



THORNHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

Bobcats Learning Diary

Week beginning Monday 1st April

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 'Friendship'.
- We will be working towards our own personal targets
- We will be looking at our work and talk about our own achievements.
- 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 ball skills. Using different balls, focusing on throwing, catching and dribbling.

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 hiding eggs and writing clues for our partners to find.
- We will be using our phonics to uncover hidden pictures.
- We will be writing our own Easter egg book.
- 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 counting on and back on a number line.
- We will be timing how long it takes an egg to roll down a ramp wrapped in different materials using a stop watch.
- We will be creating our own Easter egg designs using repeated patterns.

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 using construction to design a vehicle to carry an egg from one side of the playground to another safely.
- We will be using loose parts to create a ramp to get an egg from a height into a pan without it cracking.

Expressive Arts and Design

- We will be creating our own Easter egg baskets.
- We will be creating our own Easter cards using different materials and techniques.
- We will be exploring wax crayons and creating a scientific experiment to create magical pictures.

Information

PE is Every Monday

Library Day – Every Thursday

Homework – Wednesday due Monday

please bring book bags to school every day.

Spellings – Monday - Friday

Mrs Henkes, Mrs Evans & Mrs Taylor