



Something Special Autumn 2017



Physical Development

Different ways of travelling
Whole class games
Using mats, benches and tables
Parachute games
Trafalgar Day
Ride-ons in the garden
Playdough/clay work
Gross and fine motor development
Threading, using tweezers
Learning to hold a pencil and use it effectively

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Transition to school
Circle Time discussions
Introduction of 'feelings' words
Developing friendships
Development of class charter
Understanding rewards and sanctions
Persisting on a chosen activity
Happy playtimes

Communication, Language and Literacy

Sharing 'This is Me' books
People who help us at School
Role-play/dressing up
Sharing Nursery Rhymes
Drawing pictures of self/family
Learning to hear and recognise phonemes (letter sounds)
Learning High Frequency Words
Old Bear, Itchy Bear and teddy bears
Elmer

Expressive Arts and Design

Elmer collage
Free Painting
Pictures based on the artist
Kandinsky
Self-Portraits
Role Play
Combining different media
Painting with a variety of tools
Using imagination in dance
Respond in a variety of ways to what they hear (music/ poems)
Express and communicate thoughts and feelings

Mathematics

Say and use number names in order
Sorting familiar objects according to size and colour
Daily Routines
Count reliably up to 10 everyday objects
Repeating patterns
Recognising numbers to 10
Using 1p coins
Number rhymes
Positional language

Understanding the World

The Four Seasons
Woodland Time –Exploring the school grounds
Walk around the school
Free choice of computer programs
iPads
Building Humpty's Wall
Exploring 5 senses
Rescuing Old Bear from the attic
Trafalgar Day celebrations
Harvest, Christmas

Reception Topic Web

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