

## Useful websites

These websites are pupil friendly, containing fun, interactive games to develop Maths and Literacy skills.



[http://](http://www.educationcity.com)

[www.educationcity.com](http://www.educationcity.com)

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/websites/eyfs>

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/stories>

<http://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/freeIndex.htm>

Also don't forget to sign up for Marvellous Me, so we can share your child's achievements with you!



Over the year we will be celebrating children's achievements at home as well as in school. We look forward to hearing about what makes you proud of your child.

Thank you for  
your support!



St Jude's CE  
Primary Academy

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### Terrific for Twos

# Spring Term 2023



## Welcome to Spring Term in Terrific for Twos.



We want to take this opportunity to welcome back our older members of Terrific for Twos and welcome the children who have joined us.

For the next couple of weeks we will be exploring a range of traditional stories as we settle back into the setting.

We will be focusing on:

- ⇒ Using equipment safely
- ⇒ Sharing and taking turns
- ⇒ Encouraging friendships.
- ⇒ Listening to stories
- ⇒ Making independent choices
- ⇒ Developing vocabulary and speech.

### PSED

This term we are focusing on friendships, we will be developing social skills such as listening to each other, turn taking and being aware of others feelings.

We will be learning each others names and engaging in lots of group activities.

We will also be developing independence, making choices at snack time, learning to put on our coats and helping with small tasks.

### Physical Development

In Terrific for Twos we will be climbing, balancing, jumping and using sports equipment. We will be developing confidence in our physical abilities and trying a variety of activities.

We will also be developing our fine motor skills in daily finger gym activities.

### Communication, Language and Literacy

This term we will be reading a variety of traditional stories, such as 'The Gingerbread Man' 'The Three Billy Goats Gruff' and 'The Little Red Hen'. We will be singing a variety of familiar nursery rhymes and learning new songs based on our topics.

The children will have the opportunity to re-tell the stories through role play, baking gingerbread men in our play kitchen, exploring small world play and using puppets. We will be learning new vocabulary and asking questions.



### Understanding the World

We will be looking at the outdoor environment, exploring the weather and forest school. We will go on a 'Spring Hunt' nature walk and look at growth as we plant different seeds and bulbs. We will also be celebrating different traditions such as Chinese New Year and Easter



For our **Expressive Art and Design** we will be using a variety of media and materials to create art work such as collages, painting and drawings. We will be singing and dancing and exploring music from different cultures.



### Maths

Throughout the term we will be investigating number by counting, singing number rhymes and exploring quantity. We will also be exploring shapes and size—talking about the Billy goats gruff and measuring the ingredients to bake our gingerbread men.



In **Worship** we will be listening to Bible stories and saying our daily prayers. Later in the term we will begin to look at the Easter story and the celebrations prior to Easter.

## Notice Board

Online learning for Terrific for Twos:

Seesaw, Education City, Marvellous Me Active learn



Please ensure that your child brings a bag with nappies (if required) wipes and spare clothes.



At snack all children are offered a choice of fruit and can either have milk or water. Children may bring in a water bottle if they would like to.



Please ensure your child has a warm waterproof coat every day in school as we take our learning outside whatever the weather.

Could you please encourage your child to dress independently, including taking their coat on and off.



Many Thanks

