Children's Learning: Summer Term 2023

Key skills Personal, social and emotional development

- To follow the behavioural expectations in the setting
- Enjoy carrying out activities in the nursery
- Adapt behaviour to different events, social situations and changes in routines
- To be friendly to each other initiating conversations and forming good relationships with peers and familiar adults

Key skills Physical development

- To hold a pencil between thumb and two fingers, no longer using whole handed grasp
- Show some understanding that good practices with regard to exercise, eating, sleeping and hygiene can contribute to good health
- Handles tools, objects, construction and malleable materials safely and with increasing control

Key skills Communication and language

- To be able to focus attention still listen or do, but can shift own attention
- Begin to understand why and how questions
- Use talk to connect to connect ideas, explain what is happening and what might happen next
- Build up vocabulary that reflects the breadth of their experiences.

Key skills Literacy

- Describe a main story setting, events and characters from a text
- Enjoy an increasing range of books
- To attempt writing own name and labels
- To begin to link sounds to letters
- Develop an understanding of rhyme and alliteration
- Begin to blend and segment sounds

Key skills Mathematics

- To be able to separate groups of three or four objects in different ways, beginning to recognise that the total is still the same.
- Shows an interest in representing numbers
- Shows an interest in number problems
- Begins to use mathematical names for 2D shape and begins to describe them

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Recognise and order numerals 1-10

Key skills Understanding the world

- Look closely at similarities, differences, patterns and change
- Shows care and concern for living things and the environment
- Comments and ask questions about aspects of their familiar world such as the place where they live or the natural world
- · Knows how to operate simple equipment e.g. CD player

Key skills Expressive art and design

- Imitates movement in response to music
- Uses various construction materials.
- Captures experiences and responses with a range of media, such as music, dance and paint and other materials or words.
- Engages in imaginative role play
- Joins in with dancing and ring games