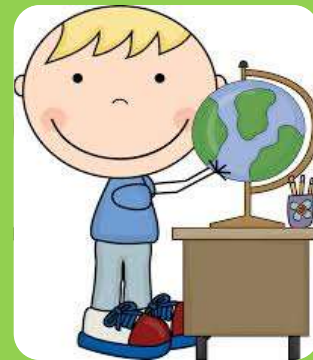




INDIAN SCHOOL, AL-AIN
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JUNE AND SEPTEMBER 2016



THEME OF THE MONTH- JUNE

Theme1- HOLIDAYS AND TRAVELLING

Physical Development

Make sand castles in the sand pit.
Make sand castles with moondough.
Get a small suitcase and some clothes and help the children fold and pack for a pretend holiday.
Collect/ print postcards and then let the children mark make on them.
Write postcards to family members and then walk to the postbox and post them.
Make planes, boats and buses from play dough and other construction toys, such as lego and meccano.

Personal, Social and Emotional

Talk about holidays we have been on and what we did there. Share pictures with our friends and listen to each others stories.
What was our favourite bit of the holiday?
What was the worst bit of the holiday?
Where would we like to go if money was no object?
How can we stay safe on holiday? Water safety. Stranger danger, sun smart!
Make pictures/ collages of our fantasy holiday using travel brochures.

Communication and language

NEW LANGUAGE: Holiday, travel, destination, passports, luggage, abroad, journey, names of countries.
Talk about and share pictures of our holidays.
Talk about our best and worst bits of going on holiday.
Draw and label pictures of transport such as planes, boats and trains and maybe other holiday items such as luggage and passport.
Read stories about holidays and sing rhymes and songs that focus on holidays and traveling.
Offer items for role play based on holidays, hotels, campsites, travel agents etc....

Holidays and Travelling

BOOKS: That's not my plane, That's not my train, Usborne- Getting dressed, going on holiday.
Write postcards and post them to family members or friends.
Look at travel brochures. Identify letters of children's names or countries that start with the same letter sound as a child's name.
Trace over pictures of holiday items, such as suitcases, beach balls, sandcastles, tents.
Make fruit ice lollies or fresh lemonade following a recipe

Literacy

Set up a Travel agents and label up holidays to book people on. How much will it cost? Have extras to add such as full board, hiring a car. Use single digits to add together for this.
Paint spots and numbers on to pebbles and match the numeral to the spots.
Count shells and pebbles.
Group shells and pebbles by shape, size and colour. Sequence them in size order.
Set up a Lemonade stall for friends or neighbours.

Mathematics

Set up a role play travel agents, ice cream stall, hotel, airport, campsite.
Make holiday pictures using travel brochures.
Make fruit ice lollies or lemonade.
Make our own passports and postcards.
Use shells to make prints in clay or play dough.
Set up a Punch and Judy puppet show.
Sing songs about holidays, listen to songs, pop music about holidays.

Expressive Art & Design

Use Atlas to locate different places the children have been to.
Use a map of the UK and a large one of the world and mark of places children have travelled to.
Pack a suitcase for a hot holiday and a cold holiday.
What would you take on beach, skiing or site seeing holidays.
Has anyone been on a holiday to Disney? Safari? Cruise, Camping?
Play board games like DK's Around the world,
Small world holiday play- Playmobil camper/ campervan/ Airport.
Happyland camper van.

Understanding the world

Theme2-SUMMER

<p>Physical Development</p> <p>Paint pictures with bottles of chalk paint or draw with chalks on the pavement.</p> <p>Play outdoor games such as hula hoops, bat and ball games, skipping, frogcatch, football, skittles.</p> <p>Water play in a water tray or paddling pool.</p> <p>Set up a car wash for dirty ride on toys or large toy cars and trucks.</p> <p>Outdoor kitchen area.</p> <p>Henry walks & notices the changes from Spring.</p> <p>Go on a number hunt in the garden after hiding lolly pop sticks with numbers 1-10 on them.</p> <p>Go on a colour hunt by drawing a rainbow and placing the matching coloured items on from the garden, leaves, petals, bits of bark etc...</p>	<p>Personal, Social and Emotional</p> <p>Look at staying safe in the summer. Water dangers and how to play safely near and in water, Sun screen and appropriate sunhats and glasses.</p> <p>Play team and cooperative games together in the garden.</p> <p>Get some large outdoor games such as garden Jenga or snakes and ladders and play together, taking turns and sharing.</p>	<p>Communication and Language</p> <p>NEW LANGUAGE: Summer, sun safety, water safety, sunshine, heat, holidays, traveling.</p> <p>Talk about what we like to do in the summer. Make some plans together for a summer holiday "Bucket list".</p> <p>Are the children going on holiday? If so where? What will they do? Could they bring pictures in and make a group "Summer scrap book".</p> <p>Ask the children to send postcards from their holidays or day trips.</p> <p>Books and songs, poems and rhymes about summer, sun, beaches, holidays, picnics etc.</p> <p>Talk about staying safe in the sun and near water.</p>	
<p>BOOKS: Summer by Gerda Muller, Usborne Summer things to make and do.</p> <p>Write up a "Bucket list" together of summer activities that the children would like to do.</p> <p>Write postcards to our friends or family and practice writing our names on them.</p> <p>Set up an ice-Cream stall and write a menu of flavours that you sell.</p>	<p>Set up summer themed role play areas like an ice cream stall or a beach shop and use play money to buy and sell items. Price up the items with labels.</p> <p>Look at the shapes in the clouds while lying on the grass.</p> <p>Make ice lollies and summer desserts using and following recipes.</p> <p>Make colour or number hunt in the garden.</p>	<p>Make a summer role play area such as travel agents, ice cream shop, airport.</p> <p>Make nature art using the different colours that you find in the garden or on nature walks.</p> <p>Look at our shadows and make a shadow book of how our shadows move with us.</p> <p>Make sun art using sunprint paper.</p> <p>Enjoy bubbles big and small.</p> <p>Outdoor chalk and paint.</p> <p>Summer rhymes and songs.</p>	<p>Look at shadows. How they change and move.</p> <p>Notice the changes in the world around us now summer is here compared to other seasons.</p> <p>Learn about sun and water safety.</p> <p>Talk about holidays and share stories and pictures of places we have visited.</p> <p>Make a summer holiday scrap book to record everyone's trips and outings.</p> <p>Look at the clouds and how they change and move and how this links to the weather.</p> <p>Make a solar oven and cook snowed!</p>
<p>Literacy</p>	<p>Mathematics</p>	<p>Expressive Art & Design</p>	<p>Understanding the world</p>

Theme:

Summer

THEME- SEPTEMBER

TRANSPORT

IMPORTANCE OF TRANSPORT

ROAD SAFETY BEHAVIOUR

TRANSPORTATION CRAFT WITH WASTE

WHATS ON THE ROAD- MEANS OF TRANSPORT

ENGLISH

JUNE

- Phonic words an, ap, et word family.
- Sight words given in the note book
- Reading page 17

SEPTEMBER

- Phonic words en, et, in family.
- Sight words
- Reading page 20

MATH

JUNE

- Oral Numbers 1-40
- Concepts over/under, before/after/between, right left, shapes

SEPTEMBER

- Written numbers 1-20
- Months of the year
- Number names zero and one

STORY

JUNE: THE GRUFFALO

<http://www.slideshare.net/hybo/the-gruffalo-16325928>

<https://youtu.be/f2cxfngNyPM>

SEPTEMBER: THE LITTLE RED HEN

http://www.slideshare.net/muinteoir_jamie/sequence-cards-for-little-red-hen

<https://youtu.be/JTCsL26vob4>

MORAL SCIENCE

JUNE: THE THIRSTY CROW

<https://youtu.be/WPktMBW2k98>

SEPTEMBER: THE CROCODILE AND THE MONKEY

<http://www.slideshare.net/dineshhiox/the-crocodile-and-the-monkey>

<https://youtu.be/wbllloKiJtf4>

RHYMES:

JUNE: S.NO 14- 19

SEPTEMBER S.NO 20-22

ISLAMIC STUDIES JUNE AND SEPTEMBER

WE ARE MUSLIMS

SURAH AN NAS

- Who is Allah?
- What will you say to thank others?
- Recite a Hadees about children?
- What is the meaning of Islam?
- What do you say when someone says "How are you?"
- Dua: while coming out of the toilet.

ARABIC

JUNE TO SEPTEMBER

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SPECIAL DAYS AND ACTIVITIES

- WORLD KIDS COLOURING DAY
- WALK FOR WATER
- CCA GK TEST 21/9/2016