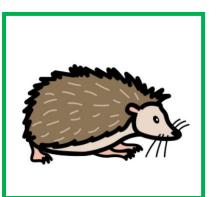
Woodlands Theme Overview



Class – Hedgehog



CIISS Values

Communication — To be confident communicators in their own form of communication.

Inclusion — To experience opportunities that develop a strong sense of belonging whilst embracing diversity and individuality.

Independence — To be as independent as possible and have self-help skills for learning and life.

Social interaction — To be confident to engage in social interaction using the social skills they have learnt and developed in their own unique way.

Success — To be happy and confident individuals who access and learn from an enriched curriculum that meets their needs.

Theme – My Super Self



Books

- If you're happy—Barefoot Books
- Look, listen, taste, touch and smell—Pamela Hill
- My Body—McDonald
- Whiffy Wilson—Carlyl Hary
- Funny Bones Janet & Allen Ahlberg
- The feelings book—Todd Parr
- You choose—Nick Sharrat
- Boris's Body—Campbell Books

Out and About

In Hedgehog class we will be going out in the minibus to Irchester Country park where we will be doing scavenger hunts and making faces from things we find in the forest. We will be going to Weston Favell centre to go shopping for snacks and go to the Library. We will also be visiting different play parks to think about what parts of our body we use on different equipment.

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Communication & Interaction/Personal, Social and Emotional Development

In Hedgehog class, we will be spending lots of time getting to know all the new children, what we like and don't like and our favourite things, including having a party to celebrate our favourite things. We will be talking about their feelings, about what makes them happy, sad and angry. Hedgehogs will be continuing to use visual structures and schedules to help plan out the day. We will also be developing our play skills with all out new friends.

Hedgehog class will be encouraged to listen to each other during circle time and ask and answer questions using 'who' what' and 'when'.

Scientific Technologies/Understanding the World

We will be naming different parts of our bodies, inside and out and talking about what we use them for. We will also be finding out about our senses and doing some experiments with them. We will be trying to make shadows with different parts of our bodies, as well as talking about our bones and our skeleton.

Hedgehogs will be talking about their friends and family and sharing photos about what they have been doing at home. We will also be looking at photos of ourselves from the past and talking about how we have changed. We will be exploring our outdoor environment and doing some exciting activities with nature as the class.

English and Maths

Hedgehogs will be continuing to develop their speaking and listening skills during our daily circle time activities. We will be reading lots of different stories and getting them to retell the stories using visual prompts. We will be practising writing their names and sentences about pictures and what they have been doing in class using visual structures.

Hedgehogs will be doing lots of counting, adding and taking away with number to 10 and beyond. We will be looking at more and less than and number bonds to 10 and 20. We will be learning language to describe 2D and 3D shapes, capacity, length and size and starting to look at time, starting with times of the day.