

VAUGHAN PRIMARY SCHOOL



NURSERY

PARENT CURRICULUM INFORMATION SHEET

TERM: SPRING 2024

We thought you would find it useful to have information about some of the work that your child will be exploring in their Nursery learning this term.

COMMUNICATION & LANGUAGE	We will be learning to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Listen to simple stories and understand what is happening.• Understand simple questions about 'who', 'what' and 'where'.• Sing a large repertoire of songs.• Use a wider range of vocabulary.• Be able to talk about familiar books.
PERSONAL, SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT	We will be learning to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Talk about our feelings using words like 'happy', 'sad', 'angry' or 'worried'.• Develop our sense of responsibility and membership of a community.• Gradually understand how others may be feeling.• Develop appropriate ways of being assertive.• Make healthy choices about food and drink.
PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT	We will be learning to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Use one handed tools and equipment, E.g. scissors.• Use a comfortable grip with good control when holding pens and pencils.• Continue developing our movement and balancing skills.• Continue developing our ball skills.• Start taking part in some group activities.
LITERACY	We will be learning to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Say some of the words in songs and rhymes.• Understand print has meaning and different purposes.• Spot and suggest rhymes.• Write some or all of our name.• Engage in conversations about stories.
MATHEMATICS	We will be learning to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Link numerals and amounts.• Talk about and explore 2D shapes.• Identify and create patterns.• Understand position through words alone.• Make comparisons between objects relating to size, length, weight and capacity.
UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD	We will be learning to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Make sense of our own life-story and family's history.• Continue developing positive attitudes about differences between people.• Talk about what we see and hear, using a wide vocabulary.• Begin to understand the need to respect and care for the natural environment and all living things.• Understand the key features of the life cycle of an animal.

EXPRESSIVE ARTS & DESIGN	We will be learning to: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Take part in simple pretend play.• Draw with increasing detail.• Explore colour and colour mixing.• Remember and sing songs.• Explore and join different materials.
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Nursery rhymes and focus texts

Baa Baa Black Sheep Humpty Dumpty Incy Wincy Spider Row, Row, Row Your Boat Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star	Dear Zoo Dinosaur Dig! Rosie's Walk The Very Hungry Caterpillar Whatever Next!
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