

Expressive Arts & Design

We are learning to...

- Shows different emotions in drawings and painting by using colours and marks.
- Explore the artist Van Gogh and others like him.

PARENT INFORMATION:

- As the weather is turning warmer yet unpredictable, please ensure that your child still brings a coat to school, this could be a light water-proof jacket.
- To endure sun-safety, your child will need to bring a named sun hat to protect them when outside.
- We also ask you to apply sun-lotion to them before school. (Children who are staying all day can bring sun-lotion in a named bottle to be re-applied for the afternoon session.)
- Children need to bring a named water bottle to school filled with plain water, this is especially important during the summer months to keep them hydrated.
- Just a reminder that if your child attends our Wrap-around facility and has a school dinner, parents can order the dinner from home.



Foundation Stage Curriculum Booklet

Summer 1

Growing



DANE ROYD SCHOOL

PRIME AREAS

Communication & Language

We are learning to...

- Understand why questions.
- Explore what why means and learn what we can learn from asking why questions.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

We are learning to...

- Select and use activities and resources, with help when needed, to achieve an individual goal.

Physical Development— Fine Motor

We are learning to...

- Develop control when using mark-making equipment.
- Show developing control when tracing lines and practising our name.

Physical Development—Gross Motor

We are learning to...

- Develop our balancing skills.
- Use large muscles to complete gross motor activities like obstacle courses.

SPECIFIC AREAS

Literacy—Reading

We are learning to...

- Discuss key concepts of a book.
- Name the different parts of a book and discuss and use new vocabulary encountered.
- Identify that the print has meaning and we read from left to right.
- Continue blending orally and develop our skills to blend written words

Literacy—Writing

We are learning to...

- Begin to form recognisable letters and write some or all of our name.

Maths

We are learning to...

- Use length and weight vocabulary to describe objects.
- Order the height of sunflowers from smallest to largest.
- Use non standard units of measure to attempt to measure objects.

Understanding the World

We are learning to...

- Plant seeds and care for growing plants.
- Understand life cycle of plants (sunflowers) and animals (frogs).
- Begin to understand need to respect and care for the natural environment and living things.