

## C&L

- asks and answers questions e.g. what, where, when, how?
- responds to simple instructions
- talks about own experiences in sentences
- listens and joins in with rhyming stories

## PSED

- expresses own feelings
- is aware of the feelings of others
- confident to talk to other children when playing
- asks a grown up for help
- begins to take turns and share

## LITERACY

- tells an adult about their writing/mark making
- looks after books carefully
- turns the pages in books
- enjoys rhyme activities
- fills in missing words from rhymes

## UW

- talks about family experiences e.g. Autumn challenge, fireworks, Diwali, Christmas
- celebrates Diwali and Christmas together
- begins to use our technology
- finds out about other cultures

## Patterns



## MATHEMATICS

- uses number names in play
- recites numbers in order
- begins to make marks and find ways of recording numbers
- notices patterns and shapes
- begins to make own patterns
- uses language to describe patterns

## EAD

- sings favourite songs and rhymes
- uses imagination in small world play and role play
- explores shape and colour when printing, painting, sticking, cutting etc.

## PD

- draws lines and circles
- uses large equipment e.g. for climbing and balancing
- shows control using smaller equipment such as spoons and scoops
- manages the toilet by themselves or asks an adult if they need help

## Nursery – Term 2 2016

Please note this information is subject to change as we adapt our planning to suit the needs and interests of the children.

## What can you do at home?

- Go on a pattern hunt! What patterns and colours can you find?
- Make your own wrapping paper. You could draw, paint or print a pattern onto large sheets of paper.
- Write Christmas cards, lists, labels, thank you letters together. Remember your child's lines, marks and squiggles are all the first stages of writing!
- Talk, talk, talk! Talk about experiences together such as fireworks night, Diwali and Christmas so your child hears familiar and new words all the time.
- Read rhyming stories and have fun making up your own silly rhymes.

Did you know?...



Children who learn nursery rhymes do better when learning to read and write as they already have an understanding of how language works.



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# Patterns



Term 2

*Tues 8<sup>th</sup> Nov is our Pattern  
mufti day!*

*Mon 7<sup>th</sup> - Fri 11<sup>th</sup> Nov is World  
Nursery Rhyme Week*