



THORNHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

Bobcats Learning Diary

Week beginning Monday 21st January

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- We will be practising getting ourselves undressed and dressed for PE.
- We will be focusing on this terms school value 'hope'.
- We will be setting our own personal targets for what we hope to achieve in Bobcats.
- We will be ensuring we follow the rules of basic hygiene, remembering to wash our hands after the toilet and before we eat.
- We will be joining in with different activities and developing our skills to take turns.
- We will be encouraged to work with others to complete physical challenges.

Physical Development

- We will develop our fine motor skills through the use of tweezers, threading, cutting etc. This will help to develop our pencil grip.
- We will be using larger equipment such as balls, skipping ropes and hoops to develop our gross motor.
- In PE we will be exploring different ways of traveling on and off apparatus.

Communication and Language

- We will be practising following instructions given by classroom adults.
- Using the Easi phones we will be practising making and receiving calls.
- We will be developing our skills to listen to one another and respond to questions.
- We will be asking questions to find out about things that interest us.
- We will be developing our knowledge of vocabulary and applying it in our learning.

Literacy

- This week we will be focusing on the book 'Owl Babies'.
- We will be writing our own speech bubbles.
- We will be sequencing events in a story in the correct order.
- We will be practising our letter formation through daily practise of writing our names as well as daily handwriting practise linked to our previously taught sounds using the cursive formation.
- We will be continuing with our RWI sessions (phonics)

Maths



We will be finding 1 less than a given number using a number line.

- We will be creating our own 2D and 3D shapes using match sticks and lollipop sticks.
- We will be using money to make a given amount.
- We will be continuing to write our numbers confidently to 10 using the correct number formation, extending to 20 when ready.

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10

Understanding the world

- Using our 2simple art program, we will create our own pictures.
- We using Easi phones & Beebots in our learning.
- We will be solving challenges using loose parts such as wood, cable reels and tubes.
- We will be creating art using objects that we find outside.
- We will be finding out about nocturnal animals.

Expressive Arts and Design

- We will be creating different shades and patterns using paints.
- We will be exploring textures by mixing different materials together.
- We will be using recycled materials to create objects of our interest.
- We will be developing our joining techniques by creating our own class dragon
- We will be finding the pulse in the music we listen to and use percussion instruments.
- We will be using our imaginations and creating our own puppets to use in the puppet theatre.

Information

PE is Every Monday

please bring book bags to school every day.

Library Day – Every Thursday

Spellings – Monday - Friday

Homework – Wednesday due Monday