

The Faculty of Communication, Language and Literacy

Literacy – Poetry

Role play, movements, actions
Draw animal related pictures and label thought/speech bubbles
Make clay/dough of animals and use key vocab to describe what we are doing.
Animal handlers for different animals
Spelling key animal words.
Sequence pictures
Role play different animals

Key Texts:

The Three Little Pigs
Dear Zoo
The Tiger Who Came to Tea
Rumble in the Jungle

Communication and Language

We will continue to develop our communication skills in line with our individual pathways. We will use communication resources such as Makaton, Pecs and switches to support.

The Faculty of Mathematics

Number –

Think about number recognition, counting simple addition and subtraction. Discriminating between contrasting quantities, counting out objects and labelling sets of objects. 1:1 correspondence. Show an understanding of number value. Join in with simple action songs and number songs showing an appreciation for numbers increasing / decreasing.
The animals went it 2 by 2

SSM – Money

Recognise and know the value of different coins and notes.

The Faculty of STEM

Science – Animals including Humans

Identify and name a variety of common animals including fish, amphibians, reptiles, birds and mammals.
Identify and name a variety of common animals that are carnivores, herbivores and omnivores
Describe and compare the structure of a variety of common animals
Use their senses to compare different textures, sounds and smells.

Technology

Use an iPad to take images of work produced.
Print pictures.
Play Big Bang on IWB to explore patterns.

The Faculty of Personal Development

PSHE

Learn how to keep healthy.
Feel positive about themselves
Respect and understand others around you
Weekly mindfulness sessions (yoga)

RSE

Growing up - changes

The Faculty of Sensory and Physical Development

PE

Exploring movement and dance, using skills such as moving slowly, quickly, starting and stopping.
Cat and mouse games
Games related to animals e.g. corners.

Sensory

Access hydrotherapy pool and trampoline, as required.
Complete sensory circuits.

Rainbows

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Paws, Claws and Whiskers

The Faculty of The World Around Us

Geography – Describing Physical Features

Look at world, land, sea, different landscapes
Describe different landscapes
Maps and globes to say where animals are.
Sensory activities for each landscape.

RE - Christianity

Shrove Tuesday
Ash Wednesday
Easter

The Faculty of Creative Arts

Art

Make pictures of animals showing different features - recognise key features.
Print collage of animal skins – feathers, scales, fur
Animal masks
Animal shapes and outlines.
Patterns- spotted, speckled, scaly, stripes, dots and patchy

Music – Animal Songs

Play instruments for different animals
Sing different songs. - Old MacDonald, 5 Little ducks, Baa Baa Black sheep
Performance for Walking through the Jungle

D&T – Design Animal Enclosures

Make model animals using junk and clay.
Create animal enclosures in continuous provision