**Launch:** Dinosaur eggs / foot prints found in the classroom? How did they get there? What are they? How do we look after them?

Express: Dino-tastic day

## **Expressive Arts and Design**

#### **Being Imaginative**

WALT: Choose resources and colours to create dinosaur models

WALT: Work with friends to create and act out our own dinosaur stories- Dinosaur explorers hut- binoculars, clip boards, path ways created with planks and ladders, children help to name

areas, dinosaurs pictures labelled with sound spots WALT: Combine a range of movements to create our own dinosaur dance

WALT: Create pictures of volcanos erupting and meteor showers: Role-play board- create a papier-mâché role play board to fit over sand tray, encourage children to think about what they want on the board e.g. volcano, river, trees, cave

#### **Exploring and using media and materials**

WALT: Learn new songs about Dinosaurs - children help to select instruments to be displayed to created dinosaur foot steps/Sing dinosaur songs, we're all going on a Dinosaur Hunt

WALT: Use a range of instruments to compose our own dinosaur sound scape

WALT: Plan what to create and how to combine my chosen

resources - Dinosaur display-interactive information display displaying children's painting writing, colouring in etc

WALT: Explore how colours can be mixed to create a range of shades for painting patterned dinosaur skin

WALT: Explore how to combine materials to create textured dinosaur skin

## **Physical Development**

#### Moving and handling

WALT: move in different ways using our bodies

Dinosaur Hunt dance (let's go Shoolie-shoo)

WALT: Use malleable materials with control and skill to sculpt dinosaur models

**WALT:** Travel safely in a range of ways whilst playing dinosaur chasing and racing games

WALT: Use construction materials to recreate the world of dinosaurs

Fine Motor-WALT: Develop finger skills to be able to write letter shapes correctly

Attaching labels to artefacts by threading and tying Hall sessions- mats,-beanbags

**WALT:** Use safe and correct methods when cooking healthy foods

## Communication and Language

Listening and attention/ Speaking

WALT:Ask questions using what, why when words about Dinosaurs - Guess what's in the egg discussion.

Share favourite dinosaur books with other classes

WALT -Use words to describe dinosaurs- Learn new vocab, long ago, Jurassic, extinct, dinosaur names,

Describe tracks and features, number of toes, size of footprint, claw mark,s size.

#### Understanding

WALT - Listen to and follow instructions accurately

Activity -Blindfold friend and give directions to find a hidden dinosaur

# Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Self-confidence and self-awareness

WALT: know that we are all good at different things

WALT: know that I can do more things now than I could when I was younger

WALT: look at what makes us unique

Links with Literacy Tyrannosaurus Drip

Managing Feelings and Behaviour

WALT: know what to do when someone is unkind

Links with Literacy Tyrannosaurus Drip

Getting on anf Falling out SEALS

**Making Relationships** 

WALT to understand how to resolve problems with my

friendsCircle time / drawing/ writing activities - Making a

friendship poster

-What I can do?

WALT -Solve problems without aggression Learn about anger and ways to keep calm

Share stories about anger and discuss different ways to solve the problem of anger

### **SPRING TERM 2 2019**

**Activities** 

'Dino- Tastic" **FOUNDATION STAGE** 

## Literacy

#### Reading

WALT - To learn new sounds to support blending and segmenting for reading and writing

Phase 2 phonics to continue

**Shared reading:** Harry and the Bucket full of Dinosaurs/- Long Neck and Thunder Foot-read book, linked with PSE -

Tyrannosaurus Drip - Julia Donaldson, Dinosaurs love underpants, Giganotosaurus etc.

Reading High Frequency word game

http://www.ictgames.com/dinosaursEggs/index.html http://www.ictgames.com/chuteShuffle/index.html#HELP

Inside /Outside- Dino word and picture match, children have a clipboard with dinosaur names with sound spots to aid sounding out They have to go to find the matching dinosaur

#### Writing

WALT: Begin to segment sounds to write simple CVC

**WALT: Write-for different purposes** 

Missing/Wanted posters describing dinosaur.

Make a list - What do we need if we are to become dinosaur explorers and palaeontologists.

My dinosaur- children draw a dinosaur, give it a name, what does it eat where does it live

Role-play areas, non-fiction text, labels with sound spots. information cards, small non-fiction books

Which parts of the dinosaur can we name and label? Write labels for models

Understanding the World

People and communities WALT: discover what a palaeontologist does

Watch clips/Role play - lab, museum, explorers hut

What happened to the dinosaurs? WALT: know why we celebrate

How do we celebrate different festivals?

Why are festivals like Christmas important to us?

#### The world

WALT:use information text to learn out about dinosaurs

WALT: discover what a fossil is-Look at fossils. Make plaster of Paris fossils

WALT: compare different dinosaurs

Look at pictures, models

WALT: find similarities and differences between dinosaurs and familiar animals

What animals do we know about? What is my favourite animal?

WALT: to care for needs of others-How should we care for eggs? What do living things need to survive? What did dinosaurs need?

#### Technology

WALT: Use paint program to draw a picture

Draw a picture of dinosaurs- Use paint program - select colours, drawing tool. Explore photographs of Dinosaurs -How are different/ the same?

WALT: make a beebot dinosaur move

Programming the beebot to follow a directed route

## **Mathematics**

Number - WALT - Estimate then count an amount of **objects** Activities - Estimate number of dinosaurs in a jar. Have a dinosaur/egg hunt. More/fewer/Comparing 2 sets

WALT - To find the total of two groups of objects

Practical and simple addition-what is the total of 2 groups? What is 1 more

WALT sing -Dinosaur songs and rhymes involving mathematical vocabulary

(create display which includes numerals to help children with recognition and count)

Shape Space and measure

Learning 2D/3D names -

WALT - create dinosaur pictures using various shapes, 2D and 3D.

Measures -WALT: use cubes to measure out the actual length or height of a dinosaur.

WALT: - create a class pictogram or graph of favourite dinosaurs. Activity -Collect data on dinosaurs Introduce mathematical vocabulary when discussing and

contrasting size of dinosaurs, same, different, gigantic, huge, enormous, large, little, big

WAL:T: Order and sequence familiar events- Timelines.

From Dinosaur egg to Dinosaur.