

COMMUNICATION, LANGUAGE & LITERACY

Writing our full names

Teach and use digraphs and trigraphs – ch,sh,th,ng,ee,or,oo,ai,oa,ar,ur,ow

oi,er,igh,ear,air,ure

Read and write words with the above sounds in

Reading Toys in Space and We're Going on a Bear hunt, ordering events and retelling these stories

Talking and writing about our favourite toy

Writing about adventures we have had in school

Reading clues!

MATHEMATICS

Counting in order 0–30 and 20—0

Recognising numbers 0—20

Understanding and using the numbers 6,7,8

Saying the days of the week in order

Continuing and making patterns

Combining groups of objects to add them together and writing addition sentences

Ordering events in a day and familiar events

Recognising 3D shapes and naming their attributes

EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGN

Construction – building space stations and toys

Role play – home corner, school, space ship

Painting – toys, super heroes

Creative workshop – making toys, making Hootchize and Cuddles, making stick people

Small World – Using space resources to make up stories, making up stories using super heroes

Music – the children will sing simple songs and begin to learn how to sing the notes to Solfa—doh, me, soh etc. They will be encouraged to improvise simple rhythms and use these to create sounds for toys.



Half Term Curricular Overview

Early Years Spring 1



PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

Games – Real PE unit 2 social skills, jumping in different directions

Dance – moving and making shapes to music

Using a correct pencil grip, gaining control with mark making implements and forming letters correctly

Using and holding scissors correctly

Dressing and undressing for P.E

PERSONAL, SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Children will have circle times, discussions, stories and roleplay to support their understanding of :

Humility

Patience

Individual liberty—Freedom for all

How to be a good friend

UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD

Toys –

Our favourite toys

What did mum, dad, nan and grandad play with?

Moving toys, how do they work?

Looking at toys that babies, toddlers and children play with

Following maps and clues

Designing and making toys

ICT – To take turns to draw a picture on an iPad

Looking at Chinese New Year