

**This term our topic is**

**Nursery Rhymes and Traditional Tales**

Please support your child by talking about the activities they do in Nursery and who they play with and by singing lots of nursery rhymes. These are the skills we will be developing through active play.



**Mathematical Development**

Sorting, matching, ordering and counting objects.  
Joining in with number rhymes.  
Playing counting games and taking turns.  
Reciting number names in order.  
Recognising and naming shapes.  
Using positional language - e.g. under, behind, next to, on top of, between.

**Personal and Social Development**

Developing skills of working and playing together and taking turns.  
Making new friends and learning new routines.  
Learning to concentrate and complete activities.  
Encouraging independence in putting on coats and putting shoes and socks on and off in PE.

**Creative Development**

Cutting, sticking, painting, colouring and choosing from a range of materials.  
Listening to a variety of music, experimenting with instruments and discussing how music makes us feel.

**Physical Development**

Learning to listen to instructions and to move safely with control and to climb, run, hop and jump. Developing fine and gross motor skill through using a range of small and large equipment.

**Welsh Language Development**

Greetings e.g. 'Bore da,' or 'prynhawn da' and asking questions eg.-'Pwy wyt ti?'  
Responding to the register -'yma', and instructions -'Eisteddwch', 'Mae'n amser tacluso', etc.

**Knowledge and Understanding of the World**

Baking bread for harvest and finding out where flour comes from. (Little red hen story)  
Finding out about festivals from around the world which are celebrated this term e.g. Diwali, Harvest, Remembrance Sunday and Christmas. Developing an understanding of the changing seasons - collecting autumn leaves, looking for signs of autumn.