



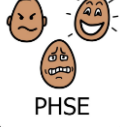







# Nurture Group

Autumn 2023

## Overview

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|  <p>motor skills   tracking<br/>communication   library</p> <p>Communication / tracking / motor skills /library</p> | <p>We will be working on using our individual communication verbally, using symbols and signing. We will be looking at communication for request, morning greetings and focusing on eye contact. The pupils will be learning to engage with each other and will often work 2:1 with staff, encouraging exchange of communication between each other. Our class theme is "Let's Go Outside" and the range of texts will be linked to being outside, with time in the library each week.</p> |
|  <p>Functional skills</p>   | <p>We will explore number using the songs 5 witches and 5 cakes. Using these songs, we will act them out using sensory resources. We will make sensory cakes and witches' potions. In topic work we will explore 3D shapes. We will go on shape hunts and explore lots of different 3D shapes. Number will be explored using sensory resources and counting songs, linking to nature and in particular trees. We will explore shapes of objects in nature, 3D and flat.</p>                |
|  <p>horticulture</p>  | <p>We are looking at "gardening for nature" and will be linking any gardening to how we can help nature. We will identify the plants in the garden, explore textures in the garden and encourage more wildlife into the garden with different plants and feeding stations.</p>   |
|  <p>physical</p>  | <p>In physical sessions we are hoping to explore the wider community by visiting Morecambe beach each week. We will take different games to the beach and practise our team-work skills. We will also be using the bikes and scooters to work on our coordination.</p>   |
|  <p>PHSE</p>  | <p>In PHSE we are looking at recognising ourselves and valuing ourselves. We will use creative art to reflect this and sharing with each other what makes us special.</p>  |
|  <p>world</p>   | <p>We will be looking at the seasons over the year and acknowledging that it is the end of the summer and what happens with these changes. We will look at what plants are still growing and how they change seasonally.</p>   |
|  <p>lets investigate</p>  | <p>We will be investigating all about water! Using play and experimenting with sinking and floating and learning which items can and which items shouldn't get wet.</p>  |

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|  <p>music</p>      | <p>This term we will explore tempo. We will listen and move to music at different speeds then create our own sounds using percussion instruments at different tempos.</p>           |
|  <p>creativity</p> | <p>We will explore different tools and objects we can use to make marks. We will make choices about what we want to use and using items in nature to be creative.</p>               |
|  <p>food</p>       | <p>We are focusing on safety in the kitchen and following instructions safely. Pupils will begin to learn the rules of the kitchen and how to approach the kitchen environment.</p> |