



Dane Bank Nursery Class – Summer 1

Parent Guide

Communication and Language

This term we will be listening to a wide range of different stories and trying to remember what happened at different points in each story. We will start to express our own point of view and using words and actions to debate when we disagree with a friend or adult.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

We will start to understand how others may be feeling in different situations. We will also find solutions to conflicts and develop appropriate ways of being assertive.

Physical Development

This term we will be focusing on skipping, hopping and standing on one leg. We will also work to ensure that we are becoming increasingly independent when getting dressed and undressed.

Literacy

We will continue to develop our knowledge of phase 1 phonics focusing on oral segmenting and blending, alliteration and spotting and suggesting rhymes. Throughout the term we will work on writing some of our name as well as understanding print has different purpose. We will also focus on reading left to right and top to bottom.

Maths

This term we will revisit 2D shapes and start to explore 3D shapes. We will be comparing quantities of more and less. We will also be describing familiar routes and sequencing time by ordering our day at nursery. **Key vocabulary:** 2D shapes, 3D shape, day, night, more, less

Understanding the World.

We will be using our sense in hands on exploration of natural materials to discuss how we know it is spring. We will be talking about differences between materials and the changes we can notice. **Key vocabulary:** spring, bulbs flower.

Expressive Arts and Design

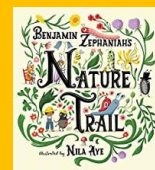
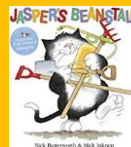
We will be joining a wide range of different materials and exploring texture. We will show different emotions in our drawings and paintings and explore colour mixing. **Key vocabulary:** join, mix, texture.

Theme

Our theme this term is growth and animals.

We will be planting seeds in our outdoor area. We will be watching them grow and describing the changes we can see. We will also be talking about people who help us and having some visitors in the classroom.

Key Texts



Key Information

Books will be changed on Tuesday and can be kept at home for a week.

Snack Money is £2 per week.

Home-school books are sent home each Friday and are to be handed back in by Wednesday.

Please listen to your child read their books and write a comment in the reading record.