Understanding the World

Learning Activities:

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Making healthy choices. Trying new foods

Develop social communication skills – develop healthy relationships through adult-led, child-led activities.

Learning Purposes:

Find solutions to conflicts and rivalries. For example, accepting that not everyone can be Spider-Man in the game, and suggesting other ideas.

Remember rules without needing an adult to remind them.

Develop appropriate ways of being assertive.

Talk with others to solve conflicts.

Talk about their feelings using words like 'happy', 'sad', 'angry' or 'worried'.

Make healthy choices about food, drink, activity and toothbrushing

Vocabulary: Similar, same, different, feeling, happy, angry, sad, share, take turns, kind.

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Exposure to variety of fiction and mon-fiction texts.

Learn names of vocabulary (sign and speech) relating to space topic.

Learning Purposes:

To understand how to listen and why listening is important.

To learn new vocabulary.

To engage in story times/non-fiction texts

To articulate their thoughts and ideas in developing utterances (signed/spoken)

Vocabulary: Me, I, like/don't like, space, rocket, moon, stars, planets (names)

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Take part in simple pretend play, using an object to represent something else even though they are not similar.

Begin to develop complex stories using small world equipment like animal sets, dolls and dolls houses, etc. Use small world to explore space theme.

Make imaginative and complex 'small worlds' with blocks and construction kits, such as a rocket.

Remember and sing entire songs.

Sing the pitch of a tone sung by another person ('pitch match').

Sing the melodic shape (moving melody, such as up and down, down and up) of familiar songs. Create their own songs or improvise a song around one they know.

Vocabulary: Names of colours, feelings vocab, songs, sounds, instruments.

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Home Learning

Please continue to read regularly at home. Reading helps develop attention, language and understanding. Reading at home really helps your child.

Encourage your child to try new foods, shop for foods, eat a broad and balanced diet.

Also, talk about where our food comes from. Try growing food. This can be herbs, cress etc. Spring is coming!

We will send home videos showing signs for vocabulary that we are learning in school via Class DoJo.