Prime Area of Learning and Development

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Settling in for new starters
- Establishing routines
- Sharing
- Making relationships, keeping play going
- Demonstrating friendly behaviour
- Keeping ourselves warm, safety in ice and snow
- Group work for target children

Literacy

- Squiggle while you wiggle
- Jolly phonics songs
- Name recognition activities
- Letter formation
- Winter stories
- Phase one phonics for all
- Phase two for HA (L&S)
- Library time

Communication and Language

- Following instructions for baking
- Chatterbags
- Talking pegs, repeated refrains
- Role play area shops/cafes
- Group work for target children S&L
- Library time
- Nursery rhymes
- Weather words and feelings associated with the weather
- Small world Artic Weather(igloos)
- Group work for target children

Wonderful World

Specific Area of Learning and Development

Mathematics

- Matching numerals to quantities
- Representing numbers
- Repeating patterns
- Size ordering
- Pairs/matching
- Counting
- Reciting numbers in order
- Separating groups of objects
- Practical addition/subtraction (HA)
- Describe a familiar route (Chatterbag challenge)



Physical Development

- Gross motor skills
- Play dough disco
- Squiggle while you wiggle
- Hall time
- Balancing
- Fine motor control using hand tools, scissors.
- Pencil control sheets
- Group work for target children

Expressive Arts and Design

- Art Gallery
- Snowflakes
- Winter pictures
- Repeating patterns to decorate scarves
- Colour mixing exploration
- Role play area (Café and shop)
- Chinese music (Dragon Dance)
- Chinese New Year Crafts

Understanding the World

- Winter the season, what to wear
- Looking at the weather each day, describing the weather etc.
- Frost patterns
- Ice experiments
- Snow painting (hopefully)
- Changes of state, ice, jelly, etc
- Chinese New Year (Rabbit) 22.1.23
- Chinese food and culture
- Discuss different cultures and countries