Yearly Skills & Knowledge Progression

Subject: DT

Year group: EYFS

| | Half Term 1 | Half Term 2 |
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| Autumn | Know how to join materials using different methods such as sticky tape, clicking together, glue, string, treasury tags and split pins. Make imaginative and complex 'small worlds' with blocks and construction kits, such as a city with different buildings and a park. | Know how to use different materials, tools and techniques safely. Talk about the creations they have made, including being able to explain about how they made it and what they used. Be able to adapt the way they represent their ideas to show their improvements through drawing or making models. |
| | What can make this personal to Dovers Green? Teach children to use scissors, sticky tape, glue, string, treasury tags and split pins. | What can make this personal to Dovers Green? Introduce children to the kitchen, make a simple recipe e.g. biscuits, soup following all hygiene rules. Children will be taught to design their junk modelling and write a list of what they need before they start. Make Christmas/ hannukah cards link to british value respect for others' beliefs. |
| Spring | Be able to apply their previous learning to be able to improve the creations they make. Return to and build on their previous learning, refining ideas and developing their ability to represent them. | Know about different materials, including being able to name some and talk about them using some words such as rough, smooth, stretchy. Know which materials will work the best when making different structures. Join different materials and explore different textures |
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| Summer | Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with design, texture, form and function. Share their creations, explaining the process they have used. Use a range of small tools, including scissors, paint brushes and cutlery; | |

| 1. Children are taught to think creatively which increases their own self confidence and belief in their own | |
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| abilities. 2. All the children are taught to work in a safe working environment and use tools safely and correctly. 3. Children have the opportunity to work collaboratively with a partner or take turns in a small group which requires effective social interaction and at times compromise. | |
| Democracy; encourage respect for democracy by working as a team making decisions together. Rule of Law; Children are taught the rules of safety when using tools. Respect and Tolerance; Respect for others beliefs through the making if Hannukah and Christmas cards. Children are taught to take turns during discussions and when solving difficulties. Individual Liberty; Children are taught that not everyone's ideas will be the same as there's and that is ok. | |
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