Communication and Language

- Experience of vocab through stories, rhymes, games and discussion - rhyming bingo, traditional nursery rhymes and new, themed stories such as, including spiders.
- Developing listening and attention through paired games, length of stories and bingo games.
- Rhyme cards with interactive resources out in reading area for children to sing along to and interact with by playing along with rhyme.
- Exploring loud and quiet through music.
- Introduce new rhymes to increase vocab.

Literacy

- A wide range of topic themed stories in our reading garden including fiction and non-fiction related around rhymes taught and rhyming stories and Easter.
- Interactive resources available each week for children to have the opportunity to sing and interact with.
- Themed paper for writing and drawing opportunities with template pictures to cut and colour e.g. 5 frogs on a log.
- Rhyming soup game on picnic table with resources to stir in their silly soup - choosing rhyming objects.
- Exploring rhyme structure through order rhyme pictures and discussion.
- Explore name writing and encourage mark making.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Discussion of feelings of characters through rhymes - miss polly had a dolly, humpty dumpty etc.
- Role play opportunities, developing friendships and turn taking through co-operative play in theme - bakers, shop, role-play dress up.
- Caring for babies in water play using knowledge learned through rhymes and previous topic - washing using soap, sponges, tooth brushes etc.
- Developing enjoyment and love for songs and rhymes by exposing to a variation such as, number rhymes, animal themed, care themed.

Physical Development

- Using plastic piping in water tray during incy wincy explore various sizes by adjusting and pouring using various jugs and cups.
- Opportunities to support cooking skills using various tools to roll, chop and scoop with discussion around topics – CNY.
- Fine motor experiences through malleable activities using tweezers in playdough and manipulating body parts in dough and putting together humpty dumpty game in maths area.
- Gross motor obstacle course games using large blocks, cones, rope, bean bags and balls.
- Dance movements and actions to songs and rhymes using scarfs.
- Actions rhymes e.g. Grand Old Duke of York
- Comando Joe Nursery Rhymes

Nursery Rhymes

Mathematics

- Number rhymes themed week within nursery rhymes with props for free choice and on interactive table.
- 5 fat sausages and other 5 baking items in dough to create amount of food items.
- 5 fat sausages and other food items on display in home corner with till, money and price next to them ranging from 1-10 pounds.
- Colouring matching/sorting with humpty dumpty parts.
- Turn taking game with dice and spots to count and find.
- Explore number 1, 2 and 3

Understanding the World

- Use software on IWB to make marks and press buttons to achieve a result specifically counting games.
- Discussion around weather and changes with changing season - link with rhymes including weather.
- Look at China and explore CNY
- Internet Safety

Expressive Arts and Design

- Develop observational paintings using rhyme scenes, specific characters and key objects/features.
- Exploration of painting using water colours.
- Exploration of making different sounds and rhythms using body percussion and instruments.
- Range of construction materials to support learning around rhymes – joining pipe pieces, joining blocks to construct walls, bridges, buildings.
- Added role play props to support learning around bakers etc. including till, aprons, money.