**SWANS, SWIFTS & DOVES - AUTUMN 2023 - 1st half term**

**DINOSAUR DISCOVERY**

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| **Personal Social and Emotional Development*** Indoor and outdoor rules
* Value – Respect
* New Beginnings
* Talking about the contents of their ‘My Special Things’ box
* Building respectful relationships with adults and other children
* C:\Users\RuthB\Pictures\Phonics\box.jpgStories about how they and others show feelings – e.g. The Colour Monster, The Colour Monster goes to School, The Huge Bag of Worries
* Circle time sessions
 | **Communication and Language*** Understanding how to listen carefully and why listening is important
* Learning new vocabulary – herbivore, carnivore and dinosaur names
* Using new vocabulary through the day, e.g. in role play situations
* See the source imageListen carefully to rhymes and songs, paying attention to how they sound
* Sound discrimination and voice sounds
* Learn rhymes, poems and songs
 | **Physical Development*** Further develop the skills they need to manage the school day successfully, e.g. turn-taking and lining up and waiting
* Develop their small motor skills so that they can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently
* Combine different movements with ease and fluency
* Dressing and going to the toilet independently
* Body Management Unit 1
* Gymnastics Unit 1
* Key StagesWriting their name and creating handwriting patterns
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| **Literacy*** Listening to stories – e.g. Peace at Last and Starting School
* Dinosaur stories - If I had a dinosaur, The dinosaur who lost her voice, Mad About Dinosaurs, Harry and the bucketful of dinosaurs
* Rhyme and alliteration
* Oral segmenting and blending
* Recognising words with the same initial sound
* Clapping syllables in words
* Learning the letter sounds – s,a,t,p,I,n,m,d,g,o,c,k
* Writing own name
* Using print and letter knowledge in their writing

44,604 Dinosaur Photos - Free & Royalty-Free Stock Photos from Dreamstime  | **Mathematics*** Matching and sorting buttons
* Story - The Button Box
* Comparing amounts
* Comparing size, mass and capacity
* Story – Dear Zoo
* Exploring patterns
* Making fruit kebab patterns
* Creating patterns using natural materials

Button Mania Takes Over Mitzi&#39;s Collectibles - Mitzi&#39;s MiscellanyRepeating pattern 1 | St Josephs WetherbyBe Brave, Keep Going: Strawberry Banana Fruit Skewers | **Understanding the World*** Talking about members of their immediate family and community
* Naming and describing people who are familiar to them
* Traditions – designing a Christmas card
 | **Expressive Art and Design*** Listening attentively, moving to and talking about music, expressing their feelings and responding
* Exploring and engaging in music making and dance, performing solo or in groups
* Learning to sing nursery rhymes and action songs:
* Pat-a-cake
* GC3H9YP Five Little Ducks (Traditional Cache) in Eastern England, United  Kingdom created by Lennyemmy1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Once I Caught a Fish Alive
* This Old Man
* Five Little Ducks
* Name Song
* Things for Fingers
* Exploring high sounds and low sounds using voices
* Charanga unit Me!
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| **RE*** Being special. Where do we belong?
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| **Computing*** Learning that information can be retrieved from books, computers and mobile digital devices
* Learning to click the left button on a mouse to create dots
* Learning to hold and drag the mouse using the left button
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