



Expressive Arts and Design

Exploring and using media and materials and Being imaginative

As artists we will be working together to create displays to do with Bears and Christmas and do our own pictures. We will choose and mix colours for our own pictures and models.

As musicians we will be singing songs and using percussion instruments to play along, thinking about beat and rhythm

We will be learning to move expressively to music and working with other classes for the Nativity.



Communication and Language

Listening and Attention, Understanding and Speaking

We will listen to stories about bears and Christmas and be able to talk about and recall main events and characters in them.

We will work together to retell the story of Goldilocks and the Three Bears, changing our voices to reflect the different characters.

All About Bears and Christmas Autumn 2 Starfish Class



Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Making Relationships, Self Confidence and Self Awareness and Managing Feelings and Behaviour

We will build up role-play activities that reflect our learning, working together in pairs and larger groups and learning that the things we do can effect how other people feel and respond to us.

Physical Development

Moving and Handling and Health and Self-care

We will be continuing to develop our Gymnastics skills, travelling around, under, over and through using balancing and climbing equipment.

We will be learning how keeping fit can help keep us healthy.

We will use the story 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt' as a stimulus for some of this movement.

Can you move like a bear?



Understanding The World

People and Communities, The World, Technology

Our bear theme will help us think about similarities and differences between ourselves, and also the different bears we will be learning about.

Goldilocks and the 3 bears will be a focus for our role-play and learning and we will make and taste porridge, just like they did.

We will look at how teddy bears have changed over time, and we will be finding out about some famous bears.

As the weather changes, we will find out what this means for different animals, particularly bears.

We will be developing our computer skills, learning that information can be found on computers whilst finding information about bears.

Do you know any famous bears?

Mathematics

Numbers and Shape, Space and Measure

We will be sorting, comparing, sequencing and ordering by size and colour, using our number skills to count and say the number that comes before or after a given number.

We will create bears using 2D shapes and joining shapes together to create bear puppets.

We will also continue to develop our number recognition and formation by using numbers up to and beyond 20

Literacy

Reading and Writing

We will be continuing to learn new phonic sounds and use them, and the ones we have already learnt, to blend together to make words we can read.

We will continue our guided reading in small groups, developing our reading and comprehension skills.

We will continue to practice our letter formation and start to put words we have written together in to sentences.

Can you write some three letter words?



