

Literacy

This topic will allow children to engage in extended conversations about stories and learn new vocabulary. This will develop their early enjoyment and understanding of stories by sharing and discussing their favourite books. They will be encouraged to mark make in a range of different ways and to use some of their print and letter knowledge in their early writing. Some children may begin to write some letters accurately. All children will have daily phonics sessions, but some children will continue to be introduced to a sound per week through Read Write Inc.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

This topic will allow the children to begin to explore situations from different points of view. They will discuss how different characters might be feeling and will be encouraged to bring this into their play. Children will continue to be encouraged to share and take turns. They will find solutions to conflicts within their play and will become more confident when playing with other children.

Physical Development

Children will continually be provided opportunities for play in both indoors and outdoors, to develop their fine and gross motor skills. They will continue to develop their core strength, spatial awareness and co-ordination through a variety of games. They will be encouraged to be increasingly independent as they get dressed and undressed, for example, putting coats on and doing up zips. In PE lessons, children will learn athletic skills in preparation for Sports Day.

Maths

We will begin exploring positional language and learning words such as *on, under, in, out, in front of* and *behind*. The children will practise using this vocabulary through stories, games and practical activities during play. We will also continue developing our maths skills by revisiting repeating patterns, comparing groups using *more* and *fewer*, and exploring *one more* and *one less*. Alongside this, the children will build their subitising skills by recognising small quantities without needing to count each object individually.



Tell Me A Story

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Communication and Language

Through traditional tales, children will begin to listen to longer stories and will develop their ability to remember much of what happens. They will be encouraged to retell stories they have listened to, through their play.



Additional Information

PE: Tuesday and Friday (am)

Tapestry: Please continue to share home learning and experiences via Tapestry.

Changing library books: Wednesday (or when your child is in Nursery)

Being prepared: Please ensure your child has a water bottle, a healthy snack and a sun hat/ sun cream. Please ensure everything is **named**.

Experiences: N2 children will be going to Whitehouse Farm on **Thursday 4th June**.



Expressive Arts and Design

The children will continue to have weekly singing and music lessons with Mrs Milner. Children will be encouraged to become more independent when accessing resources. They will use different mediums, as well as joining different materials and exploring different textures. They will be encouraged to make imaginative 'small worlds', using the Traditional Tales we will be reading.

Understanding of the World

We will begin to explore what maps are and will create our own together, using stories.

The children will be encouraged to talk about changes they notice, through baking.