

# Nursery summer 1



Barnet Hill Academy  
FAITH • EXCELLENCE • KNOWLEDGE

## Literacy

As **Readers**, we will be learning New rhymes and songs.

Phonics phase 1 aspect 5 and how to develop children's listening skills and awareness of sounds in the environment.

Exploring non fiction books from our book shelves.

Read different dinosaur's stories and learn different facts about their lives.

## ISLAMIC Etiquette

As **Theologians**, this half-term we will be learning about Eid al-Adha. and the day of Arafat and their importance.

## Expressive ART & DESIGN

As **Artists**, we will be using loose parts and playdough, and building resources to create with.

- we will be Working collaboratively with others to create dinosaur worlds and maps, and volcanoes.
- we will also be exploring clay and salt dough to represent/ create different ideas.

## PHYSICAL Development

As **Athletes**, we will be developing our fine and gross motor skills such as throwing, catching and balancing. In addition, we will be developing a preference for mark making for the dominant hand.

## MATHS

As **Mathematicians**, We will also be learning about the properties of simple 2D and 3D shapes.

children will be also provided with a selection of building blocks in different shapes to build a variety of structures.

## PERSONAL, SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL

As **Global Citizens**, we will be Joining in with group times for shared songs, stories, games and discussions.

- Playing with others and developing the confidence to express their feelings and needs in appropriate ways.
- Regulating their own emotions and using strategies that they have been taught in class

## LANGUAGE & COMMUNICATION

As **Confident Communicators**, listening to a range of stories including Dinosaur Roar, Dear Dinosaur.

- learning new vocabulary related to dinosaurs topic such as fossil, extinct, lava, magma...etc.
- Exploring and using non-fiction texts and videos.

## UNDERSTANDING of THE WORLD

As **Thinkers**, we will be Finding out about different paleontologists and their. fossil discovery.

- Talking about what they see and feel when handling fossils and dinosaur toys.
- Looking at and experimenting with salt dough and clay.
- Having free access to water, sand and natural objects during outdoor/ indoor learning times