

Nursery News

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Theme My Imagination

The Theme of the Half Term

Welcome to, My Imagination! This half-term we will be going on our wildest and most magical adventure yet. Come along with us, as we travel through 'The Little Learner's Enchanted Kingdom' - a unique world built upon your child's interests. We will fly to ruby red caves of shimmering scales to meet the rarest dragon in all of the land! Not only will we venture to Superhero City to attend the outstanding superhero school of powers, we will shoot to the stars to party with some astounding aliens. We're on a quest to unlock and unleash our bold, crazy and wild imaginations! By delving deep into the children's interests, we hope to inspire magical oral story-telling and limitless opportunities for the little people to express their truest-self. The Imagination Fairies are leading this adventure and it is powered solely by the wild and passionate dreams of your child. In order to gain the key and unlock the bucket to the Enchanted Kingdom, our little learners must first fill it with their mesmerising dreams. In our Nursery, nothing is too wild and you can really be whatever your heart desires. Whether you're a mermaid who sails the seas to save marine wildlife or a daring dragon dentist - your dream is critical to unlocking the Enchanted Kingdom. Story-tellers and story-listeners, it's time to embark on an imaginative journey out of this universe. After all, we truly believe it is your little one's imagination that unlocks the new and magical world of the future; it's our job to empower and inspire it, in the here and now.

Happy Imagining - Team Nursery.

Please refer to dojo for weekly home learning inspiration and ideas



Songs of the Half-Term

Five Little Dragons
Sing to the tune 'Five Little Ducks'

Five little dragons learning how to fly,
one blew fire and jumped up high.
The king saw the dragon as the dragon
zoomed by.

✧ Fly away dragon, wave goodbye!

Repeat for 4, 3, 2, 1.

If You're Super and You Know It
To the tune of 'You're Happy and you
Know It'

If you're super and you know it, fly up high.
If you're super and you know it, fly up high.
If you're super and you know it and you
really want to show it,
If you're super and you know it, fly up high.


Repeat for 'Shoot a web', 'Show Your
Strength' and 'Shoot Some Ice'.



A Dinosaur Went Stomping One Day


One dinosaur went stomping one day,
be-hind the rocks and far away.
Soon, he let out a: 'Roar, roar, roar!'
Then there were two noisy dinosaurs.

Repeat for 3, 4, 5.




Communication and Language

- Dream Dust Potion
- Dragon Egg Arrival
- Astronaut Launch Oral Instructions
- Superhero Oral Story-Telling




Personal, Social, Emotional Development

- Dragon Egg Care
- Team Pirate Treasure Hunt
- Vet Bandage Station
- Superhero Power Gloves




Physical Development

- Firefighter Paint Mark-Making
- Medicine Creation - Pom-pom and tweezers
- Mud Kitchen Recipe Making
- Superpower Glove Design




Mathematics

- Count the Sheep
- Incy Wincy Drain Pipe Counting Race
- Pirate Treasure Hunt - routes and positional language




Literacy

- Fairy Name Recognition
- Alien Name Soup
- Silly Soup - Initial Sound
- Oral Book Reviews



Understanding the World

- The Great Dinosaur Dig
- Egg Home Building
- Dinosaur Safari
- We're Going on an Egg Hunt



Expressive Arts and Design

- Design a unique hatching dinosaur
- Superpower Gloves Design
- Astronaut Rocket-Ship Role-Play
- Dinosaur Cave Role-Play
- Dream Dust Potion Making

Our Areas of Learning