

St John's RC Academy

Class: Nursery October- December 2015

Literacy & English

We are learning to:

Reading

- Choose and retell a favourite story.
- Talk about our likes and dislikes in relation to a story.
- Discuss the characters in a story.
- Talk about a characters feelings.
- Retell a story in order.
- Predict what will happen next.

Writing.

- Share our experiences and ideas in lots of different ways.
- Recognise the different purposes of writing.

Listening and talking.

- Understand that letters make particular sounds.
- Say the sounds made by letters.
- Hear the sounds words begin with.
- Discuss the characters, settings and events in stories and rhymes.
- Talk about how characters feel and react to different events in stories.

Numeracy & Mathematics

We are learning to:

Number, money and measure

- count out loud, up to and back from, a range of numbers using rhyme, stories, and songs
- know that a number is part of a sequence beginning with zero and its value relates to its place
- read, write and count numbers 0-10 in the correct order.
- Recognise patterns of shape and colour.
- Copy, continue and describe patterns and sequences.
- Understand that patterns repeat.
- Recognise that time moves on and associate natural events with times of the day.
- Order events in my day.

Shape, position and movement

- Recognise and identify 2D and 3D shapes and their properties.
- Sort shapes by their properties.
- Use 2D and 3D shapes in creative ways.

Health & Wellbeing

Health Topic

We are learning to:

- Talk about our feelings and needs.
- Talk about our emotions and how they affect how we feel and behave.
- Talk about what makes a good friend.
- Be aware of different types of friendships.
- Be aware of how friendships make us feel.

Context for Learning (IDL)

We will be learning about:

Fairy Stories

Exploring our favourite fairy stories, characters, events and settings.

Light and Dark

Learning about light and dark, the animals which come out at night and events that occur at different times of day. Exploring festivals of light including bonfire night, Diwali, Hanukah and Christmas.

Skills

I can sit in a group and take turns

Talk about what makes me happy/sad/ angry or worried.

ECO

I can reduce, re-use and recycle resources I use to help care for the environment

Other Information

- Please remember to put children's shoes and coat on the white mobile trollies in their bag.
- Please remember to make sure all shoes and clothing is marked with your child's name.
- Please can you provide wellington boots, labelled with your child's name for outdoor play. We go out in all weathers so bringing a warm hooded coat is advisable!!
- Look out for events this term including library visits, sensory stay and play and Christmas song time.
- We will be going along for gym times this session so please make sure your child has suitable indoor shoes.
- Remember to let us know if your child will be late, off sick or at a medical appointment. The number is 01738 454300. Perth and Kinross now have in place a new absence policy which is displayed on the parent board and requires us to contact you if your child is more than 15 minutes late. If we are unable to contact you we need to inform the health visitors of your child's absence. Please can you keep emergency contact details up to date. Let staff know of any changes. Thank you.