

The World Around Us - Lent Term 1/2

Prime Areas

Communication and Language	PSED	Physical Development
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Listening and attention: Listening to stories and rhymes with enjoyment. Answering questions relating to factual and non-factual texts. • Understanding: Asking questions and using question words. Answering how and why questions. Following instructions. • Speaking: Christmas holiday news. Winter/weather discussions. New language and vocabulary relating to topic • Performance poems 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kindness Code • Golden book awards • Circle time activities - Thinking of others Making relationships Turn taking and sharing Manners • Managing Feelings and Behaviour - actions and feelings • Using our strong voice 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Moving and handling • Letter and number formation • Tool control when constructing and making models • Cutting skills • Being safe using equipment • Gym and Games activities - Mrs Barlow • Swimming - Mrs Onions • Health and Self Care Keeping healthy and good hygiene Hand washing Healthy eating

Specific Areas

Literacy	Maths	KUW	EAD
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fiction and non-fiction texts related to topic • RWInc phonics/Reading • Winter stories Rhyming stories Topic related stories • Writing opportunities - simple labels, lists, speech bubbles and facts • FoM writing - Christmas holidays • Arctic animal facts • Sentence writing • Sequencing activities • Poetry - I went to the Jungle and what did I see? 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Counting, ordering and recognising numbers to 20/30 • Number formation to 20 • Finding 1 more or less than a given number up to 10 • Missing numbers • Addition and subtraction and language related to it. • Number bonds • Using simple mathematical language to describe 2D and 3D shapes • Pattern making • Time - O'clock • Money - coin recognition 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Polar Regions • Rain forests/Jungles Animal and plant life, similarities and differences between different contrasting environments. Camouflage Polar bear ice experiment • Chinese New Year • Valentine's day • Lent • Using the computer - simple child appropriate programs • I-pad activities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Imaginative and role play activities linked to topic • Polar Bear pictures, penguins and arctic animals, deserts • Jungle plants and animals • Camouflage patterns - animal skins • creatures and plants • Music (Mrs Adriano) • Dance - jungle and arctic music themes