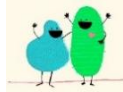


Autumn Term

Over-arching theme :

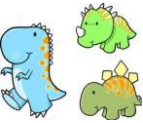


Kindness



Ourselves:

The children talked about and drew pictures of themselves and their families. They learned about all the different families we have in the nursery. They looked how we are all the same in some ways and different in others. The children have been learning how we can be kind to others by sharing and taking turns. The children have been practicing taking care of themselves and others. The children have learned why it is important to follow the rules in nursery. They have learned when it is ok to run around and when it is important to sit still. They have been practising good listening and paying attention.



Dinosaurs:

The children have continued to practice good listening and speaking. They have been learning why it is important to use kind words and how using unkind words can affect other people.

The children have continued to practice sharing and taking turns and why this is important in nursery. They have been learning why we must not hurt others and use words when we want something. They have been learning that it is important to keep trying even when we find something tricky to do.

The children have been learning about dinosaurs and how they lived. The different types and names of dinosaurs. They have investigated how archaeologists and palaeontologists discovered dinosaur skeletons by digging for them. The children pretended to be archaeologists and palaeontologists by digging for dinosaur skeletons in the sand tray. They looked at the bones and talked about how we also have bones and why these are important. The children have been learning how we can keep our bones healthy and strong.



Heroes:

The children will be learning about the Prophets of Islam and the important lessons that they taught us. They will learn why it is important to say sorry through the story of Adam (AS). They will learn why it is important to keep trying even if things are tricky through the story of Nuh (AS). They will learn why it is important to bounce back from each difficult situation through the story of Isa (AS). They will learn why it is important to stand up for yourself and your beliefs through the story of Musa(AS).

You can help your child by

- Going to the library and finding out more about the above topics
- Talking to your child about what they have learned
- Making a poster or 3D project/ model about any of the above topics (this does not need to be brought to school but if your child would like to share what they have been doing at home, then it would be very welcome)

- Completing the kind hands sheet with your child with a kindness your child has done or would like to do for each day of the week. Children need to return this to nursery so it can be put on display.

Monday

