

Personal, social and Emotional Development

- Play co-operation games: passing a smile, a hug, a squeeze
- Learning to share with each other
- Learning to work as a group
- Demonstrates friendly behaviour
- Aware of boundaries set

Communication and Language

- Learn about Guy Fawkes and Bonfire night
- Learn new words linked to Bonfire night and fireworks
- Learn about The Nativity Story
- Listen to stories with increasing attention and recall
- Retelling a past event in the correct order
- Builds up vocabulary that reflects the

Physical Development

- Getting dressed and undressed independently for PE
- Exploring different ways of moving, jumping, hopping, skipping
- Traveling with confidence
- Dancing to the Frozen music
- Learning to write our own name
- Holding scissors correctly and

Expressive arts and Design

- Dancing to different types of music
- Use movement to express feelings
- Use the role play area
- Learning songs, using musical instruments to play whilst we sing
- Firework pictures
- Christmas cards/decorations/calendars
- Manipulate materials to achieve a

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Literacy

- Writing our first and second names
- Use some clear letters to communicate meaning
- Writing letters to Santa
- Writing our Christmas present list
- Hear and say the initial sounds in words
- Segment sounds in simple words and blend them together

Mathematics

- Know that numbers identify how many objects are in a set
- Recognising and naming 2D shapes
- Counting songs
- Counting forwards and backwards
- Christmas counting songs
- Order 2 or 3 items by length or height
- Order 2 items by weight or capacity

Understanding the World

- Learning about the seasons and the changes that occur from Autumn to Winter
- Learning about winter animals
- Making firework pictures on the interactive white board
- Looking at ice and what is frozen inside the ice
- Look closely at similarities and differences with living things
- Complete a simple program on the computer
- Know about similarities and dif-