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Dear Parents,

“Big cats and little cats”

This term we are following our project “Big cats and little cats”.

Amongst other activities we will:

- listening to tiger and cat stories and introducing soft toy pets into the Home Corner
- finding out about Big Cats and where they live in the wild
- learning a poem and songs about cats
- finding out about pet cats that the children own
- following the children’s interest in this area.

Celebrations

Chinese New Year, Shrove Tuesday, World Book Day, Mothering Sunday, Easter

Curriculum Activities

This term your child will be involved in:

- Play – The children will be given lots of opportunities to learn a range of skills through playing both indoors and outside.
- Social skills – The children will be given lots of opportunities to develop personal skills and social skills.
- Forest School - The children will learn a range of skills in the Outdoor and Woodland Areas.
- Helicopter Stories -The children learn to tell stories and act them out in a small group.
- Writing – The children will experience making messages during play, or when drawing and painting. They will learn to recognise and write the letters in their name.
- Number – The children will count objects up to 10, recognise and write the numerals 1-10 and learn to order them.
- Craft – The children will have lots of opportunities to use one handed tools and create pictures and models with different media.

Following the children’s own interests

- Most of the learning will come out of following the interests of the children and what they are wanting to explore amongst the wide variety of activities on offer.

Key worker groups

The first 20 to 30 minutes of each morning the children will be in Key Worker groups, with just 7 children in each group. These are not just sitting down groups, but any learning could take place anywhere that is appropriate.

Mondays: Home/school scrapbook – lengthy details in a further letter soon. Main focus – speaking and listening skills and personal and social skills.

Tuesdays: Library book exchange. Main focus - how books work, early reading skills, storytelling.

Wednesdays: Mathematics. Main focus - number skills

Thursdays: Language games. Main focus – speaking and listening skills

Fridays: Funky fingers, dough gym and writing. Main focus – early writing skills.

If you have any questions or concerns, please do not hesitate to email me.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs. Turner

Our Mission:

'To develop responsible, independent individuals who have the knowledge and attitudes to be successful in an ever changing world'.

