Expressive Arts & Design

We are learning...

• To experiment with design skills including; printing, scrunching, folding and joining.

PARENT INFORMATION:

P.E. Kit: Your child will need to come dressed in their P.E. kit each **Friday**.

Reading at Home: Your child will bring home a reading folder and library bag each **Friday**. We kindly ask that you read these over the weekend and return them each **Tuesday**.

Class Twitter: Please remember to follow us at **@DaneRoydUFS** for all updates.

If you have any queries regarding any of the above please email EYFSLead@daneroyd.com

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

- PTFA Disco: Wed 21st Feb
- World Book Day: Thurs 7th Mar
- Red Nose Day: Fri 15th Mar
- Consultation Evenings: Wed 20th & Thurs 21st Mar
- Easter Assembly—Thurs 21st Mar

Upper Foundation Curriculum Booklet

SPRING 2

Growing



PRIME AREAS

Communication & Language

We are learning...

- To make comments about what we have heard and ask questions to clarify our understanding.
- To articulate our ideas and thoughts in well-formed sentences
- To use talk to help work out problems and organise thinking and activities.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development We are learning...

- To show an understanding of our own feelings and those of others, and to begin to regulate our behaviour accordingly.
- To set and work towards simple goals, to tolerate a delay for something we want and to control our impulses when appropriate.

Physical Development— Fine Motor

We are learning...

• To hold a pencil effectively in preparation for fluent writing.

Physical Development—Gross Motor

We are learning...

- To combine different movements with ease and fluency.
- To demonstrate strength, balance & co-ordination when playing.

SPECIFIC AREAS

Literacy—Reading

We are learning...

- To read words consistent with our growing phonic knowledge using 'Fred Talk' to blend known sounds and increasingly silent blending to aid fluency.
- To recognise 4/5 letter words and some red words (common exception words)

Literacy—Writing

We are learning...

To write captions where some words are spelt correctly and others are phonetically plausible.

Maths

We are learning...

- I can compare sets of items and say whether they have more, fewer or the same number of items as another set.
- I can recognise and show the numbers 9 and 10 in different ways.
- I can explore number bonds to 10 using real objects.

Understanding the World

We are learning...

- To make observations of animals and plants and explain why some things occur, and describe changes.
- That our food is grown and travels from different places across the world.