



## St Joseph's Pre School

### Autumn 2

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

**Celebrations!**

#### Expressive Arts and Design

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

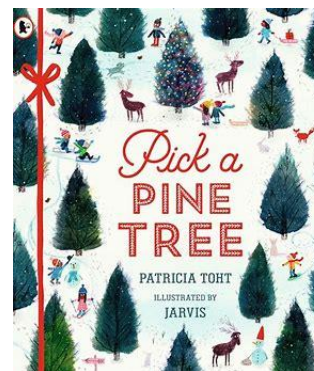
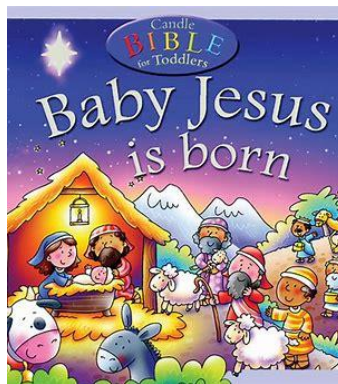
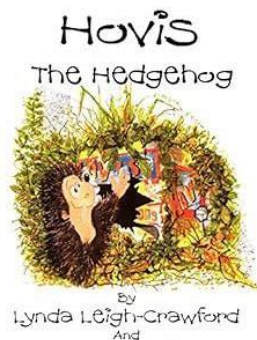
#### Communication & Language

- To understand concepts in/on/under/big/little
- Use pronouns
- Follow a one-step/ two-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:

- Identifying and explore sounds made by objects and instruments.
- Listen and respond whilst an instrument is being played.



#### Maths

- Say number names in sequence to 5
- Can say the total numbers in a set 0-5 by recognising the last number spoken is the total.
- Sort objects by shape
- Use some language of size and position.

#### 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

- To use classroom resources with control, e.g. instruments, books, jugs.
- Run and climb, negotiating space
- Use the toilet independently and have daytime control.

#### Personal, Social, Emotional Development

- To establish a sense of self
- To develop our turn-taking skills
- To begin to recognise and manage strong emotions
- To feel confident to join in other's play.