Nursery Curriculum Letter

Spring 2 2023

Personal, Social and Emotional Development Learn to take turns in role play by ourselves without an adult helping. Talk about rules in our community and identify right and wrong actions. Think about when we grow up and talk about jobs we might like to do. Understand and show different emotions when we do our acting. Learn how to look after our bodies to keep healthy when we learn about the jobs of Doctors and Dentists. Talk about how other people might be feeling if they had to go to the Doctor.	Communication and Language Use new language related to different jobs in our role play areas- Doctors, Baby Clinic, Construction, Bakery, Fire & Police. Use the puppet theatre to put on a show using different voices for characters. Practise our big, brave voices when we are role playing. Name parts of our bodies. Listen to books and videos about different jobs and talk about what we have seen and heard. Follow instructions when playing music, cooking, making models and painting.	Physical Development Construct with different materials in our builder's yard. Use our mark making skills when writing orders and prescriptions in our role play. Use skills like stirring, grating and chopping in our cooking when making flapjack, fruit salad, cupcakes and pizza wheels. Be more independent when putting on and taking of clothes for role play. Balance wheel barrows in our construction area. Ride bikes and scooters in our Fire and Police role play. Improve our pencil control to start to write letters of our names.
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Literacy Book week- learn all the names of parts of a book. Listen to poems and talk about what they mean. Listen to stories and talk about them. Practise oral blending of words and identify initial sounds. Select our library books to share at home. Learn and use new words every week.	Mathematics Solve number problems in our role play and small world. Use words to compare quantities in our bakery. Compare lengths & weights of materials. Select appropriate shapes for building houses and models. Sequence events when cooking using first, next, then.	Understanding the World Learn about different jobs and role play them. Talk about what we see as we play with wheels and ramps. Learn about different animals and the countryside in book week. Learn about Mother's Day and Easter. Explore how things work when using tools.	Expressive Arts and Design Explore different instruments and make our own songs. Make our own musical instruments. Use different objects for printing like wheels, tubes and cloths. Use different materials to make cards and craft for Mother's Day and Easter. Use construction kits to make models and talk about them.
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