



Nursery Home Learning Activities Autumn Term 2 Wk 5 2020/21



PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

Gross motor skills

- Aim the ball at a shape - drawn on the ground or on a wall

Fine motor skills

Encourage your child to open and close bottle tops

Cutting:

Give your child plenty of opportunity to use a pair of scissors to cut

Music & Movement

Allow your child to listen to and talk about different pieces of music makes them feel.

We will be listening to Vivaldi - The four seasons. Spring

COMMUNICATION and LANGUAGE

TALK, Listen, TALK, Listen, TALK

Create many opportunities for the children to talk and listen with an intentional focus:

TALKING TIME - we will be encouraging the children to talk about their Christmas experiences/memories.

We will also be introducing new vocabulary about textures

STORY TIME! - We will be reading many different stories with a Christmas theme.

Talk About -

Repetitive Phrases -

Sequencing -

Act Out -

PERSONAL, SOCIAL and EMOTIONAL

Independence: Give your child an age appropriate chore to complete each day. They love to help and need to be taught what to do in order to be successful and build self confidence in their ability

- Tidy their room
- Sort socks
- Empty rubbish bins
- Wipe down door handles

Remember 10x more praise than correction. They will get it right with practice.

Socialising: We will be discussing how to be a good learner: sit still, listen to adult and others, always try our best

LITERACY

Read stories: Research has shown that young children should hear at least 5 stories a day.

Writing: Focus = Numbers 1-5

Name cards: Ask your child to demonstrate how they can write the first letter of their name. If it is not recognisable to you, support them to do so.

Phonics: Play a listening game: name several objects that all begin with the same sound - cat, coat, cook, cuddle
See if your child can hear the sound they begin with

MATHEMATICS

Patterns: Look for patterns on the Christmas wrapping paper. Discuss how it repeats itself

Counting: We will be working on number 5. Encourage your child to count out the correct number of objects from a bowl full of objects (1,2,3,4,5)

Measures: Decide on a specific time your child will have a bath, get up, brother comes home, cats need feeding, etc Allow them to check the time, say the time and remember what takes place at that time

Shape and Space: Allow your child to wrap some presents. Talk about what size paper they will need to wrap different size or shaped objects

KNOWLEDGE and UNDERSTANDING of the WORLD

People: Talk about what Santa does at Christmas time

Communities: Recall their past experiences of Christmas

The World: Discover Lapland - the land of Santa and the elves!

Creative: Decorate a a Christmas tree

ICT: You Tube:
Listening Game - Phase 1
Phonics - Listening and Attention Skills