## Communication and Language

Tales Toolkit/Drawing Club-to use props/ pictures to retell and adapt a known story

Embed vocabulary learnt through 'Tales Toolkit' e.g. once upon a time, beginning, character, who, setting, first, next, problem, then, solution, ending.

Invention- oral storytelling new stories through Tales
Toolkit/Drawing Club

Creating their own ideas for voices of characters/imitating voices.

To express a point of view and to begin to debate when they disagree with a friend, using words as well as actions.

### **Mathematics**

To identify representations up to 6

Know that the last number reached when counting a small set of objects tells you how many there are in total ('cardinal principle')

Show 'finger numbers' up to 6 whilst singing nursery rhymes/using

Ten Town songs

To experiment with their own symbols and marks as well as numerals

Make comparisons between objects relating to size, length, height, weight and capacity

## Expressive Arts & Design

Engage in variety of role play experiences to learn about different occupations e.g. Dentist

Provide a variety of instruments and noisemakers and encourage the children to experiment making a warning noise for emergency service vehicles

To talk about sounds made with our bodies and experiment with them

Using a range of tools to create healthy recipes such as fruit kebabs/smoothies

Develop cutting, threading, joining and folding skills when exploring textures/collage to create pictures of skeletons and emergency vehicles

### Physical Development

#### Gross Motor Skills

PE programme Sport Xplorers-weekly lessons

Weekly Forest School sessions- navigating around and climbing over, on top and below natural resources.

Climbing on equipment safety using alternative hands and feet

Exploring ways of travelling confidently – skipping, hopping, rolling, walking, crawling, jumping, running, skipping, climbing

Skip, hop, stand in one leg and hold a pose for a game

### Fine Motor Skills

To use a tripod grip to begin to draw shapes, letters and numbers

Basic skills- Funky fingers, scissors & pencil control activities to develop

# Nursery Mrs Lloyd -2023-2024 SPRING TERM 2

People Who Help Us



Who are the people that help us? Why do people like to help others?

# **Religious Education**

Beliefs, Teachings and Sources

Exploring stories related to Easter and discussing their meanings

Birches Value- <u>Success and Curiosity</u>
British Values- <u>Mutual Respect</u>

Dates for the diary:

20.2.24- PFA Meeting BFS 6-7pm

11.3.24- World Book Day

12-15.3.24- Easter Bonnets to school. Parade details to follow.

13-19.3.24- Book Fare- Dates for Nursery to follow.

15.3.24- Red Nose Day

22.3.24- Break up for Easter

8.4.24- Return to School

### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

#### **PSHEe**

Happy Healthy Me
Healthy food and drink choices
Teeth — role of a dentist
My feelings — recognising feelings and self-regulation
Feelings of others
Importance of being healthy — including physically active,
drinking water

Self- Regulation, Managing Self & Building Relationships

To take turns whilst playing and waiting patiently to have a go

To begin communication with people by first saying their name or 'excuse me'

To become confident with visitors in Nursery

### Literacy

Basic skills- developing hand dominance and effective pencil grasp to write letters in name

Listening and identifying initial sounds in words to objects

Recognise familiar rhythms and rhymes/Recognise that words rhyme

To scribe pictures to retell own stories

To begin to assign meanings by beginning to use marks/letters for initial sounds

To know the names of different parts of a book including the cover, title, author

# Understanding the World

Show an interest in different occupations

Recognising and locating people who help us in our local area

To plan and take part in a variety of scientific investigations such to know how materials change when cooking, melting, cooling and heating

Learning how we can take care of teeth through brushing/cleaning and healthy eating

Exploring how objects/materials are affected by forces. Discuss and talk about what we have observed or found