

Communication and Language

This week the children are going to ask questions to find out more and to check they understand what has been said to them. We will be researching brown bears and using books to find the answers. The children will be playing 'What's in the bag?' 'Where they will be asking questions to find out what animal I have hidden in a bag.

Physical Development

Our PE lesson's for this term will focus on Dance and the use of hoops and quoits. On Wednesday we will begin to practice our 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt' performance with a little help from Michael Rosen himself. The children will also continue to work with hoops and quoits to play various games and work on their hand/eye coordination.

Personal, Social and Emotion

We will be looking at the varied factors that support their overall health and wellbeing: - regular physical activity - healthy eating - toothbrushing - sensible amounts of 'screen time' - having a good sleep routine - being a safe pedestrian. This week we are looking at a healthy diet.

Literacy

This week we are starting our new book Silly Doggy by Adam Stower. We will be talking about how we can help the Safari guide make wanted posters to help find the missing animals. In phonics the children will be learning about the 'oi' sound. We will hear all the children read on Friday so please make sure you send their reading books in.

Hatchmere Planning

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Understanding of the World

Teddy Bears! Who invented them? Where did they come from? Hatchmere will be looking at the history of teddy bears, their invention and comparing new and old styles of teddy bears. Do you have an old teddy bear in the family? Can you compare it with one of your child's teddy bears? What are the differences?

Expressive Arts and Design

The children will be working with charcoal to make observation drawing of their favourite teddy bear. They will be using the playdough to make bear models in preparation for next week where they will be using clay to make bear models.

RE

In RE this week we will be look at the Islamic faith and how Muslims follow their faith.

Mathematics

Our mathematicians will continue to explore the skill of subitising (seeing the quantity without counting). They will be looking at more complex patterns of numbers and working out how to calculate them without counting (the arrangement of number on a dice is a basic example of this). Alongside subitising Hatchmere will also be looking at quickly recalling 'one more and one less' of a given number.

Parental Involvement Ideas

This week we going to be talking about a healthy and well-balanced diet. Talk to your children about what is healthy, and they can eat lots of and what is unhealthy and the children should only eat a little bit of. See if your child can recognise the healthy parts of the different meals you eat in the week. Have a healthy hunt in the kitchen and see if your child can identify five healthy foods.