

LITTLE HEDGEHOGS



TERM 2

PERSONAL, SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL

- We will remember that we "are good friends who make good choices"
- We will develop skills based around respect, good listening, being kind and listening to others.
- We will follow simple instructions based on the routine of the room

PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

We will use our developing hand and wrists muscles to thread, snip and mark make with greater control. The older children will start to make shapes similar to the letters of their name.

COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE

- We will use short sentences to talk about the weather, seasons and different animals. We will speak politely and respectively using please thank you whilst showing kindness to others

LITERACY

- We will talk about the stories I read and look closely at the pictures.
- We will share my own experiences and ideas related to the stories.
- We will enjoy singing repetitive and rhyming songs.
- We will listen to and share stories linked to our topic.

UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD

- We will explore different festivals and celebrations across cultures and communities.
- We will earn how families celebrate special occasions and traditions.
- We will recognise similarities and differences between celebrations.
- We will develop curiosity, respect and appreciation for different cultures.
- We will explore the changing seasons and how they affect the natural world.
- We will earn about hibernating and nocturnal animals.
- We will discover why the days become darker and the nights longer.

MATHS

- We will explore and build with 2D and 3D shapes using Christmas themes, rockets and fireworks.
- We will learn and use mathematical shape language.
- Younger children: We will hear and say number names.
- Older children: We will recognise and subitise numbers 1, 2 and 3.
- We will explore and create patterns using Christmas wrapping paper.
- We will develop problem-solving skills through simple inset puzzles.

EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGN

- We will use loose parts and natural materials to make imaginative transient art.
- We will observe the world around us and create my own art using my experience and imagination to create my personal designs.



