

Expressive Arts & Design

We are learning to...

- ◇ Manipulate and play with different materials to make a self-portrait.
- ◇ Listen with increased attention to sounds.

PARENT INFORMATION:

Wellies: We kindly ask that if you haven't already; you provide a pair of named wellies that can be kept in school so that your child can enjoy learning outside even when it is damp.

Library: Your child is invited to choose a book from our school selection to take home each **Friday**. To facilitate this we ask morning nursery parents to arrive at school a little earlier to collect at **11:30am** on this day so that you may come inside and assist your child in choosing their book. Afternoon nursery parents may assist their child at the regular dropping off time **12:15pm**. Those accessing wraparound will be assisted by nursery adults in class.

We kindly ask that you read these over the weekend and return them each **Tuesday** ready for the following Friday.

Evidence Me: You will shortly receive an email to the [first_email_address_on_school_file](#) with the unique registration details for the information sharing app allowing you to share learning experiences at home with us in school.



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Nursery Curriculum Booklet

AUTUMN 1



Magical Me!



DANE ROYD SCHOOL

PRIME AREAS

Communication & Language

We are learning to...

- ◇ Join in with simple songs & nursery rhymes.
- ◇ Listen to simple stories and understand what is happening with the help of pictures.
- ◇ Focus attention on an adult in short group inputs.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

We are learning to...

- ◇ Increasingly follow rules and understand why they are important.
- ◇ Feel comfortable in the setting in order to become more outgoing and confident.

Physical Development—Gross Motor

We are learning to...

- ◇ Take part in group activities and circle/ring games.

Physical Development—Fine Motor

We are learning to...

- ◇ Develop manipulation and control when using tools like paintbrushes and crayons and when building or completing puzzles.

SPECIFIC AREAS

Literacy—Reading

We are learning to...

- ◇ Enjoy sharing books with an adult—seeking out our favourites and repeating familiar words & phrases.

Literacy—Writing

We are learning to...

- ◇ Enjoy drawing freely and make marks for meaning.

Maths

We are learning to...

- ◇ Join in with simple number rhymes.
- ◇ Notice patterns and arrange things in patterns.
- ◇ Identify, match and sort items by colour.

Understanding the World

We are learning to...

- ◇ Explore natural materials using our senses.
- ◇ Notice and respect differences between people.
- ◇ Make connections between the features of their own family and others'.