

Nursery Autumn Term First Half 2023



Nursery Rhymes

<p>Communication, Language and Literacy</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Daily phonics activities• Rhyming activities• Role-play areas: The Giles bakery and greengrocer• Listen and enjoy a range of different nursery rhymes• Reading spine books• Fiction and non-fiction books
<p>Personal, Social and Emotional Development</p>	<p>Jigsaw: 'Being me in my world'</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Help others to feel welcome• Make our Nursery community a better place• Think about everyone's right to learn• Care about people's feelings• Work well with others
<p>Physical Development</p>	<p>Gross and fine motor skills:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Use outdoor apparatus confidently and with agility• Fine motor skills activities including cutting activities, using tweezers, peg, threading and malleable materials• Throwing and catching a ball• Brain Gym: Developing control and coordination• Yoga
<p>Mathematics</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introducing 2D shapes• Rhymes and counting songs• Counting how many• Sorting autumnal resources• Making patterns from natural resources• Problem solving• Positional language

<p style="text-align: center;">Understanding the World</p>	<p>Past and Present:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Circle and snack time • My family <p>People, Culture and Communities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Celebrations: Harvest • The role of the baker, dentist and greengrocer <p>The Natural World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Signs of autumn • The life cycle of a ladybird • Investigating clouds, wind and rain (depending on weather) • Using play dough as a malleable material to investigate pushing, pulling, twisting, squashing, and stretching • Tasting fruits from different countries
<p style="text-align: center;">Expressive arts and design</p>	<p>Exploring and using media and materials:</p> <p>Creating with materials:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Autumnal collage • Leaf print and conker rolling • Paintings of ladybirds • Day and night pictures • Humpty Dumpty shape picture • Fruit printing • Mondrian art <p>Being imaginative:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Role-play areas: The Giles bakery and greengrocer <p>Music:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Listening to, learning to sing or sing along with nursery rhymes and action songs • Clapping rhythms of children's names • Exploring the music area and learning the names of musical instruments • Responding to music through movement and dancing • Songs based on autumn