



CURRICULUM STATEMENT – NURSERY CLASS SPRING TERM ‘A’

Dear Parents,

Here is the Curriculum Statement for this half-term. Our topic theme is ‘Home’ and we will focus on the story of The Three Little Pigs and look at castles.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development:	Communication/Language:	Mathematics:
<p>Settling back into the Nursery and following the routine as independently as possible.</p> <p>Circle Time – to develop self confidence and self awareness – thinking about what we are good at and asking for help.</p>	<p>Listening well and taking turns in conversations. Talking about ourselves in complex sentences using ‘and’ ‘because’ to link thoughts. Writing a letter to the Wolf from the story of The Three Little Pigs.</p> <p>Building up and using vocabulary – Language related to castles.</p> <p>Talking about events and stories in sequence.</p> <p>Literacy: (differentiated according to the children’s stage of understanding)</p> <p>Following sound patterns. Identifying rhyming words. Recognising rhythms in words and sentences.</p> <p>Identifying letters by saying their sounds</p>	<p>Creating repeating patterns using colours, sounds and objects.</p> <p>Ordering objects according to length and height – using rulers and tape measures</p> <p>Matching numbers and quantity</p> <p>Looking at numerals in the environment</p>





Understanding the World:	Physical Development:	Expressive Arts and Design:
Looking at the outside environment in winter and talking about what we see.	Transporting large equipment safely – using the large wooden blocks	Using a variety of different mediums to produce ‘cold colours’ artwork
Using a computer to retrieve information about castles.	Using a variety of tools and techniques safely – constructing a castle from a cardboard box.	Learning a simple dance
Operating a technological toy.	Developing gross motor skills – an obstacle course for The Three Little Pigs	Adding a narrative to role play – acting out the story of The Three Little Pigs.
RE: Baptism Prayers Jesus and the children.	PE – (Mr Ferris) Gymnastics – developing core strength, movement and balance.	



Other information

All nursery activities are differentiated according to the ability of the child/children involved. This helps to ensure that all children are challenged according to their current abilities.

A number of our directed activities take place outdoors whatever the weather. Therefore, all children need to have a warm, waterproof coat, hat and gloves in school every day. We really appreciate your help with this as it is important that all activities are enjoyed by all of the children.

Please ensure that all of your child’s school uniform, PE kit and coats are labelled with your child’s name.

Many thanks

Mrs. Taylor

