

fluency.

- Weekly Guided reading including:
 - discussing the text in groups
 - predicting what will happen next.
 - talking about the characters and setting.
 - looking at stories, poems and non-fiction.

Writing in play activities
All to include:
Choosing what to write and sharing ideas.

- reading your writing to others.
- using VCOP to make your writing better
- practising handwriting to make your writing neater.

- Describing characters and story settings.
- Story telling
- Writing job lists for Santa's helpers.
- Reading traditional stories.

- Use collage to make collaborative a
- Create clay Christmas decorations.

Mathematics

Number work

- Daily counting, reading and writing numbers to 30 then beyond.
- Finding one more and one less then ten more and ten less.
- Looking for patterns in numbers.
- Adding and subtracting using different methods
- Recording maths work.

Shape, Space and measures

- Measuring capacity and weight.
- Reading o'clock and half past times.
- Using shapes in patterns and models.
- Describing positions and directions.

Some topic activities will include:

- Paying for stamps in the role play post office.
- Making Christmas boxes and decorations
- Finding odd and even numbers on the street.
- Weighing Christmas presents.

Design & Technology

- Christmas cookery

The Jolly Christmas Postman

Science

Exploring materials

- Investigating objects in the three bear's cottage
- Making porridge.
- Toys made from different materials
- Investigating the best material for wrapping

History

- Christmas celebrations and customs in the past.

Physical Education

- Gymnastics
- Multi skills

