

### Literacy

Children work at their own level and pace of learning.

Activities include:

Developing phonic skills for both reading and spelling through the Synthetic Phonics scheme.

Developing writing and comprehension skills

Handwriting

Daily reading activities

### Geography

Connecting ourselves to the world:

- Weather comparison (Dartford/Perth)
- Types of communication
- Similarities and differences

### RE

Judaism:

- Chanukah
- Purim
- Jewish home life and artefacts
- Pesach

### PSHE

Going for goals

### Science

Teeth and Healthy Eating:

- Food groups
- Food pyramid
- Types of teeth
- Keeping teeth healthy

## Spring Term 1 2010 Mars Class

### Healthy Foods



Please see over for homework ideas

### PE

Improving skills in:

- Gym
- Games
- Swimming
- Gross and fine motor activities in the classroom

### Numeracy

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Activities include:

Understanding numbers

Using addition and subtraction skills

Place value

Time, Measurement and Money

Shapes

### Music

Music Express: Exploring pitch

Ocarinas: Using 2 fingers for various notes

### DT

Healthy sandwiches:

- Types of bread and sandwich fillings
- Preparing food hygienically

### ICT

Creating pictures:

- Use various tools in a graphics programme to create a simple picture

### Social Use of Language Programme

Developing social interaction skills including looking and listening and awareness of ourselves and others

## Mars Class - Spring Term 1 2010 Ideas for homework

### Speech and Language Therapy

Please continue to do work in packs when sent home.

### Literacy

Please continue to do daily reading and worksheets/activities when appropriate.  
Read other stories if possible, discussing pictures and what might happen next.  
Look out for signs, labels etc which you can read together.  
Visit the library and look for simple books about our topics.

### Numeracy

Talk about days of the week, months of the year, the passing of seasons etc.  
Talk about times of the day, looking at the clock for o'clock, half past and quarter times  
Talk about measurement: long/short, tall/short, heavy/light, full/empty etc  
Look for opportunities to add up and take away using numbers to 10.  
Look for shapes and patterns.

### Other Curriculum Areas

Discuss which foods on a plate/ in a sandwich are healthy.  
Look at weather reports for Dartford and if you have access Perth.

### Motor Skills

Throwing, catching, kicking balls etc  
Cutting, sticking, threading beads etc