

Hedgehog Class EYFS (Nursery)

Topic Web: Spring 2025

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Communication, Language and Literacy:

- Recognise and write our first name.
- Give meaning to marks.
- Make different types of lines and marks.
- Use Monster Phonics Foundations exploring environmental, instrumental, body and voice sounds. Recognise some letter sounds using weekly 'letter of the week'.
- Share stories and talk about them.
- Sequence stories and events.
- Engage in circle time and listening activities.
- Follow simple instructions.
- Learn and use new vocabulary.

Understanding the World

- Making and tasting different foods including porridge, noodles, pancakes.
- Making and discussing simple maps.
- Winter and seasonal changes.
- Local walks and road safety.
- Exploring and comparing different countries in the world.

Religious Education:

- Explore the celebration of Chinese New Year.
- Exploring stories from other faiths.

Mathematics:

- Recognise, and name, simple 2d shapes.
- Explore position and space.
- Join in with counting songs.
- Recognise, and make amounts of 1,2 and 3 without counting.
- Count with one to one correspondence.
- Play counting games inside and outside.
- Represent numbers in different ways.
- Explore the language of length, height and weight.



Traditional Stories & Explorers



Expressive Arts and Design:

- Engaging with different role play areas.
- Using a range of small world play.
- Using puppets to retell and create stories.
- Designing and building 3d models exploring joining techniques.
- Copying and learning different dance moves.
- Learning songs, rhymes and copy and making musical rhythms.
- Exploring mark making using pencil.
- Exploring and using a range of different materials.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development:

- Follow simple routines.
- Put away their own belongings.
- Recognise and express different feelings and emotions and find ways to self regulate.

Physical Development:

- Learn about looking after our bodies.
- Take part in large movement activities
- Take part in fine motor activities to build up strength in our hands for writing such as using pegs, tweezers...
- Use tools such as scissors, brushes, pencils with increasing control.
- Yoga - balancing and holding positions.
- Gym - ways of travelling.