

Early Years Weekly Overview

Year Group: Nursery

Week beginning: 13th November 2023

Dear Nursery,

Every Monday, you will see the weekly overview that sets out our learning for the week on the learning section of our school website. Should you have any questions or if you need any further guidance, please email the Nursery team nursery@alexandra.hounslow.sch.uk.

Thank you, The Nursery Team.

This half term our topic is: Bears

Personal, Social and Emotional Development	Communication and Language	Physical Development
This week our focus is playing collaboratively with an adult. So please take time this week to play with your child. Let them choose the game and use sentences as you play. Will you end up playing Doctors, with the cars or perhaps with the teddy bears. Ensure children ask for a turn of a resource and do not snatch.	This week our focus story will be: Peace at Lasy JILL MURPHY	This week we will be introducing the trikes to outside learning environment. We will be encouraging children to peddle and steer in our designated riding area.
I'm special, I'm me! You know your children best – why do you think they are special?		
e.g. You are special because you are my biggest girl. You are special because you are so fast at running. You are special because you are so kind and always help me with your baby brother.	Please check our website every week.	We will also be encouraging children to practice two footed jumps from the ground and a low level. Please practice with your child in your garden or take them to the park.
	This week's key vocabulary	
	Bear, claws, fur, ears, eyes	
	 One, two, three, four, five, etc. 	
	 Snore, peace, hedgehog, clock, night 	



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Literacy	Maths	Reading/Topic	
Talk to your child about their favourite story. Encourage children to speak in sentences in English or your home language. Why is it their favourite story? Who is in the story? What happens in the story? How does the story end?	This week we are focusing on saying number names in order. Ask your child to show you how they count to movement. When counting we are practising saying one number name per object.	Peace at Last: Click here: Peace at Last - YouTube We're Going on a Bear Hunt Click here: Michael Rosen performs We're Going on a Bear Hunt - YouTube	
Time to Talk			
 Can you tell me about some of the noises that keep baby bear awake in the story 'Peace at Last'? What do the trikes look like? 		Do you have any stories at home that are about bears or have bear characters in them? Happy reading!	
Phonics			
This we are focusing on tuning into rhyme. Can you child hear the rhyming words in our favourite nursery rhymes? Twinkle twinkle little star, How I wonder what you are. Up above the world so high, Like a diamond in the sky. Twinkle twinkle little star, How I wonder what you are.		If you would like to share anything with us about your child please email us at: nursery@alexandra.hounslow.sch.uk	