

# Star Class Learning Newsletter – Term 2

## My thinking and problem solving

### Number

Exploring Numicon, counting to 5, matching numerals, listening and joining in with our favourite number songs

### Shape, Space and Measure

Sorting and construction

## Seasons



## My communication and literacy

**Stories** –Dora at the Seaside and One Snowy Night

**Writing** – Mark making in sensory materials and with a variety of tools Fine motor skills to develop pincer grip (including tweezers work)

### Language and communication –

Individual speech and language targets, listening skills

## My creativity

Exploring musical instruments to play along with our favourite Christmas songs

**Diwali** – We will be learning about the Festival of Light and how it is celebrated. We will create firework pictures, make Mehndi patterns and experience sensory painting with spices

**Christmas** – We will be completing activities linked to the Christmas Story and a variety of arts and crafts

## My world

Continue to work on transitioning from one activity to another

### Sensory

- seasonal related sensory experiences e.g. leaves and conkers
- animal habitat related sensory experiences e.g. ice and mud
- weather related sensory experiences e.g. water play and fans



## My physical and wellbeing

Sensory activities in our Sensory Integration room

Play skills sessions

Making shapes with our bodies

## Homework Activities Ideas:

Printing to make Christmas wrapping paper

Going on walks and collecting Autumnal objects such as conkers and leaves

Listening to/watching number songs e.g. 5 Little Ducks, 5 Little Men in a Flying Saucer