

### Communication, Language and Literacy:

- Talking about our half term adventures
- Taking part in daily phonics sessions to develop listening & attention
- Talking about autumn and fireworks.

### Personal & Social & Emotional Development:

- Learning how to keep ourselves safe whilst watching fireworks
- Playing with others, initiating games, joining in and keeping play going by responding to others.

### Expressive Arts & Design

- Finger paint drawing app
- Making different representations of fireworks through different activities & media

## Nursery Information Sheet:

### Topic Autumn/ Fireworks

W/C – 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2020

### Physical Development:

- Climbing & balancing
- Developing fine motor skills by cutting, mark making and using tweezers
- Making marks and learning to make pre-writing shapes.
- Learning to write our names.
- Using gross & fine motor movements during funky fingers activities.

### Understanding of the World:

- Learning about the changes to the environment in Autumn
- Learning about fireworks & bonfire night

### Mathematics

- Recognising numbers 1-5
- Counting 1-5
- Counting with natural resources
- Making arrangements with shapes

### ICT

- Using I Pads to play phonics & maths games
- Use the CD player

**Key Vocabulary** Please & thank you, books, mark making, Autumn, fireworks, learning powers, marvellous manners. **Makaton signs** Good Morning, stop. Fruit - apple, banana, raisins, carrot, orange, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, please, thank you.

### Key Questions

- What can you tell me about autumn?
- What happens to the trees?
- What can you tell me about fireworks?
- Can you tell me what noises they make?
- What are our learning powers?

**Notes:** Wow, what an amazing half term we have had in Andreae class! We have stopped the Scribbler, made cakes, learnt to put on our own coats and shoes & we have been working hard on our funky fingers activities. We have all been working so well as a whole class that we have managed to fill up our cube jar!! The children have chosen their treat to be a dressing up day with a show & doughnuts! This will be on **Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> Nov & Thurs 5<sup>th</sup> Nov** as part of your child's normal session. We have tried to accommodate all of the children in this, but it isn't possible with children doing different days so, in future we will alternate the days that our 'treat days' are on so that all the children get to take part. Please continue to interact on Tapestry with us and look out for some 'Champion Challenges'.

**Learning Hero-** This week's learning hero is **Oaklie** for joining in with his friends & using signing independently. **Marvellous Manners – Jack and Archie** well done for showing us your marvellous manners this week! **Reader of the Week – Mia** -Well done to everyone!