

### Vocabulary

Christmas, celebrate, party decorations, family, friends, bonfire, safety, sparkle, bright, rules, kindness,

### Understanding of the world

We will be looking at the world around us and talking about the changes we are seeing. We will be learning about and recognising familiar events and talking about these. We will be using our weather bear to discuss our clothing and how it changes with the seasons.

### Expressive Arts and Design

We will be practicing and learning new nursery rhymes. We will be discovering what happens when we mix colours. We will be exploring a range of percussion instruments and finding out about how we can change the sound they make.

### Communication and Language

We will be remembering and following our nursery rules and helping others to follow them.

We will be listening to and joining in with our favourite stories and songs.



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### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Every day we will be talking about how we feel. We will listen to our friends when playing and happily talk to them. We will talk about our experiences. We will be learning to take turns and share resources.

### Physical development

We will be accessing the outside area where we will be developing our gross motor skills. We will be using the bikes and trikes. We will also be visiting the wooded area weekly developing our awareness of what is around us. We will be starting to develop our fine motor skills by threading beads etc and using the tweezers, pencils and crayons.

### Literacy

We will be encouraging the children to sing a variety nursery rhymes. We will be listening to stories with lots of repetition and rhyming words; filling in missing words. We will be making marks and telling the nursery staff what the marks represent.

### Maths

We will be practicing our counting daily when we look at how many children are in nursery. Staff will be introducing the numerals 1 - 5, encouraging the children matching a numeral to the quantity. We will be singing songs like 'five little ducks' to help counting forwards and backwards.