

# Autumn Term 2018

## Communication, Language & Literacy

Learning to listen to others during circle time.

Speaking in sentences instead of short phrases.

Use vocabulary focused on objects and people that are important to them when speaking to others.

Begins to understand who? what? and where? questions.

Learning to listen to and share stories.

## Creative Development

Mixing colours and looking at change.

Artwork based on shapes

Learning how to use paint with hands and tools.

Exploring making pictures and models with different materials.

Plays alongside or with other children in pretend play e.g. house corner, Post office.

Learning traditional songs and rhymes.

## Personal, Social & Emotional Development

Talk to other children when playing.

Talk about own home and community events.

Adapt their behaviour to different events, social situations and changes in routine.

Build relationships with new adults-Artis



*Our Topic is:*



*Our World and Beyond*

## Physical Development

Begins to draw lines and circles with good control.

Try to form some letter shapes

Can use one-handed tools and equipment.

Finding different ways of moving on and around the climbing equipment.

Using a ball to throw, catch and kick

## Mathematical Development

Select a small number of objects from a group.

Say some number names in order to 5 then 10 and beyond.

Recognise numerals and count a set of objects 1-1 up to 5 then 10.

Name 2D shapes - circle, square, rectangle, triangle.

Sort shapes into different criteria - size, shape, colour.

## Understanding of the World

Talk about and ask questions about the local environment-shops, Post office, Mosque, Park etc

Identify and explore the changes from Autumn to Winter.

Investigate shadows-talk about light and dark

Make biscuits-Talking about changes to ingredients

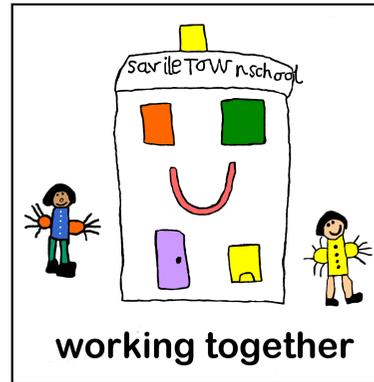
Learn about different cultures and celebrations - Diwali, Christmas.

### This half term's books

Diwali  
Post Office  
We're going on a Bear Hunt  
Light  
Nativity  
Aliens love Santa Claus

### Events this Half term

23.11.18-Individual photos  
Church visit-11.12.18  
20.12.18-Christmas celebrations



### This half term's songs

Ring a ring of roses  
Five little peas in a pea pod  
Christmas songs - Jingle Bells,  
When Santa Got Stuck Up the  
Chimney,  
Rudolf, the Red nose reindeer  
We wish you a merry Christmas

### Reminders

The weather is getting colder so please make sure your child brings a warm waterproof shoes and coat, hat, scarf and gloves to play out in.

**Library** - Children can borrow library books from our trolley every day. After they have borrowed **10** books they can choose some treasure from the treasure box.