



Nursery
Summer Term 1



Communication and Language	This term we will continue to develop our speaking and listening skills. We will listen and maintain attention for longer periods of time. We will learn key vocabulary based around our 'Plant and 'mini beasts' topic. We will use language related to growth and change. We will retell familiar stories in our own words and connect ideas using 'and' and 'because'.
Physical Development	We will develop big and small ball skills and use goals and basketball hoops. We will play partner and group games and follow rules to simple games. We will also continue to develop our fine motor control by using scissors, tweezers and fastening zips and buttons. We will draw patterns and practise writing our names.
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	As we enter the final term in nursery, we will continue to develop our independence. We will be encouraged to select and use resources with less support. We will develop resilience and keep on trying, even when facing challenges. We will discuss the feelings of others and characters in our focus stories and work on solving our own conflicts.
Literacy	In Literacy we will share write our own stories. We will talk about what we have written. We will continue with our phonics scheme to help us to listen and distinguish between sounds. We continue practising and forming letters in our names.
Mathematics	This term in maths we will continue to practise recognising numerals up to 10 and problem solving with numbers up to 5. We will count sets of objects and calculate one more and one less. We will be ordering numbers from smallest to largest or largest to smallest. Looking at symmetrical patterns.
Understanding the World	We will be planting seeds and caring for them. We will learn about their needs and the best conditions for growing plants. We will continue to celebrate religious celebrations this term including Eid Ul Fitr.
Expressive Arts and Design	In EAD we will be creating our own seed packets and look closely at plants and draw the details we can see. We will also use clay to create texture and make garden ornaments.

If you would like more details, please talk to your child's class teacher.