

Learning in Partnership

Topic:-Australia. Comparing life in Australia with that of the UK.

Term: Summer 1

Year Group: Reception

Choose an activity each week.

Communication, Language and Literacy

- Watch the story-Why Koala has a stumpy tail.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=itszep0duwI>

- Re-tell the story to your adult.
- Can you explain why koala was not a good friend?
- What should he have done to help his friend the tree kangaroo?

Expressive arts and design

- Watch the video clip below and make your own piece of aboriginal art.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tXxuOF0qMss>

- Watch and join in with the cartoon Haka

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wDs5YYbDsKg>

Personal, social and emotional

Me and other people. Celebrating differences.

Create an individual book called "Who am I?" that emphasises your likes / dislikes and has some pages with sentences and pictures. e.g. I like to do ... I like to eat... I like to wear ... I like to celebrate ...

Mathematics

- Go outside with a pencil and paper and write down some car number plates.
- Can you add up the total of the numbers in the number plates?
BF15 FTE-1+5=6
- Can you make a subtraction sentence with the numbers 5-1=4.

Writing/Reading

- Draw and label a plan of a bedroom. It can be your own room, or an imaginary bedroom with a special bed and decorated walls and lots of toys.
- Keep on reading your high frequency words. How many can you read and write?

Knowledge and Understanding of the World

- Look at some different Australian animals, can you find 3 that has have pouches?
- What is a duck billed platypus? Can you draw this funny creature?
- Draw or paint your favourite Australian animal.