Literacy

2-3 years

Enjoys songs and rhymes tuning in and paying attention Copy finger movements and other gestures Pay attention and responds to the pictures or the words in books

Enjoy making marks freely

3-4 years

Enjoys making marks independently

Joins in with a range of Nursery Rhymes, jingles and songs To be able to enjoy stories with adults, sometimes in a small group

To begin to develop play around favourite stories using props Discriminates between different sounds. (Environmental and instrumental sounds)

Talks about pictures in books





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Physical Development

Making snips with paper :- Practise tearing paper Digging, scooping

Able to use a spoon/fork/knife to feed self/ cups to drink Paint brushes - large movements - circular, up and down :large paintbrushes/ large sheets of paper/ ground

Use tweezers to pick up/ move large objects i.e. pasta

Thread large objects onto pipe cleaners

Using a variety of tools to manipulate play dough

Using glue spreaders

Pencil control

Continue to develop their movement, balancing, riding (scooters, trikes and bikes) and ball skills.

Match their developing physical skills to tasks and activities in the setting.

Be increasingly independent as they get dressed and undressed, for example, putting coats on and doing up zips.

Communication and Language

2-3 years

Opportunities for singing, music and toys that make sounds

Developing use of single words during play through adult interactions

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Listening to stories and begin to recall information Developing listening skills

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Settling in / Who am I?

Understanding the World

Shows an interest in photographs of themselves and familiar people and objects

Identify where things belong in the environment Eg: where my bottle/coat/painting goes

To be able to identify similarities and differences between themselves and peers.

To make self-portraits.

Children to begin to talk about significant events in their life. Harvest

Talk about where vegetables grow? Look at the different places food comes from.

To use senses to explore the world around them.

Explore what happens to food when it's cooked.

Shows skill in making toys work by pressing parts or lifting flaps to achieve effects such as sound, movement or a new image

Personal Social Emotional Development

SCARF: Me and My Relationships

- Marvelous Me!
- I'm special
- People who are special to me .

Maths

Colours Red Blue Yellow Colours Green Purple Mix of colours Match Buttons and colours Matching towers, Matching shoes Match number shapes, Match shapes Pattern handprints – big and small Sort Colour, Size, Shape Sort - What do you notice? Guess the rule Select shapes appropriately e.g. flat surfaces for building, a triangular prism for a roof etc. Talk about and identify the patterns around them. For example: stripes on clothes, designs on rugs and wallpaper, using informal language like 'pointy', 'spotty', 'blobs' etc.









Expressive Arts and Design

2-3 years

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Explore paint, using fingers and other parts of their bodies as well as brushes and other tools Explore their voices and enjoy making sounds. Move and dance to music 3-4 years Colour awareness and mixing Make simple models which express their ideas Creates sounds by rubbing, shaking, tapping, striking or