

Autumn 2 - Christmas Celebrations



<p><u>English</u></p> <p>Read a variety of Christmas stories for enjoyment Read the Nativity Story and discuss its significance at this time of year.</p> <p>Match pictures to captions using the sounds we have learnt.</p> <p>Use the writing resources around the classroom Write... A card for a friend or family member Make a Christmas List Design as sleigh in the construction area</p>	<p><u>Maths</u></p> <p>Night and Day</p> <p>Children talk about day and night and order key events in their daily routines. They use language to describe when events happen e.g day, night, morning, afternoon, before, after, today, tomorrow.</p> <p>Children begin to measure time in simple ways e.g counting the number of sleeps to important events or using timers to measure durations of events.</p> <p>Practice days of the week - Which days do we come to school? Which days do we stay at home?</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mXMofxi6PUQ</p>	<p><u>Phonics</u></p> <p>Practise writing the letter using the correct letter formation https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/t-1-8447-letter-formation-n-alphabet-handwriting-sheet-lowercase</p> <p>Recognise by sight the tricky words .. I, no, go, to, the Listen and sing along to the Tricky Word song</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TvMyssfAUx0 Can you learn any more words from the song? Dojo points for the children that can learn a new tricky word!</p>
<p><u>Personal, Social and Emotional & Communication and Language</u></p> <p>Christmas Party! Christmas music and party games like pass-the-parcel, pin the nose on rudolph and Christmas Freeze!</p> <p>Christmas sing-a-long- Children to learn different songs</p> <p>Circle time game – pass a small Santa toy around the circle. When a child is holding the toy, it is their turn to speak. Can the children say what they would like to get for Christmas? Encourage the children to use full sentences. For example ‘ For Christmas I would like a</p> <p>Praise children who display good listening to others.</p>	<p><u>Understanding the World</u></p> <p>Christmas Around the World - how do others countries celebrate Christmas</p> <p>Role play the Christmas Story using the roleplay masks/headbands outside.</p>	<p><u>Art and Design</u></p> <p>Making Christmas Cards</p> <p>Make Reindeer Party Hats</p> <p>Sing and perform the class Christmas Singalong</p>
<p><u>Physical Development</u></p> <p>Cut out and assemble Christmas Cone Characters</p> <p>Getting dressed into Role Play outfits</p> <p>PE Lessons with Mr Walters</p> <p>Toy catalogues for children to cut out pictures of things they would like for Christmas.</p> <p>Attempt to write name labels for each item.</p>	<p><u>Outside</u></p> <p>Use the outdoor stage to role play the christmas story</p> <p>Sell tickets to watch the Nativity show</p>	<p><u>Things to do at Home</u></p> <p>Make mince pies to leave out for Father Christmas</p> <p>Perform the christmas songs to their families and friends</p> <p>Put on a Nativity show by using members of the family as Mary, Joseph, a King etc</p> <p>Make Reindeer Food to leave out on Christmas Eve</p> <p>https://www.rspca.org.uk/adviceandwelfare/seasonal/christmas/reindeer</p>

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