

### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- \*Use our focus story, 'The Little Red Hen' to explore feelings.
- \*Talk to the group about own experiences of festivals, such as Halloween, bonfire night, Christmas etc.
- \* To develop confidence in new situations such as the Christmas party, school trip and Christmas performances
- \*Talking about what we liked about the school trip
- \*Developing an understanding of rules during party games
- \*To show confidence in asking adults for help
- \*Participate in ring games and circle time activities

### Physical Development

- \*Hammer golf tees into a pumpkin
- \*Scoop pumpkin seeds out of a pumpkin
- \* Use large and small movements in dance sessions, creating firework dances using ribbons and scarves
- \*Parachute games- use with leaves
- \*Manipulating the dough using scissors, cutters, rolling pins.
- \*Use sticks to create a role play bonfire
- \*Rake leaves outside
- \*Exploring moving in the leaves in different ways

### Communication and Language

- \*Follow simple instructions whilst on our autumn walk and school trip
- \*Join in with the repeated refrains in 'The Little Red Hen' and describe the actions of the characters using the pictures
- \*To recall key events and join in with the oral version of our focus story
- \*Use new vocabulary to describe the autumn trees and leaves

### Literacy

- \*Develop sequencing skills through creating a story map of 'The Little Red Hen'
- \*Use the puppet show to retell the story
- \*Name writing skills- write name in mud
- \*Use leaves and sticks to create the initial letter of our names
- \*Writing Christmas cards and letters to Santa
- \*Continue using the reading area and handling books correctly and with care

## Autumn and Celebrations Foundation One Autumn 2 2019

### Understanding of the World

- \*To go on an autumn walk, exploring the changes of the season and showing respect for the environment
- \* Sorting clothes appropriate to the season
- \*Auntie Mabel DVD- weather, spiders
- \*Researching about nocturnal animals
- \*Create an autumn table using autumn resources collected on our walk
- \*Explore ice e.g. spooky hands for Halloween
- \*Playing with the Christmas village scene in the play tray
- \* Talk about own Christmas traditions
- \*Use the interactive whiteboard To mark make, draw firework pictures and explore Christmas click and drag games

### Mathematics

- \*Explore quantities through new number rhymes such as- 5 little pumpkins, 5 little leaves, 5 little snowmen
- \*Make number fireworks and match the corresponding amount of stars
- \*Explore more/less through conker dice rolling game
- \*Sort natural items from nature walk,
- \*Explore weight using autumn resources on the scales
- \* Make patterns with autumnal resources.
- \*Shape sorting using different shaped presents.
- \*Ordering the numbered pumpkins/ fireworks

### Expressive Arts and Design

- \*Learn a range of Halloween, Autumn and Christmas songs and rhymes. Songs and rhymes, e.g. Halloweens coming, shake, shake the apple tree and Christmas puddings
- \*Take part in ring games such as here we go round the mulberry bush/Christmas tree
- \*Firework pictures- marble rolling, paint blowing and splatting with bright colours and glitter.
- \* Creating pictures on black paper with chalk
- \*Creating Christmas cards and calendars
- \*Leaf printing and rubbings
- \*Role play the story of 'The Little Red Hen'