

## Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Developing in independence: following instructions and getting ready for home time without support. Getting letters and reading folders out of bags in the morning without support.

RE: What is Easter? (Christianity)



## Understanding the World

Learning the names of different dinosaurs.

Thinking about what dinosaurs eat and learning what herbivore, carnivore and omnivore mean.

Experiment making dinosaur poo out of mud, pasta shells and leaves/grass. Make dinosaur eggs.

Learning about fossils and dinosaurs bones. Making our own dinosaur skeletons out of cotton buds.

Learning about the key features of dinosaurs, how did what they look like suit their lifestyle?

## Physical Development

Team games: dance and athletics

Fine motor -handwriting practice, scissor skills, dough disco, playdoh (using different tools), finger gym games and activities

## Mathematics

Ordering numbers to 10/20 starting at different points and with random numbers

Recognising one more and one less than a given number up to 20

Measuring weight and capacity and ordering three objects by weight or capacity

Sorting hoops and categorising dinosaurs into different groups

Data collection - pictograms/tally using dinosaurs

Addition and subtraction through dinosaur themed games.

## Communication and Language

### Literacy

Texts: How to Grow a Dinosaur, Dinosaurs; non-fiction books about Dinosaurs and arctic animals; Andy's Dinosaurs Adventures

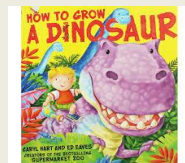


Writing labels, sentences, captions and stories.

Using Set 1 and Set 2 RWI sounds.

Sequencing story events.

Phonics: using Fred Talk to read words; using Fred Fingers to break words into their sounds; reading and spelling some tricky words.



## Reception Dinosaurs 3 weeks March



## Expressive Arts and Design

Indoor role-play: 'Dinosaur Dig'

Outdoor role-play: 'Dinosaur Park'

Making a dinosaur skeleton out of cotton buds, Dinosaur park leaflets, mix and match dinosaur parts activity

