

## Nursery Autumn 1 Topic web

### Communication and language

#### Learning objectives

To sit, listen and concentrate for short periods of time; focusing on the person who is speaking  
To develop and extend language through imaginative play and storytelling.  
To share home/school life experiences with others. To listen to stories and talk about them in small group.

### Physical Development

Learning objectives: To manage taking off and putting on their jumpers, cardigans and outdoor clothing with some support.  
To have a go at the first letter of their name with support. Show an awareness of other children's personal space when playing and moving around the indoor and outdoor areas. To develop good practice with regards to eating and hygiene.

#### We will be learning about:

Why do leaves go crispy?  
Children will look at different kind and shapes of leaves.  
Children will be using conkers, fir cones and leaves in different activities.



### Personal Social & Emotional Development

Learning objectives: To learn some of their new friends' names. To begin to engage with others at the same activity. To learn their class golden rules. To learn to take turns and share, with and without support.

### Literacy

Learning objectives: To recognise their written name or the first letter of their name. To listen to short stories and comment on what is happening. To describe a favourite character. To handle books appropriately and with care. To draw pictures and give meaning to the marks they make. To listen carefully to sounds in the environment and identify them.

### Maths

Learning objectives: To recite numbers in order and use number names in their play. To recognise and count numbers. To spot numbers around them in their environment. To count out objects accurately and make sets of up to 5. To recognise shapes and use some shape names.

### Expressive Art and Design

Learning objectives: To experiment with play dough, paint, and collage materials to make their own creations. Engage in imaginative play; imitating what adults do and using first hand experiences. To create enclosures when building and drawing.

### Knowledge and Understanding of the World

Learning objectives: Remember and talk about significant events, such as family outing. Begin to recognise that we have some similarities and differences. To discuss feelings and talk about things they have liked and disliked at school. Become familiar with the different people who work in our school. Observe and make comments on their immediate environment.

Parent and carer: Autumn is awesome! Why not go for an autumn walk to play in the leaves?  
You could also collect natural objects to make a colourful autumnal collage. Send them in Nursery with your child to show us!