



# St Joseph's Pre School

## Autumn 1

### Expressive Arts and Design

- Experiment with media and materials
- Explore environmental sounds
- Sing along with familiar nursery rhymes

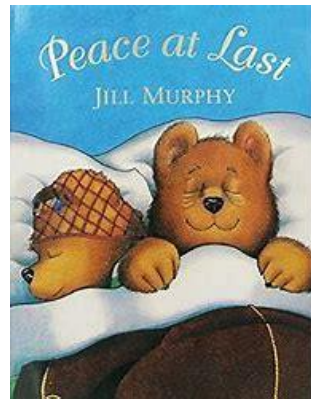
### Communication & Language

- To understand concepts in/on/under/big/little
- Use plurals
- Follow a one-step instruction
- Focus on developing key vocabulary

### Phonics

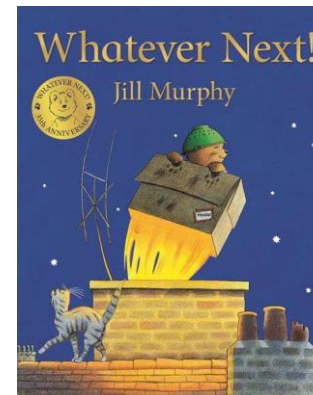
The children will be working in smaller groups to develop Phase 1 phonics. Some of the targets they will be working towards are:

- To share a book with an adult
- Listen to and explore environmental sounds
- Imitate environmental sounds



Our topic this half term will be based around...

Bears!



### Maths

- Say number names in sequence to 3
- Count up to 2 objects from a larger group
- Make comparisons between quantities
- Begin to use fingers to represent numbers 1-2
- Notice an AB pattern

### Understanding of the World

- Explore and begin to understand the world through play
- Talk about self and family
- Talk about what is seen or happening
- Ask questions
- Use natural elements for a purpose

### Physical Development

- Copy straight and circular lines
- Move around and change direction and slow down to avoid obstacles
- Use the toilet and have daytime control

### Personal, Social, Emotional Development

- To establish a sense of self
- Turn taking
- Developing friendships
- Exploring emotions
- Understanding how others may be feeling