

NURSERY LEARNING & DEVELOPMENT MATRIX - FOR PARENTS

1. COMMUNICATION & LANGUAGE



- TALKING ABOUT STORIES, SONGS & RHYMES
- LEARNING TO ASK FOR HELP
- USING OUR WORDS & TURN TAKING
- TELLING OUR OWN STORIES
- LANGUAGE SKILLS



2. PERSONAL, SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT



- BEING INDEPENDENT
- MAKING NEW FRIENDS
- LEARNING ABOUT EMOTIONS
- KEEPING SAFE
- CELEBRATING SIMILARITIES & DIFFERENCES
- ZONES OF REGULATION
- EATING HEALTHILY



3. PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT



- USING OUTDOOR EQUIPMENT SAFELY
- INDEPENDENTLY USING THE TOILET & WASHING HANDS
- USING A KNIFE & FORK
- WALKING TO & FROM SCHOOL
- PLAYING GAMES WITH FRIENDS
- USING EQUIPMENT TO BUILD
- DEN BUILDING
- JOINING THROWING, CATCHING, KICKING GAMES
- PLAYING RUNNING & JUMPING GAMES
- SPORTS DAY



4. LITERACY



- NURSERY RHYMES & SONGS
- CARING FOR BOOKS & TURNING PAGES
- TALKING ABOUT BOOKS
- ANSWERING QUESTIONS
- MARK MAKING
- MAKING OUR OWN STORIES
- LETTERS & THEIR SOUNDS
- WRITING LETTERS
- RHYTHM, RHYME, INSTRUMENTAL SOUNDS
- READING SIMPLE WORDS
- HEARING & WRITING FIRST SOUNDS
- WRITING FIRST NAME



5. MATHS



- NUMBER SONGS
- SHOWING NUMBERS TO 5 ON FINGERS
- MAKING GROUPS OF OBJECTS
- PATTERNS
- SIMPLE SHAPES
- SUBITISE
- DESCRIBING POSITIONS
- COMPARING GROUPS ('MORE', 'FEWER', 'SAME')
- EXPLORING NUMBERS TO 5
- UNDERSTANDING MORNING, AFTERNOON, EVENING



6. UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD



- TALKING ABOUT OURSELVES & FAMILIES
- EXPLORING OUR SCHOOL
- AUTUMN WELLY WALK
- DIFFERENT CELEBRATIONS
- PEOPLE WHO HELP US
- GROWING A BUTTERFLY
- BEING LITTLE GARDENERS
- BAKING ACTIVITIES
- EXPLORING LIGHT, DARK, SHADOWS
- EXPLORING FLOATING & SINKING
- EXPLORING SIMPLE MAPS
- DIFFERENT CULTURES & COUNTRIES

7. EXPRESSIVE ART & DESIGN



- COLOURFUL COLLAGES
- SONGS & RHYMES
- USING SCISSORS
- NAMING & PLAYING INSTRUMENTS
- PRINTING USING OBJECTS
- LISTENING TO MUSIC



DEVELOPING YOUNG MINDS TOGETHER!