

Prime Area: Physical Development

- We will continue to develop our fine and gross motor skills daily, through dough disco and go noodle
- We will continue practicing writing our names and number formation
- Children will continue developing their gross motor skills through using the bikes/scooters and the fireman's pole

Prime Area: Communication and Language

- Children will continue with weekly C&L sessions
- Children will develop their confidence to communicate their opinions and needs
- We will explore the curiosity cube based on our space topic and ask questions

Prime Area: Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Children will learn about and develop their ability to manage their personal hygiene e.g. toileting, brushing teeth, washing hands
- We will continue to develop their ability to communicate their needs, likes, dislikes and interests
- We will discuss which foods are healthy and what makes a healthy lifestyle

Specific Area: Expressive Arts and Design

- We will continue with fortnightly music sessions, using instruments, keeping a beat and singing songs
- We will collage and create pictures of different planets
- Children will paint a picture of an alien

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- Children will learn age appropriate bible stories, focusing on the resurrection and Pentecost
- We will celebrate May as the month of Mary in the church

Specific Area: Maths

- We will continue developing our counting skills, verbally counting forwards and backwards to 10
- We will continue linking numerals to quantities and ordering numbers
- We will explore 2D and 3D shapes and their properties
- We will identify and create patterns
- We will compare weight and size

Specific Area: Literacy

- We will continue with daily phonics sessions, hearing initial sounds and writing our names
- Children will continue taking Nursery Rhyme packs home weekly, sharing the rhymes and completing linked activities
- Children will read stories based on our topic (Whatever Next, Aliens Love Underpants)

Specific Area: Understanding the World

- We will discuss how our world has changed and begin to compare the past and the present
- Children will understand that we live on planet earth and that there are other planets in our solar system
- Children will describe what we can see in our immediate environment and discuss how this is different to space
- We will discuss and watch a rocket blast into space