

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Class circle time
- Turn taking games
- Weekly 'Life Skills' lessons
- Sensory, mindfulness activities
- sensory trails

Communication and language

- Small world play
- Were going on a bear hunt story sack
- theatre role play with puppets to retell our stories
- Post office role play/supermarket/bakery role play
- talking telephones
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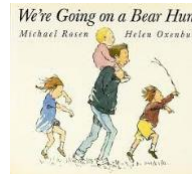
Physical Development

- Gross motor skills through provision (throwing, catching, aiming, kicking and climbing).
- developing balance skills outside in new provision - tree house, trim trails, obstacle courses
- continuing with fine motor interventions and activities including early writing.

Literacy

- Learning The Nativity story and/or Were Going on a Bear Hunt with signing and actions
- Innovating our own version of the story map
- Continue learning Set One sounds and focus on blending
- CVC word puzzles
- Writing Christmas cards
- Labelling presents

Reception Topic Web 2022-2023 Autumn 2 - Journeys



Maths

- Exploration of Numicon up to 10
- Number and place value to 5
- sorting
- comparing quantities of objects
- Fewer, more, the same.
- SSM - sequencing days

Understanding the World

- Discussing celebrations that are special to us.
- Exploring the similarities and differences in celebrations that we participate in.
- Learning about other celebrations as well as Christmas (Diwali and Hanukkah).

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- Learning the Nativity Story
- Performing a Nativity
- Exploring the key question 'Why do Christians perform Nativity plays at Xmas?' through singing, drama and art.
- Learning about other religious celebrations (Diwali, Hanukkah).

Expressive Arts and Design

- Learning different songs/our Nativity songs.
- Opportunities to explore different construction materials.
- Making firework pictures.
- nursery rhyme station
- exploring chalk/charcol