

Personal Social and Emotional Development (PSED)

- I will separate from my carer with support and encouragement from a familiar adult
- I will seek comfort from familiar adults when needed
- I will be able to distract myself when upset, eg. by engaging in a new play activity
- I will show understanding and cooperate with some boundaries and routines at nursery
- I will respond to the feelings and wishes of others
- I will gain confidence to select and use resources with the help of familiar adults, encouraging independence
- I will begin to accept the needs of others and can take turns and share resources, sometimes with support from others

Communication and Language

- I will understand more complex sentences, eg. 'Put your toys away and then we'll read a book'
- I will understand 'who', 'what', 'where' in simple questions
- I will understand use of objects, eg. 'What do we use to cut things?'
- I will show understanding of prepositions such as 'under', 'on top', 'in' by carrying out an action or selecting correct picture.
- I will respond to simple instructions, eg. to get or put away an object.
- Beginning to understand 'why' questions.
- I will use talk in pretending that objects stand for something else in play, eg. 'This box is my castle'.
- I will begin to have focusing attention- still listen or do, but can shift own attention.

Physical Development

- I will be developing new fine motor skills (funky fingers)
- I will clearly communicate my need for potty or toilet
- I will begin to recognise danger and seek support of significant adults for help
- I will help with clothing, eg. put on hat, unzip zipper on jacket, take off unbuttoned shirt
- I will stand momentarily on one foot when shown.
- I will catch a large ball.
- I will draw lines and circles using gross motor movements.
- I will hold a pencil between thumb & two fingers, no longer using whole-hand grasp.
- I will climb confidently and pull myself up on the new nursery play climbing equipment.



Nursery (FS1)

Autumn Term 2 2018

Topic: Is it Shiny?

Other key events will include:

- Fireworks - 5th November
- Diwali
- National Nursery Rhyme Week
- Walk around the local area on a shape/number hunt
- Post Father Christmas Letters
- Christmas Performance
- Learning about and making a Christingle
- Christmas Jumper Day
- Christmas Party
- Stay and Play Session

Literacy

- I will look at books independently
- I will handle books carefully
- I will hold books the correct way up and turn pages one at a time.
- I will listen to stories with increasing attention and recall
- I will describe main story settings, events and principle characters.
- I will show interest in illustrations in books
- I will recognise familiar words and signs such as advertising logos.
- I will be able to talk about the marks that I write and draw

Mathematics

- I will use fingers to represent numbers
- I will recite numbers in order to 10.
- I will sometimes match numeral and quantity correctly
- I will compare two groups of objects, saying when they have the same number.
- I will begin to notice simple shapes and patterns in pictures
- I will begin to categorise objects according to properties such as shape or size
- I will begin to show interest in numbers and shapes in the environment

Expressive Art and Design

- I will join in singing favourite songs
- I will show an interest in the way musical instruments sound
- I will use various construction materials
- I will imitate movement in response to music.
- I will begin to construct, stacking blocks vertically and horizontally, making enclosures & creating spaces.
- I will join construction pieces together to build and balance.
- I will use available resources to create props to support role-play.
- I will begin to build stories around toys.

Understanding the World

- I will remember and talk about significant events in my own experience.
- I will describe special times or events for family or friends.
- I will seek to acquire basic skills in turning on and operating some ICT equipment
- I will interact with age-appropriate computer software.
- I will talk about some of the things they have observed such as plants, animals, natural and found objects.

