.
- Start to show a tripod grasp when holding and using a pencil.
- Exploring the small world resources.
- Completing more complex puzzles.
- Taking part in arts and crafts activities.
- Travelling around the playground running, hopping skipping, jumping and using the bikes.
- Throwing catching and kicking balls and beanbags.
- Collaborating with others to manage construction equipment to build houses and homes, trees, forests and animals.

We will learn to stay healthy by:

- To know what are healthy choices in relation to food and drink.
- how to brush our teeth daily and know why it is important.

- Explore and join different materials using a range of resources.
- Knowing how to use different resources to join materials.
- Use drawing and painting to represent our ideas, thoughts and feelings.
- Remember and sing songs such as classic nursery rhymes.
- Play percussion instruments and copy and create rhythms.