

Expressive Arts & Design

We are learning to...

- ◇ Explore different textures and join materials.
- ◇ Remember and sing entire songs while keeping the melodic shape.

PARENT INFORMATION:

Coat, Hat and Scarf: Please make sure your child brings a coat everyday and a set of **named** winter woollies during this inclement time of year so that we may continue to access outdoor provision during the colder months. It would help nursery staff if children can make efforts to put these items on independently so please encourage this at home!

Library: We hope you are enjoying sharing our selection of books at home with your children! Library will recommence Friday 4th November until the penultimate week of term.

Evidence Me: It is wonderful to see the children sharing their nursery learning at home in observations submitted by parents. Please keep sharing these WOW moments and relevant family experiences.



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Nursery Curriculum Booklet

AUTUMN 2

Let's Celebrate!



DANE ROYD SCHOOL

PRIME AREAS

Communication & Language

We are learning to...

- ◇ Sing a wider repertoire of songs & nursery rhymes.
- ◇ Understand an instruction that has two parts; such as “Boys, get your coat and wait at the door”
- ◇ Engage in a back-and-forth conversation with an adult or a friend, and continue for several turns.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

We are learning to...

- ◇ Play with one or more other children, extending and elaborating play ideas in areas of provision.
- ◇ Develop a sense of responsibility & community in class; particularly at tidy-up time, & demonstrate a ‘can-do’ attitude when dressing for outdoor play.

Physical Development— Gross Motor

We are learning to...

- ◇ Develop movements, balancing, riding & ball skills.

Physical Development—Fine Motor

We are learning to...

- ◇ Show preference for a dominant hand and hold tools comfortably with developing control to cut & mark-make.

SPECIFIC AREAS

Literacy—Reading

We are learning to...

- ◇ Accumulate a wider range of vocabulary through exploring the meaning of new words in stories.
- ◇ Develop our phonological awareness; i.e clap syllables and spot rhyme.

Literacy—Writing

We are learning to...

- ◇ Draw with increasing complexity and detail.

Maths

We are learning to...

- ◇ Develop fast recognition of up to 3 objects without having to actually count them (subitising)
- ◇ Show ‘finger numbers’ and link numerals & amounts up to 5.
- ◇ Extend and create ABAB patterns and correct errors.

Understanding the World

We are learning to...

- ◇ Experience some traditions & customs which symbolise various cultural & religious celebrations.
- ◇ Investigate how shadows work with puppets.
- ◇ Explore changes in state (freezing—melting)