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CURRICULUM LINK

Communication and Language

- We will each have our turn for our 'Special Day' where we can choose something to talk to the rest of the class about and they can ask us questions about it.
- Play language and communication games.
- Listen and respond to a range of stories, poems and rhymes.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

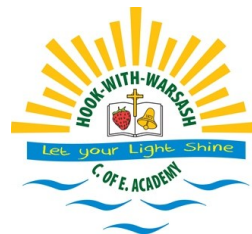
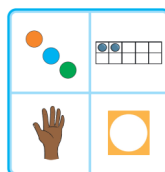
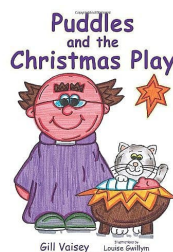
- Continue to build friendships and work together in the classroom.
- Begin to negotiate and solve problems.
- PSHE Topics: 'I'm special, you're special' and 'homes'.
- Learn about our school LIGHT values.

Mathematics

- One to one correspondence when counting.
- Learn number songs and rhymes.
- Find, subitise and represent numbers to 5.
- Begin to understand the concepts of 1 more/1 less
- Addition and subtraction using groups of objects.
- Name, recognise, describe, compare and combine 2D shapes.
- Positional language
- Create repeating patterns and sequences.
- Time— day and night.

Literacy

- Continue to build knowledge of Monster Phonics Phase 2 letters and sounds.
- Practise segmenting and blending skills for reading
- Begin 'Drawing Club' programme to develop vocabulary, story telling, mark making and writing skills.
- Continue with letter formation practise.
- Opportunities for mark-making and emergent writing during Discovery Time activities. Continue 'Message Centre' activities.



Physical Development

- Be more aware of the space around us and move with consideration for others.
- Develop gross motor skills (eg throwing, catching, riding bikes and scooters).
- Develop fine motor skills (eg pencil control, cutting skills, building and threading).
- Understand how to carry and store our equipment safely.

Religious Education

- Explore the Hindu festival of Diwali through story, videos, art and craft
- Explore key question: 'Why do Christians perform Nativity plays?'
- Share and respond to 'The Nativity'.
- Think about the different people and who is important.
- Take part in our own Nativity play in class.
- Share 'The First Christmas', 'Jesus' Christmas Party' and 'Puddles and the Christmas Play' to explore the topic.
- Learn songs and talk about The Nativity ready to visit the church to take part in the Christmas service.

Understanding the World

- Talk about Remembrance Day and take part in related craft activities.
- Forest activities in the environmental area
- Explore our school environment for signs of Autumn.
- Talk about fireworks and firework safety'
- Talk about Christmas traditions here and around the world.

Expressive Arts and Design

- Engage in exercise and dancing songs and activities.
- Explore, use and refine a variety of media to create pictures or models.
- Create collaboratively, sharing ideas, resources and skills.
- Build models with construction toys.
- Create pictures based on fireworks using different media.
- Play imaginatively and create narratives in the small world and role play areas.

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