



Miss Lobedan Newsletter : Summer 2 2016

Imaginative Learning Journey

Why are carrots orange?



TOPIC OVERVIEW

What do we like to eat? Are we happy to try something new? Explore these questions and more in this project about eating well, staying healthy and trying something new.

We will be finding out about...

- Food groups
- Recipes and cooking
- Healthy eating
- The benefits of exercise
- Origins of different food

THINGS TO REMEMBER

- **MONDAY & THURSDAY:** Reading books to be changed.
- **TUESDAY:** Busy books to be handed in
- **FRIDAY:** Snack money - £1.50

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

20th April – McDonalds Visit

Week beginning 2nd May – ‘Farm to Fork’
Tesco visit

SUBJECT OVERVIEWS

- **COMMUNICATION & LANGUAGE:** Answering and asking 'How' and 'Why' questions. Building up vocabulary and exploring new words.
- **PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT:** Gross motor development – digging to plant vegetables. Healthy eating and trying different foods. Understanding the importance of exercise and a healthy diet.
- **PSED:** Trying new things, new foods and exercises eg Zumba.
- **LITERACY:** Writing: Writing simple sentences using phonic skills. Writing recipes and shopping lists. Creating food rhymes. Reading: reading sentences and recognising common exception words.
- **MATHS:** 3D shape, addition and subtraction, doubling, halving and sharing.
- **UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD:** Talk about where different foods come from and foods from around the worlds. Talk about and observe changes over time of plants and natural objects.
- **EXPRESSIVE ARTS & DESIGN:** Study the artist Giuseppe Arcimboldi and his work. Using food to create different textures in artwork. Observational drawings.

HOW TO HELP YOUR CHILD

READING BOOKS: Please read with your child at least 3 times a week and record comments in their diary. Reading books will be changed twice a week. Please make sure your child's reading books are in their bag every day.

PHONICS: We have now learnt all of the Phase 2 and 3 sounds. Please continue to practice these at home. A copy has been sent out but please come and see us if your require another.