



Early Years Weekly Overview

Year Group: Nursery

Week beginning: 25th September 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: Colours and Nursery Rhymes

Personal, Social and Emotional Development	Communication and Language	Physical Development
<p>This week in Nursery our focus is on turn taking. The children will take it in turns to collect their water bottles, milk and fruit of choice at snack time.</p> <p>Please talk to your child about pulling up their jumper sleeves before they wash their hands. The children wash their hands after using the toilet and we currently have lots of wet sleeves.</p>	<p>We will be focusing on naming some areas of our Nursery. This will help the children to communicate where and what they are playing with.</p>	<p>The children will continue to have the opportunity to explore our resources and use a range of equipment. This includes pencils, paint brushes, chalks, balls and beanbags.</p> <p>We will encourage the children to try a creative activity using one handed tools – brush, glue and scissors.</p>
	<p>This week's key vocabulary</p> <p>Inside, outside, sand pit, bridge, toilet, rainbow room, home corner, creative table</p>	
Literacy	Maths	Reading/Topic
<p>Encourage your child to sing a favourite song from Nursery. This week we will be singing – 5 Cheeky Monkeys, 5 Little Ducks, Twinkle Twinkle Little Star, Humpty dumpty and Incey Wincey Spider</p>	<p>We will be focusing on counting to 5 and using 5 props to sing number rhymes.</p>	<p>The story books that your child bought home on Friday were chosen by themselves. Please read these stories to your child as many times as possible. Further support and ideas can be found here: https://www.alexandra.hounslow.sch.uk/images/uploads/pdfs/Reading_and_Story_Telling_Tips_for_Parents_%28Nursery%29.pdf https://www.alexandra.hounslow.sch.uk/images/uploads/pdfs/EY_Readin_g_Strategies.pdf If you would like to share anything with us about your child please email us at: nursery@alexandra.hounslow.sch.uk</p>
<p>Phonics</p> <p>The stories we have been reading have lots of animal characters (snake, lion, frog, dog). You could play a guess the animal game and encourage your child to listen and make animal noises.</p>	 	