



Little Fledglings/ Cygnets (Pre-school/ Reception) Spring 1 2022

Literacy

See separate plan. This term we will be enjoying a range of books with a night time and space theme.

We will retell stories through role-play, puppets and small world. Phonics and spelling: see separate plan.

Mathematics

See separate plan. We will be following White Rose Maths. Alongside this will be weekly challenges within class where we can apply our maths knowledge.

Understanding of the world

We will begin to understand the world around us through exploring the roles and responsibilities of people we know. Who works at night?

We will explore light sources that we can use in the dark.

Starry Night



Personal, social and emotional

We will explore night-time routines e.g. brushing teeth and getting ready for bed.

Physical development

We will be using a range of physical activities outdoors e.g. space journeys. Create space backpacks for children to wear when on their journey.

Miss Loomes will be teaching gymnastics linked to our topic.

This project explores the differences in the world at night compared to during the day. It teaches children about the importance of a good night's sleep, and helps them to discover what is happening in the world while they are sleeping.

Communication and language

We will be listening to a range of stories and rhymes, responding to them with comments and actions. In role play we can dress up as different characters and act out the stories using words and phrases we have heard when read stories. e.g. twinkle little star,

Expressive arts and design

We will be creating art work about the night sky and space travel. We will create props to use in our play e.g. rockets, backpacks, moon rocks.

We will listen to a range of bedtime songs and music. We will explore relaxation for bedtime through a dark sensory area.