

Common Road Nursery and Infant School
Early Years Foundation Stage

ROBINS
P.E. days are
Tuesdays and
Fridays

Our topic this term is 'Ourselves' which will include Autumn and Festivals. We aim to follow the children's interests and therefore the information below indicates some of the areas we may explore along the way.

Creative Development

...we will be painting pictures of ourselves & family, making fantastic firework pictures, learning topic related action rhymes, songs and music

Problem Solving, Reasoning & Numeracy

...we will be developing our understanding of calculation through interactive number rhymes both indoor and outdoor such as, '5 Little Ducks', '10 Green Bottles' & '5 Currant Buns'. We will be exploring shapes and patterns from other cultures also

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

... we will be taking Busy Bear Home to develop relationships with our Key Person. We will be supporting our new starters to settle into our new routines and expectations

Knowledge and Understanding of the World

...we will be exploring our new 'collections' of shiny and natural objects, finding out about Autumn, investigating how water changes, we will be going on a 'Pattern' Walk and investigating how we have grown and changed

'Ourselves'

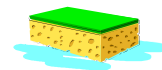
Physical Development

...we will be developing our fine motor skills by doing lots of exciting activities such as: screwing the lids off a jar, screwing nuts and bolts (garage tool box role play), whisks, spoons, funnels, sieves etc. We will be developing our ball skills with Mr Oates and matching movement to music through topic related songs/rhymes

Communication, Language and Literacy

... we will be going on a 'Listening Walk' and continuing with our daily Letters & Sounds games, our vocabulary will be developed through 4 key texts: The Little Red Hen, Nursery Rhymes, Goldilocks and the 3 Bears & Can't You Sleep Little Bear? We will be developing our storytelling and imaginative play through recreating roles and experiences in our play and mark-making & writing.

Parents/Carers,



Please help us develop our collections of **touch, shiny, autumn, natural, shells & Christmas objects** to develop your child's language, questioning skills and knowledge and understanding of the world. Please speak to any staff member for further details.



Busy Bear will be coming to stay at your home please support by following the instructions in his diary. He will want to be read to every night and accompany you on your day to day activities with your children – perhaps a walk where you can talk to him about what you see.



Many thanks for your continued support