



NURSERY CURRICULUM ACADEMIC YEAR 2023-2024

LANGUAGE

VOCABULARY

- Using sentences of increasing length and grammatical complexity in everyday speech.
- Using language to express common routines and familiar scripts.
- Telling a simple personal narrative, focusing on favourite or most memorable parts.
- Constant encouragement to ask questions and make comments related to the current topic of discussion.
- Engaging in conversation and following conversational rules (e.g staying on track and taking turns)
- Retelling the sequence of a story.

READING SKILLS

- Revision of sound/object association of phonics.
- Revision of sound/symbol association of phonics.
- Origins Phonic Workbooks 1 and 2
- Phonetic Reading: at, an, ag, ap, am, ad, in, it, ip, ig, ib, im, id, un, ut, up, ug, um, ot, op, og, ob, ox, et, en, eg, ed words.
- Introduction to phonograms sh, ch, th, wh.
- Origins Phonetic Reading Workbooks 1 and 2
- Oxford Reading Tree Stage 2:
 1. Stories
 2. More Stories A
 3. More Stories B
- Origins workbook: Oxford Reading Tree Stage 2 Stories: Books 1-6.

WRITING SKILLS

- Writing letters a-z with correct letter formations.
- Origins letter formation books 1 and 2.
- Writing own name.
- Copying simple words to describe news.
- Introduction to writing on lines.
- Introduction to creative writing.
- Origins Creative Writing Book.

URDU

- Introduction to Urdu alphabets.
- Introduction to Urdu Numbers.
- Origins Urdu Numbers Workbook
- Urdu Workbook
- Stories and Rhymes

MATHEMATICS

NUMBER AND OPERATIONS

- Recognition of Numbers 1-30
- Number/ Symbol association of numbers 1-30
- Value of numbers 1-30
- Writing numbers 1-30
- Counting by rote numbers 1-00
- Simple addition upto 10 using concrete objects (straight and column)
- Simple subtraction upto 10 using concrete objects (straight and column)
- Naming "how many" in a small group of objects without counting.

PATTERNS

- Sequencing events
- Patterns
- Dot-to dot/ Odd one Out/ Matching the same/ Sets

GEOMETRY AND SPATIAL SENSE

- Revision of common shapes- circle, triangle, square, star, rectangle, oval, trapezium, pentagon, diamond, heart.
+ semi-circle, crescent, hexagon, quatrefoil
- Puzzles of increasing complexity

MEASUREMENT

- Measurement- Filling an object with solids or liquids
- Size comparisons between objects/ Ordering two or three objects by size (seriation)

CLASSIFICATION AND DATA COLLECTION

- Matching objects that are alike
- Describing similarities and differences between objects
- Sorting objects into groups by an attribute
- Origins Maths Workbooks 1,2,3 and 4.

SOCIAL STUDIES / SCIENCE

- Professions
- Birds
- Pets
- Sports
- My Family
- Dinosaurs
- Weather
- Wheels and Wings
- Reptiles
- Day and Night

PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

GROSS MOTOR DEVELOPMENT

- Moving within a space of defined boundaries, changing body configuration to accommodate the space.
- Moving from one space to another in different ways. (e.g crawling, walking, running, jogging, jumping, hopping and skipping).
- Moving in place (e.g axial movements such as reaching, twisting, turning and bending).
- Moving in rhythm.
- Participating in group games.
- Flat races/ A variety of novelty races.

FINE MOTOR DEVELOPMENT

- Cutting straight edges with scissors.
- Drawing lines using a ruler.
- A variety of clay modelling activities.

CREATIVE/ AESTHETIC DEVELOPMENT

ART

- Revision of colours + Colour Mixing
- Artistic creations using a wide variety of media.
- Collage
- Junk Models

MUSIC

- Singing a variety of simple songs as part of a group as well as solo.
- Introduction to beat and rhythm (keeping time to music with various instruments)
- Responding to music of various tempos through movement.

DRAMATIC PLAY

- Expressing feelings through movement.
- Creating and recreating stories moods or experiences through dramatic representations.
- Engaging in dramatic play with others.