|  |  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- | --- |
| ***Week/Date*** | ***Topic*** | ***Activity*** | | ***EYFS Areas of Development*** |
| **Week 1**  04/01/21 | **The Gruffalo** | This week the children will be looking at the story of the Gruffalo. This will be talked about at carpet time and books on topic put om display to be read to the children. There will also be different small group games on topic throughout the session such as Gruffalo puzzles. On the craft table they will be creating a picture of the Gruffalo. | | **PSED – Personal, social, and Emotional Development**  The term’s topic is going to enhance on the children’s confidence building and making relationships as most of the activities are going to be done in groups. There will also be lots of celebrations and praise for their achievements  **C & L – Communication and Language**  The children’s C & L skills are also going to be enhanced as they will be encouraged to share their personal experiences and ideas about the topic. There will also be sessions where they will be asked questions about the topic during 1:1 and mini group sessions. The children will also be learning new words to build up on their vocabularies.  **PD – Physical Development**  The children’s fine motor skills will be developed during most of the craft activities which are cutting, sticking, gluing. Physical activities in line with the term’s topic are also going to boost on their gross motor skills. Personal hygiene is going to be reinforced during hand washing sessions and with the encouragement to eating healthy snacks. The children will also be trying pan cakes with different toppings for their snack on pan cake day.  **LIT** – **Literacy**  Storytelling and reading story books. The children will be writing their own names on their craft activities and the young ones can write over the letters of their name. There will be encouragement of mark marking either in their workbooks or on a white board.  **MATHS - Mathematics**  Their number skills are going to be heightened as there will be a lot of counting during the activity, they can count how many fruits they like and the different colours. Counting and number recognition will also be refreshed during carpet time and or key work session.  **UTW – Understanding the World**  This term the children will be encouraged to learn about different festivals and celebrations which are celebrated by different countries and different people. They will be discussing who celebrates it.  **EAD – Expressive Arts and Design**  The children will be using different resources and varied colours in the creations of the term’s craft activities. There will be lots of singing, dancing, poem recitals and rhymes in line with the topic. The children’s resourcefulness will be enriched as they will have the opportunity to role play and use their imagination in all area of the pre-school. |
| **Week 2**  11/01/21-  15/01 | **The**  **very**  **hungry Caterpillar** | This week the children will be looking at the story of the Very Hungry caterpillar. The topic will be talked about at carpet time and the books will be on display to be read as well as the games. We will also look at the life cycle of caterpillars and when they turn in to butterflies. They will use different sponges and handprints cutting and sticking to make their caterpillars. We can talk about the colours and shapes they can see. | |
| **Week 3**  **18/01 – 22/01** | **The very Busy Spider –**  **(Martin Luther King 20th)** | This week we will be looking at the story of the Very Busy Spider; this will be talked about at carpet time and group games and on display for the children. On the craft table they will be making a spider web and looking at the pictures in the book.  Also this week it will be Martin Luther King day, we will look at picture of who is was and why he was important. The children will be colouring in pictures of him to take home. | |
| **Week 4**  25/01 –  29/01 | **Mini beasts in the house** | This week the children will be looking at what mini bests can venture into our homes. This will be talked about at carpet time and in group games. They can look at books and pictures and will play games to see if they can recognise which mini beast is which. We can play a bug finding game inside and outside in the playground. | |
| **Week 5**  01/02 –  05/02 | Mini Beasts in the park | This week the children wil be looking at what mini beasts we find when we are out in the playground or park. We will have books and pictures to look at and talk about at carpet time and in some groups. The children will be making a pond picture with the different creatures you would find near it. | |
| **Week 6**  **08/02 –**  **12/02** | (Chinese New Year ) –  Year of the Ox | This week we will be celebrating Chinese New Year. This year it is year of the Ox. The children will have picture and books to look at to get a better understanding of what it is and why we celebrate it. The children will also be able to try some Chinese food at snack time. At the craft table they will be making a picture of an Ox using different materials. | |
|  |  |  | |
| **PRIME** | | | **SPECIFIC** |
| **PSED –Personal, social, and Emotional Development**  *Self-confidence/Self Awareness*  *Managing Feelings*  *Making Friends*  **C & L –Communication and Language**  *Listening and Attention*  *Understanding*  *Speaking*  **PD – Physical Development**  *Moving and Handling*  *Health and Self Care* | | | **LIT – Literacy**  *Reading*  *Writing*  **MATHS - Mathematics**  *Numbers*  *Shape, Space and Measure*  **UTW -Understanding the World**  *People and Communities*  *The World*  *Technology*  **EAD –Expressive Arts and Design**  *Exploring and Using Media & Materials*  *Being Imaginative* |