Communication and Language

- Children will create their own version of the Gruffalo and act this out. Each child will play a part.
- Children are able to use prepositions using a variety of resources, including Velcro symbols in a book, physical objects and communication boards / colourful semantics, creation of a Gruffalo scene using natural materials.
- Children to create 4 different 3D scenes in shoeboxes, with each of the Gruffalo characters in. Children are able to describe what is happening in each scene, using visual resources to support communication.
- Encourage children to hear and find initial letter sounds of phase 2 letters and everyday sounds linked with Superworm.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Children are able to label parts of the body.
- Children explore their emotions and supported and empowered to self-regulate, with adult support.
- Children are aware of the Characteristics of Learning and able to identify some of their own strengths and areas for development.
- Children are able to resolve some possible social conflicts, practising these in a safe environment, in imaginary situations.
- Children are able to share resources.
- Children are supported to play games with their friends.

Physical Developmen

- Children play team games and work together to achieve a common goal.
- Children work together to complete some physical challenges.
- Children are supported to explore their environments and make some risk assessments regarding to safety within the playground.
- Children are able to move like some garden animals.
- Children are able to follow some simple instructions using prepositions.



If you go down to the woods



English

Encourage children's reading of simple phrases and sentences using a range of Julia Donaldson and other texts.

- Encourage children to write short sentences, including describing words, based on The Gruffalo.
- Children to be able to identify a rhyming pair and suggest a rhyming word to match a given word, based on The Gruffalo and Superworm.
- Children to be supported to complete and / or build sentences, using colourful semantics, using a variety of motivating subjects and The Gruffalo, Superworm and Stickman.
- Children use natural materials to mark make, inside and outside the classroom.

Mathematics

- Children investigating and exploring capacity and volume.
- Children using the language of capacity and volume; more than, less than, bigger, smaller, heavy, light etc.
- Children using prepositions; in, on, under, through, next to, beside etc.
- The children can make different 2D and 3D shapes using natural materials, to create a bug hotel and other structures.
- The children can create their own ten frames, using natural materials to represent numbers 0-10 / 0-20 and beyond.

Understanding the World

• The children take

which interest them

at Forest School and

create a montage

photographs of things

- Investigate nature themed science
- Find out about Ramadan
- Children to find out about plant growth; what's needed, what happens
- Children to know the parts of a plant.



display in class.

Expressive Arts and Design

- Listen and move to music with a woodland theme.
- Provide children with a collection of junk-modelling materials that can be used to build a habitat for the Gruffalo characters
- Encourage children to explore and make different musical instruments to make sounds they think the animals may make or they may hear in the forest.
- Encourage children to use natural materials to make collages
- Encourage children to explore mixing colours in a variety of ways.