

### Physical Development:

- Join in with simple ball games and activities.
- Ring games.
- Climbing, running, jumping etc. on outdoor equipment.
- Cutting, mark making and fine motor activities.

### Mathematics:

- Number songs and rhymes.
- Counting and chanting to 5.
- Sorting activities, e.g. compare bears, cubes, jewels, animals.
- Shape and colour recognition.
- Counting objects to 5.

### Literacy

- Phase 1 phonics
- Launchpad for literacy activities.
- Name writing.
- Mark making in role-play areas and outside.
- Variety of stories and rhymes about ourselves and our families.

### Understanding the World:

- Treasure baskets and exploration activities.
- Digital cameras / i-pads
- Looking at different kinds of families.
- Discussions about their own family and pets.
- Exploring different materials and their properties.

## **Ourselves and our family.**

### Communication and Language

- Launchpad for Literacy activities
- Silly soup rhyming activities.
- Joining in with chants, songs and stories.
- Talk about and describe people who are special to us. Hold conversations using simple sentences, learning new words rapidly.

### Personal, Social and Emotional Development:

- Circle time activities. Discussions about family and people who are special to us.
- Getting to know you games—e.g. roll a ball to learn names.
- Learning rules and expectations.
- Discussions about feelings.

### Expressive Arts and Design:

- Experimenting with a variety of art media and materials.
- Music and movement sessions—ring games/ Beat baby sessions.
- Explore a range of sounds and instruments.
- Role-play—home corner/ baby clinic.
- Making models, collages and paintings of ourselves, family and pets.