Maths:

We will revisit learning of accurate counting using 1:1 correspondence and extend this for some, to identify numerals and order them correctly. We will teach the skills of making comparisons and comparing quantities e.g. less, more, longer, shorter etc.

Personal, Social and Emotional:

We will support the children in building positive relationships with children and adults in the setting through play and small group activities. We encourage the use of independence skills such as putting shoes/coats on, toileting and following hygiene routines.

<u>Understanding the World:</u>

We will use our core book to discuss aspects of Understanding the World such as naming different dinosaurs and discussing changes over time to develop history-based skills and understanding. We will use our weekly moat sessions to implement outdoor learning and support children in developing an understanding of caring for the world around us.

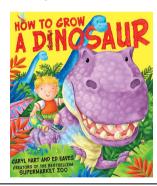
Communication and Language:

Please continue to share pictures and observations when it is your child's focus week. They will have an opportunity to 'show and tell' their pictures from home on the smartboard with the rest of the class which we've found has had a really positive impact on oracy and confidence in talking in a group. We will use the core book to learn and implement new vocabulary and support the children in using this in their play.



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Physical:

We will have continue to implement weekly physical development activities such as 'dough disco,' 'squiggle whilst we wiggle,' as well as our PE and moat sessions. These will provide opportunities for the children to develop and challenging their fine and gross motor skills.

Literacy:

We will use our core book as a starting point for our learning and explore other texts linking to dinosaurs and the children's interests.

For all children in the Nursery we will encourage name recognition during routines such as putting their things on their peg and voting for story time, so please encourage this during the morning transition. For pre-school children and any others that are interested we will begin practising writing their name.

We implement Phase 1 Phonics activities numerous times a week to support the children's Phonics skills.

Special Events

- Friday 19th April-excursion to AgeUK (Cox's Close Community Center)
- Thursday 16th May-Open Classroom/Show Around Event
- Monday 17th June (morning)-Father's Day Stay and Play (more info to come)

Expressive Arts and Design:

We will use our core book to inspire the children to explore different materials and link it to our learning e.g. making 'fossils' and 'dinosaur bones' out of clay and play dough. We will provided open-ended art based activities to follow the children's interests and creative thinking.