Lea Nursery School

Autumn Term 2 (2024)



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At Lea Nursery we engage in cultural capital events, festivals and celebrations throughout the year and these experiences offer lots of opportunities for children's curriculum skills development expected to be covered during a child's time in the Early Years Foundation Stage. We also ensure that we maintain our links with parents and offer a variety of parent information sessions throughout the year. Outlined below is an overview of the curriculum aspects to be covered, the main planned experiences and parent meetings for the Autumn Term 2023

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| Wk. 1 04/11 to 8/11/ | Wk. 2 11/11 to 15/11 | Wk. 3 18/11 to 22/11 | Wk. 4 25/11 to 29/11 | Wk. 5 02/12 to 6/12 | Wk. 6 9/12 to 13/12 | Wk. 7 16/12 to 20/12 | | | |
| Topic: Festivals of Light & Winter (We plan with a skills-based approach looking at the EYFS curriculum skills objectives children are working towards, and we combine the skills focus with our topic and celebrations, events to create relevant learning experiences) | | | | | | | | | |
| Diwali/Guy Fawkes Festivals of light Splatter painting | Diwali/Guy Fawkes Festivals of light Splatter painting IEP parent meetings | Winter changing from Autumn to winter. | Winter changing from Autumn to winter. Hibernating animals Comparing differences between summer and winter | Winter changing from Autumn to winter. Hibernating animals Comparing differences between summer and winter | Stay and play for January Starters. Winter Sing along parents invited Wednesday 11 December 2024 AM 9 to 9:30 PM 12:50 to 1:20pm | Wednesday 18 th Father Christmas to visit! Parents can take pictures of their child with Santa at the end of their nursery session. Please note parent and Keyworker progress meetings will take place 2 nd week of our return – Monday 13 th January. Please sign up this week for your app Friday 20 th All children will be invited to come to the morning session from 8:35 to 11:35. Nursery will close for pupils at 11:40am | | | |
| Child Focus Bonfire Night/ Fireworks Night/Guy Fawkes. Fine motor development Key Text: Monster Phonics | Child Focus Bonfire Night/ Fireworks Night/Guy Fawkes. Fine motor development Key Text: Monster Phonics | Child Focus Going on a Bear Hunt preposition/numerals to 10/language skills Key Text: Going on a Bear Hunt | Child Focus Going on a Bear Hunt – preposition/numerals to 10 / language skills Key Text: Going on a Bear Hunt | Child Focus Yule/Advent/Winter Christmas Dec – Jan Count down to the winter holidays – numbers. Snowflakes – understanding shape. Key Text: Stickman | Child Focus Jewish - Chanukah (Hanukkah) Kathika Deepam: is a festival of lights that is observed mainly by Hindu Tamils Bodhi Day: Day of Enlightenment, Buddhism. Key Text: Stick Man | Child Focus Yalda: 21 December – Winter Solstice. Yule/Advent /Christmas Koliada or koleda is the traditional Slavic name for the period from Christmas to Epiphany to honor the sun during the Northern- hemisphere winter solstice. It involves singers who visit houses to sing & give gifts. | | | |