

Dunstall Hill Primary School

EYFS Curriculum Overview – Summer Term 1

Literacy



This half term your child will be focusing on using extended language to talk about stories and using new language. We will also be encouraging children to be more independent with their name writing.

Communication

We will be working on the ability to re-tell stories we have heard in class using detail to order the events. We will also continue to work on learning and using new vocabulary we have learnt.



Physical Development

We will be focusing on playing games in teams with our friends and having a go at racing against others in different ways. We will be exploring lots of different sports to build on our skills. We will continue to look at the importance of keeping our bodies healthy through diet, exercise and oral hygiene.



Diary Dates:

24th April – Eid al-Fitr Celebrations
5th May – Mental Health Awareness
8th May – Bank Holiday
18th May – Orienteering Day

Our Topic is:

Hungry Tummies



Understanding the World

Nursery will have the opportunity to watch our class caterpillars grow into butterflies and eventually join to release them. We will continue to plant different seeds, discussing what we can do to care for them. We will use our observation skills to identify the lifecycle of plants and butterflies.



Our topic this half term is 'Hungry Tummies.'

We will be learning about different kinds of mini-beasts and consider ways in which we can take care of them. We will explore how caterpillars grow and how we look after them by having our own class caterpillars. We will also discuss the foods we like or dislike and consider what is healthy and unhealthy.



Mathematics

We will be learning to link numerals with the correct number of objects. We will also experiment with using marks and symbols to represent numbers. We will begin to use time language to sequence events we know well, such as getting ready for school and our nursery routine.



Personal, Social and Emotional Development

This half term we will be focusing on ways to work together with others in a collaborative way, this will be done by playing lots of fun group games. We will also be continuing to work on following instructions and begin to learn how to follow directions.



Expressive Art and Design

We will be encouraging the children to engage in different kinds of imaginative role play and developing complex stories using props such as dolls and animals. We will also continue to work on our drawing skills, by adding fine details and considering emotions.

