

Communication and Language

In class we are:

Using symbols and Aided Language displays to support our play and daily routines. Taking part in intensive interaction and attention autism.

At home please: Encourage all types of communication.

Please ask if you would like any specific symbols to support your child. We can make these for you.

Maths

In class we are:

Developing our awareness of numbers and counting skills through object and number recognition, switch skills and counting using Egyptian themed resources and rhymes.

Learning about shapes, time ordering such as days of the week and money.

At home please: engage in counting songs and rhymes and look for everyday shapes in the environment.

Literacy

In class we are:

Looking at facts from Ancient Egypt and the book Meet the Egyptians by James Davies.

Developing mark making and write dance skills.

Taking part in phonics each week.

At home please:

Fabric play: Offer soft fabrics (linen, scarves) to stroke and feel — talk about "clothes the Egyptians wore."

PSED

In class we are:

Learning about road safety, turn taking and being kind with our friends, using key vocabulary stop, wait, kind, unkind, share and friend.

At home please:

Discuss road safety when you are out, encourage kind actions and turn taking



Turtles overview : Ancient Egypt

Art and Music

In class we are:

Exploring art and music on a Friday, exploring textures, designing and using symmetry of Scarab beetles and making Egyptian masks. We will also be creating Christmas artwork.

In music, we will be using percussion instruments, listening to songs and using our voices. We will also be practising and performing a Nativity play.

We will visit creative space on a Monday which is topic themed for Ancient Egypt.

Understanding the world

In class we are:

Looking at the weather at home and in Egypt. We are looking at rain and sunshine, hot and cold.

At home please:

Support your child to explore the weather when outside, encourage them by talking about the changes in the weather and what clothes we need to wear when going out and about.

Physical Development

In class we are:

Using the hall In PE on a Monday to explore and develop ball skills and use apparatus.

Using soft play on a Tuesday to move and explore safely.

When swimming resumes it will be on a Wednesday.

At home please: Support your child with any physio needs- standing/walking/stretching and movements.