



Week Beginning: 14th January 2019 Theme: Favourite rhymes

Monday: To start our week we will be discussing our favourite rhymes. The children will be able to join in singing these to the class. For our adult focus activity we will be using the letter and number wipe clean books to help support the children with their recognition of these.

This afternoon we will be playing eye spy. The children will be able to describe what they can see. We will be completing an all about me sheet. This will help the children to feel included with the classroom.

Tuesday: This morning we have forest school. The children will be creating hibernation houses. This could be for a hedgehog, squirrel or a badger. We will be talking about hibernation and why animals do this during the winter season.

Read our book of the week which is 'Farmer Cleggs Night Out'. We will be discussing this as a group and talk about our findings.

This afternoon we will be focussing on Makaton. We will learn various Makaton rhymes and learning the signs for each rhyme. We will use instruments to tap out nursery rhymes in small groups. Will the children be able to copy the rhythm of the beat?

Wednesday: Today we will be working as a class to learn a Makaton rhyme. The children will be encouraged to learn the signs for each rhyme. As our adult focus activity this morning we will start creating a baby shark display. The children will use a variety of art and craft materials to create this.

To start our afternoon session we will be singing our jolly phonics and our sound of the week. Our sound of the week is 'B'. We will be painting pictures of our favourite nursery rhyme characters.

Thursday: Today is show and tell. We are inviting the children to bring into nursery something to do with their favourite nursery rhyme. This morning the children will be joining in with dance this morning as a class group.

The children will be following instructions through dance. Can you hop like a bunny? Can you tip-toe like a mouse? We will take it in turns to role play together in the home corner.

Friday: As a class group we will be singing jolly phonics and our sound of the week which is 'B'. We will play a colour snap game in small groups; this will help the children understand how to listen to the rules on play a game.

This afternoon we have forest school where the children will be able to create hibernation animal houses for a squirrel, hedgehog or a badger. Following forest school we will be reading our book of the week which is 'Farmer Cleggs night out'.

Forest School: Tuesday morning and Friday afternoon

Home learning: Sing favourite rhyme with family.

This is a brief overview of the week's planned activities.

For more in depth information please see the planning board in the classroom.

