

Communication and Language

Activities to develop speaking and listening:

Role Play
Home Corner
Small World
Puppets and Puppet Theatre

Listening to and talking about stories involving 'Fantastic Creatures' such as: Monsters Love Underpants, Stories about dinosaurs, dragons and mythical creatures

Literacy

Sharing a range of fiction and Non Fiction books

Linking sounds to letters

Stories that rhyme eg The Gruffalo

Writing name, captions, instructions, stories, invitations

Letter formation activities

Mathematics

Recognising numbers 1-10

Different representations of numbers (dice, Numicon, coins etc)
The value of numbers (eg 2 is made up of 2 1s)

One more and one less
Number blocks

Doubling and Halving

Naming and describing 2D and 3D shapes
Patterns all around us

Solving problems involving measures

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

SEAL's

- * Going for Goals
- * Good to be Me

Talking about how we feel
How to manage our feelings

Knowing what is right and wrong and why

Foundation Stage

Spring Term

Fantastic Creatures/ Dinosaurs



Visits:

Chinese Banquet
Creative Learning
Centre
Dinosaur Day

Understanding the World

Small World Environments

Our own local environment

Changing seasons- Spring Time

Using computers, Beebot, listening station

Festivals and the traditions associated with them:

* Chinese New Year *Easter

Physical Development

Finding and using space
Balancing and travelling

Using a paintbrush
Pencil control when drawing.

Healthy practises such as:
healthy foods, good hygiene
etc

Explore using large and small
equipment and apparatus

Creative workshop using clay
tools and scissors safely and
with control

Expressive Arts and Design

Exploring and mixing colours

Collage/ range of other media pictures of Imaginary Creatures/
dinosaurs

Design own Imaginary Creature

Imaginative role play linked to dinosaurs and the discovery of
dinosaurs.

Role Play such as Chinese Restaurant etc

Observational Drawings linked to Spring Time

Artwork relating to Chinese New Year Celebrations