

Communication and Language

As this week is Interfaith week and we are visiting our Church. The children will be exploring the vocabulary used and hopefully using it in their own discussions. They will be encouraged to express their thoughts

Physical Development

The children will be doing PE in the hall twice this week. They have dance on Tuesday and gymnastics on Friday morning. The children will be working on their fine motor control by using scissors and learning how to fasten and unfasten buttons.

Personal, Social and Emotion

This week we will be exploring more calming techniques and the children will take part in several simple meditations throughout the week. We will continue to work on our breathing exercises and calming routines.

Literacy

The children will be working on writing simple sentences and exploring why it is important to include finger spaces. In phonics we will be looking at the sounds z and recapping on all the sounds taught so far. The children will be writing about the Nativity story.



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Understanding of the World

We will be looking at similarities and differences within Christianity around the world. The children continue to look at how the seasons are affecting our environment and how animals and people adapt. They will be talking about how Christmas was celebrated in the past.

Expressive Arts and Design

This week we will be acting out the story of the Nativity and talking about the sequence of events. The children will be creating a winter picture using printing techniques.

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As part of our work on Interfaith week we are looking at Christianity and how it is represented around the world. We will also be looking at the Nativity story.

'A sweet friendship refreshes the soul'

Mathematics

We are going to look at the mathematical concept of part and whole. The children will be exploring what makes an amount whole and what makes it part of the whole. This concept is an important one for children to grasp as it is the building block for addition and subtraction.

Parental Involvement Activity

We are exploring the celebration of Christmas with the children and talking about what they do at home. We would like you to talk to the children about what you did when you were young. What was your favourite present when you were your child's age? What was your favourite part of the day Perhaps grandparents could also talk about what they remember about Christmas? Share old family pictures and share with your child why Christmas is important to you.