



St Bede's Catholic Primary School and Nursery

Nursery Medium Term Plan

Autumn Term 2023~2024



Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Children will know:

- sharing and turn taking are a key to forming friendships;
- some different feelings and emotions;
- nursery rules;
- their friends can be feeling a different emotion to themselves;

Children will be able to:

- form good relationships with adults and peers;
- share and take turns with others;
- find their way around the nursery;
- try something new;
- look after their personal hygiene with greater independence;
- tidy away equipment appropriately;
- look after resources;
- talk to an adult to help them with a problem they have;

Communication and Language

Children will know:

- simple words and phrases for rules and routines;
- a wider range of vocabulary;

Children will be able to:

- take part in daily activities;
- use simple questioning skills during class activities;
- use simple explanation skills during class activities;
- sing the words to a variety of nursery rhymes;
- begin a conversation with another child;
- speak in 3-4 word sentences;
- use their developing vocabulary in different contexts;

Physical Development

Children will know:

- different ways to travel across a space;
- the names of different parts of the body and how they work;
- what tool is needed for cutting paper;
- the tools needed for mark making;

Children will be able to:

- explore indoor and outdoor spaces independently;
- demonstrate hand-eye coordination with increasing accuracy;
- handle classroom equipment and tools with safety and care;
- demonstrate an ability to hold marking tools with the tripod grip;

Literacy

Children will know:

- their name in written form;
- books contain stories;
- written words have meaning;

Children will be able to:

- take part in story time;
- recall characters they encounter during story time;
- begin to answer simple questions about books they read;

Maths

Children will know:

- the value of numbers 0-5;
- the name of some 2D shapes;
- some positional language;
- the days of the week;
- some of the months of the year;

Children will be able to:

- demonstrate counting through games, puzzles, songs, role-play and matching;
- join in with counting rhymes;
- identify some 2D shapes in their classroom and outdoor environments;
- sort objects by size, shape and colour;
- talk about some shapes they find in their classroom and outdoor environments;
- join in the daily days of the week song;
- join in the daily date of the day discussion;

Understanding the World



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<p>Children will know:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• names of the seasons;• the signs of Autumn and the effects it has on their environment;• there are different ways of celebrating Christmas around the world;	<p>Children will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• talk about themselves and their family;• recognise that there are many different cultures represented at St Bede's;• explore and experiment with a range of different materials;• identify some changes in the seasons;• understand people look different, however, we should all be treated with kindness;
Religious Education	
<p>Children will know:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• some simple prayers and hymns;• the importance of their name;• that they belong to a family;• God knows and loves each one of us;• what a birthday is;• what a welcome is;• Baptism is a welcome to God's family;• that Advent is a time to get ready for Jesus' birthday at Christmas;• some other faith celebrations (Diwali and Hanukkah);	<p>Children will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• make the sign of the cross;
Expressive Arts and Design	
<p>Children will know:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• the names of the resources they use in their artwork;• some colours can be mixed together to make a different colour;• the names of some musical instruments;	<p>Children will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• use a variety of mark making tools and resources with increasing independence;• explore materials in 2D and 3D forms;• develop their imagination and creativity through role play opportunities that are closely linked to our topics;• provide their own ideas for role play areas and resources;