

We are now focusing on...

Literacy & Phonics

- ✓ Revise all set 1 sounds and begin set 2 sounds
- ✓ Link sound to the letters to blend and segment.
- ✓ Read and write some common irregular words e.g. the, was, to, he, she, me, we
- ✓ Begin to write simple words and phrases
- ✓ Listen attentively to stories linked to our topic
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Mathematics

- ✓ Counting and comparing groups to 10
- ✓ Introducing zero
- ✓ Composition of numbers to 8
- ✓ Combining two groups
- ✓ Making pairs
- ✓ Compare mass and capacity
- ✓ Length, height and time

Communication & Language

- ✓ Express likes, dislikes and needs to a familiar audience
- ✓ Show back and forth conversations
- ✓ Maintain attention and concentrate
- ✓ Use correct pronouns when speaking

Expressive Arts & Design

- ✓ Colour: examine 'Winter Landscape with skaters and bird trap' by Brueghel (1565)
- ✓ Create Chinese New Year puppets
- ✓ Cutting skills
- ✓ Moving to music



Spring 1

Little Explorers

Arctic and Antarctic

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

Keeping Myself Safe

- ✓ Exploring different ways of keeping ourselves safe in everyday life and online
- ✓ Listening to my feelings.
- ✓ People Who Keep Me Safe.

Physical Development

- ✓ Static Balance
- ✓ Seated Balance
- ✓ Dance
- ✓ Develop knife and fork skills
- ✓ Develop ability to control tools and pencils for writing

Understanding the World (History, Geography and Science links)

- ✓ Recognise seasonal changes in Winter
- ✓ Explore ice and melting, floating and sinking
- ✓ Recognise there are cold and hot places in the world
- ✓ Locate the Polar Lands on a globe/world map
- ✓ Recognise different animals and their habitats
- ✓ Draw simple maps of journeys
- ✓ Compare how we live to a different country

Religious Education

- ✓ Salvation – Find out about the story of the Good Samaritan
- ✓ Examine how we can help others.