PSED

- Talk about eating healthy and making healthy choices by keeping physically active.
- To taste different fruits.
- To learn how to keep themselves and others
- Know how to be a good friend and enjoy healthy friendships.
- To learn how we are all different, cultures and communities.
- To talk about their preferences favourite animals, favourite fruit.
- To learn how to keep calm and deal with difficult situations

Expressive Arts and Design

- Curling paper strips to make a paper plate lions mane
- Painting and drawing different animals.
- Paint mixing pastel colours for painting flowers colours.
- Make clay egg cups
- Listen to African Music join in with African dancing.
- Beat out loud and soft rhythms on African drums.

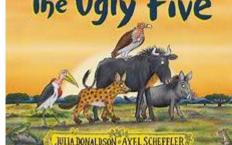
Literacy

- Tales Toolkit Problem/Solution in The Ugly Five
- Writing shopping lists
- Labelling pictures from the story.
- Writing simple recounts growing cress
- Non-fiction writing about their favourite jungle animal.
- Writing card inserts for Mother's Day/Easter.
- Phase 3 –phonemes, digraphs and trigraphs GPCs.
- To read words with a range of digraphs.
- To read Phase 3 tricky words.

Physical Development

- Cutting different fruit- eating fruit with a knife and fork.
- Making shapes straight, tuck, straddle, star, pike - on the floor, on apparatus, when jumping
- Rocking and Rolling
- Using clay tools and peelers safely.
- Manipulating playdough to make the animals
- Peeling different fruits what happens and why?

Mathematics



- Counting out amounts, matching and learning the numerals 9 and 10.
- Comparing numbers to 10, more than, fewer than, equal amounts.
- Doubles 6 is made of 3 and 3 etc.
- Odd Blocks and Even Tops odd and even numbers
- Composition of 7, 8,9,10 as 5 and 2, 5 and 3 etc
- Length long/short, longer/shorter,
- Height tall/short, taller/shorter

Communication and Language

- Tales Toolkit Story language character, setting, problem, solution
- Talking about the African animals what do the children know about them? Names of the animals. Other African animals.
- Act out stories using Tales Toolkit toys
- To describe the different landscapes in Africa
- Adjectives describing the fruit.

Enrichment Activities

- Visit to the Safari Park.(after Easter)
- Making bread rolls
- Growing a cress mountain
- Tasting different fruits.

Understanding the World

- Celebrating different festivals: Easter Story & Traditions
- Compare locations Africa to our country.
- Looking at early Spring and the changes that are happening outside – daffodils, tulips etc growing in our garden. Buds on trees.
- To investigate how to make a dough ball using flour and water.
- Making their own bread roll and talk how it changes
- Making toast what happens to the bread in the toaster.
- Growing cress heads
- Sketching spring flowers

What I can talk about at home.

- Easter and spring festivals what will we be doing at home to celebrate Easter.
- Mother's Day how did you celebrate that? What did you do?
- Keeping safe when out and about what would you do if you got lost. Stranger Danger.

Key Vocabulary

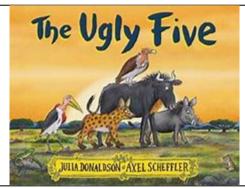
- Names of different fruit especially tropical fruits.
- Animal name animals from the story and other safari animals eg antelope, ostrich, gazelle, wildebeest, cheetah, ostrich etc
- Adjectives to describe the skin of fruits: rough, smooth, bumpy
- Words to describe the taste/texture of fruits: creamy, sweet, sour, tart, juicy, slimy, crunchy
- Words associated with cooking bake, ingredients, recipe, equipment, dough, kneading, rolling

Maths activities I can do at home.

- Days of the week songs on youtube eg <u>Days of the Week Song | The Singing Walrus (youtube.com)</u>
- Order objects eg toys by height or length
- Looking for the numbers 9 and 10
- Spot doubles both amounts the same

Literacy activities I can do at home.

- Writing a variety of lists eg shopping lists, my favourite toys, my friends etc
- Find out facts about your favourite safari animal
- Write down a couple of facts.
- Can they describe their favourite animals using different adjectives?
- Find out about Africa look at nonfiction books or on the internet.



Books I could share at home.

Handa's Surprise, Handa's Hen, Handa's Noisy Night - Eileen Brown Walking through the Jungle - Julie Lacome Rumble in the Jungle - Giles Andreae Giraffes Can't Dance - Giles Andreae The Tiger who came to tea - Judith Kerr

Activities I can do at home.

- Practice using a knife and fork to eat cutting own food up
- When shopping look at different fruits try something new!
- Go on an "signs of spring" walk look for spring flowers or buds
- A trip to the zoo or the safari park.
- Drawing/painting pictures of their favourite African animal.
- To make toast and butter it.
- To make their favourite sandwich.