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## Learning Journey

Nursery

Autumn

September - December 2019

### Physical Development

PE for Nursery is on a Tuesday morning and Friday afternoon. We go to the hall for these lessons!



### Maths

We will be focusing on:

- Using number names in our play
- Reciting numbers in order to 10
- Noticing shapes and patterns
- Using positional language

### We are independent learners

We promote and encourage your child to be independent in their learning every day. Of a morning, support your child in finding their own name and then allow them to hang up their coat on their peg by themselves.

Here are some of the things we will be concentrating on this term:

- Putting on our own coat
- Finding our own name card/peg
- Going to the toilet independently
- Washing our own hands
- Putting on our shoes



### Literacy

Children will spend time exploring lots of stories, rhymes, songs and poems. Together we will talk about how stories are structured and begin to think about characters and story settings.

We will be doing lots of drawing and painting, experimenting with different ways to make marks. The children will be playing lots of games to support them in recognising their own name.



### Technology

During this term, we will be learning about how technology is used. We will explore the large screens in class, as well as iPads.

### We are musicians

During this term we will be learning the musical skills of exploring how sounds can be changed. We will be singing songs daily, as well as tapping out simple repeated rhythms using a variety of instruments.



## P.S.H.E



Our first topic is 'Being me in my world'.

We will be thinking about how help others to feel welcome and how we can make a school community be a better place. The second topic is 'Celebrating Difference'. We will be talking about how everyone is different and how we should include everyone in our play. Jigsaw Jenny will help us along the way.

## WOW!

This term we will use the Wow room to support us when using our imagination to tell stories.

## We are artists



We will be exploring colour and how they can be changed.

## Twitter

Follow us @MrsHarrisN to see pictures and videos of what has been happening in Nursery!



## Home Learning

All children will soon be bringing home a 'Learning Log'. This Learning Log will keep you up to date with what is happening in school and give you activities to complete at home. It will be sent home on a Monday and should be returned the following Wednesday.

## Religious Education

This term we have started the topic 'Myself'. We will learn and understand about the importance of our name and how we are precious to God. We will also be exploring the topic of 'Welcome', which explores how we are welcomed in to the family of God through Baptism. The final topic will be 'Birthdays.' We will learn about celebrating special times and how Advent is the waiting for the birth of Jesus. We will spend time this term exploring Judaism as we learn about 'Other Faiths'.

## We are messy learners

We spend a huge amount of time outside every day. Lots of our learning takes place outside and children have access to new and exciting experiences in the outdoor environment that they cannot access inside. This includes our 'Mud Kitchen' area, as well as the natural woodland area. We support children by providing them with waterproof clothing, but please be patient with your child if they come home a bit messy, this means they have been very busy learning through outdoor play.

