

Understanding the World: Geographers

As Geographers we are going to explore our homes and our families. We will investigate what we look like (thinking about our similarities and differences) discover who is in our families and what type of jobs people do. We will also be finding out about how Chinese New Year is celebrated.

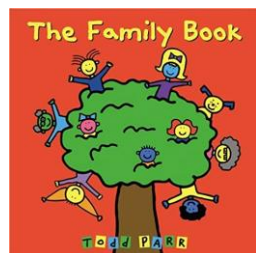


Literacy: We are Writers

As Writers we will explore mark making opportunities through self-portraits, pictures of our families and homes using a range of different mediums.

We are Readers

Our 3 O'clock reads will reflect our focus on families, homes, jobs and Chinese New Year. Our end of the day reads will also be available for us to look at in our book corner. Sometimes there will be a picture hunt and we will be book detectives!



Mathematics: We are Mathematicians

As Mathematicians, we will explore shapes to help us build houses. We will also be comparing lengths and heights when looking at ourselves and families. We will use different resources to help us measure including small parts, which will help us with our counting.



Personal, Social & Emotional Development:

We are self-aware

This term we will be thinking really carefully about how we can grow our diamond and ruby powers both at home and in Preschool by thinking about what we are responsible for e.g. hanging up our coats, brushing our teeth and putting away toys we have played with. We will also think about how we can put a big smile on someone's face by doing kind and helpful things for them!



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Physical development: We are strong movers

We will continue to develop our gross motor skills through moving our bodies across obstacle courses, using our climbing frame and dancing to different types of music.



We will be practising our fine motor skills when we are designers and cutting and sticking our chosen materials to create our own designs.

Dates for the diary:

- 15.01.23 - Deadline for applying for Reception place
- 08.02.23 & 09.02.23 – Parents evening
- 10.2.23 – End of term 3

General reminders:

This term we are welcoming some new children to Preschool. We will be getting to know our new friends and helping them to settle in

Communication and Language:

We are Speakers and Listeners

We will continue to grow our topaz power by practising to talk in sentences when communication with our peers. We are going to spend lots of time talking about our families, our homes and what we like doing and playing with. We will get to practise new vocabulary in our play as we will be dressing up and role playing different jobs: chefs, doctors, builders, hairdressers or wherever our imagination takes us!



Expressive Art and Design: We are Designers and Musicians

We are going to be Designers this term, using junk modelling and construction to build different types of houses. We will use a range of materials to create self-portraits and other members of our families and friends.

We will continue to learn more songs and listen

and respond to different types of music.

