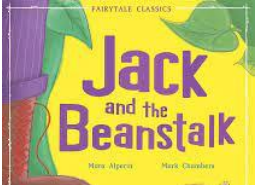


A Snapshot of our week

Here are some ideas and activities that we would have been doing in nursery this week. In nursery we do lots of play based learning and follow the children's interests and lead to develop and extend their play. For the next few weeks our theme is based around construction, buildings and demolition! I have tried to adapt the activities around the toys and resources you might have at home. If you have any questions or need anything please don't hesitate to email me on the class email: snowdrop@st-james.derbyshire.sch.uk

Theme: Ready Steady Grow	Colour of the week: Green	Week Commencing:	7.3.22
Book: Jack and the beanstalk	Shape of the week: Star		

<p>Personal, Social and Emotional</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> We will be painting our own beanstalks and adding real leaves. Thursday Loose parts for the playdough area based around Jack and the beanstalk. The children can choose which resources they would like and make their own choices and extend ideas. All week 	<p>Communication and Language</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> The children will be getting a new library book to bring home. Thursday The story of the week is Jack and the Beanstalk. We will be playing the bean game! Wednesday We will be learning a new rhyme called 'Five Fat Peas'. Tuesday We will be talking about the different beans you can get and will be tasting, feeling and smelling them. Tuesday 		<p>Physical Development</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> On Mondays and Wednesdays the children will be going over to the hall to play ring games, listening games and become active! The children will be taking their shoes and socks off which is a skill in itself and then learning how to move their bodies in different ways! Monday and Wednesday Threading leaves onto a skewer. Friday We will be exploring beans using tweezers and scoops. Tuesday 	
<p>Literacy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Phase 1 Phonic sessions – We have phonics sessions each day and will be starting with lots of singing and action rhymes! All week 	<p>Maths</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Shape of the week – Star! The children will be cutting out a star template and then decorating it. Monday We will be practising our counting skills by counting peas. We will be modelling accurate counting and encouraging the children to count out a specific number from a larger group. Tuesday 	<p>Understanding the World Expressive Arts and Design</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> We will be planting beans and trying to grow our own beanstalk. The children will learn what a plant needs to grow. Wednesday We will be growing vegetables and fruits from seeds in our own veg patch. Friday 	<p>Things to know!</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> If possible please make sure that your child has shoes on that they can put on and fasten themselves. We try and encourage the children to be independent as much as possible and it can be tricky if they have laces. Thank you 	

