

Expressive Arts and Design

We will be making models of dinosaurs, dinosaur fossils and practising mixing colours. We will make buckets of love, dream catchers, cards, colour monsters



12345 Maths

We will be introducing zero and comparing numbers to 5 using the words more and fewer.

We will be looking more closely at number 4 and number 5, thinking of two numbers that go together to make them.

We will also be introducing numbers 6, 7 & 8 and beginning to add small numbers together.

We will also be exploring mass, capacity, length & height and comparing these using the right vocabulary.



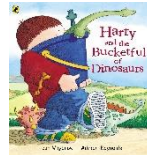
Physical Development

We will continue to have bikes and trikes sessions each week. We will continue to do 'Dough Disco' and exercise programs such as Go Noodle everyday. We will be working on strengthening our hands and our core muscles ready for writing. We will be doing lots of fine motor skills such as threading, using scissors and tracing.



Personal, Social and Emotional Development

In Circle time we will be thinking about how to be a **good friend**, **thinking about sharing** with others and **playing games to practise taking turns**. We will also be learning about mind set and growing our brains like 'Can-do Connie'. We will continue to learn about and follow our school **Respectful Responsibilities**. We will be having a daily stories time linked to our **feelings and emotions** and will have a daily **feelings check** in with the children. We will be **identifying different feelings** and what colour they make us feel.



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Understanding the World

We will share **Christmas news and traditions** in circle time. **We will have an exciting secret visit from a dinosaur!** We will continue our Forest welly walks and will be looking at the weather and colours in the natural environment. We will also look at signs of Winter. We will be learning about dinosaurs in this topic and will also be learning about **Chinese New Year**. We will also look at **Special people linked to RE.**

Red text are **SMSC opportunities** (Social, moral, social and cultural)

Communication and Language

We will continue to play games to **take turns and listen to each others**. We will be listening to stories and asking questions about what we have heard. We will be following and giving instructions. We will be enjoying lots of fiction and non fiction stories about dinosaurs.

Literacy

We will be reading and enjoying lots of dinosaur stories, finding out about dinosaur facts. We will write lists and wanted posters. We will begin to recognise and write our names. We will continue to practise rhyme, play listening games and begin to learn to read red words. We will begin to learn letter sounds in Phonics and learn to write the letter shapes in Kinetic letters. For the Jumper, Abracadabra, Fisher and Special Squirter family letters.

