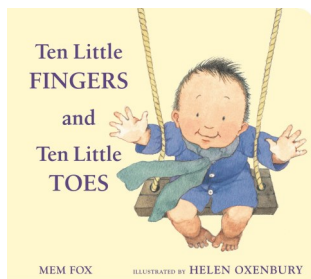
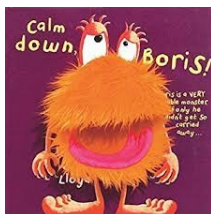
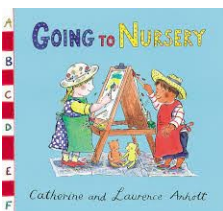


What are we talking about this half term?

This half term we are learning to follow routines, communicate with others, and develop our independence in Nursery.

Books we are sharing this half term...



Communication and Language



At Nursery we begin to 'listen and do' at the same time. We enjoy listening to and singing a large repertoire of songs. We learn how to start conversations with an adult or a friend and continue it for many turns.

Physical Development



We start taking part in some group activities which can be made up ourselves, or in teams. We start to eat independently and we will learn how to use a knife and fork.

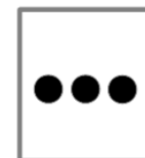
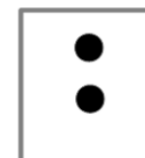
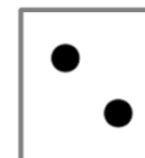
Personal, Social, and Emotional Development

We increasingly follow rules, understanding why they are important. We begin to remember rules without needing an adult to remind us.

Literacy

We explore a wide range of written print, understanding that print has meaning and that we read English from left to right and top to bottom. We begin to explore mark making, focusing on making circles and lines using various tools.

Mathematics



We are starting to learn what different amounts look like. We will learn to recognise different amounts of objects up to 3 without having to count them.

This is called 'subitising'. Watch this clip on YouTube!

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PSIA-u_ABmU

Understanding the World

As we meet our new friends in Nursery we learn to develop positive attitudes about the differences between people. We begin to make sense of our own life story and family's history.

R.E.

We learn about how to welcome people into a family and we learn about Baptism. We learn about the importance of our name and God's love for us.

Expressive Arts and Design

We take part in simple pretend play, using objects to represent something in our indoor and outdoor area. We explore showing different emotions in our drawings and paintings. We listen with increased attention to environmental and instrumental sounds.

How You Can Help

- **Make sure your Tapestry account is activated so that you can see what your child is learning at Nursery.**
- **Take time to talk with your child during everyday routines such as mealtimes, bath time or walking to Nursery. Your voice is your child's best tool for learning how to talk!**
- **Reduce the amount of time your child spends on screens, including tablets and television.**
- **Spend more time outdoors whatever the weather!**
- **Read a bedtime story to your child every night.**
- **Encourage your child to be independent with self-care including toileting and dressing.**
- **Bring your child to nursery everyday on time.**



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