

<p><u>Personal Social & Emotional Development</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dear zoo loto game • Question of the week: listen/accept views of others • Imaginative play with animals and puppets • Parachute games • Play alongside/with peers • Turn taking and listening games • Increase independence in toileting and dressing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • RE Link : Chinese new year Food tasting, crafts, music and activities 	<p><u>Communication and Language</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talk about pets and other animals • Question of the week • Wellcomm/Toddler talk activities • Listen and recreate animal sounds • Listening CD-animal sounds • Match sound word to animal • Songs; Old MacDonald, 5 little monkeys, 5 little ducks • Share books and stories as a group and individually • Use words and vocal sounds in play situations <p>Words & concepts: Dog, puppy, pig, cow, sheep, hen, lion, giraffe, elephant, snake, monkey, scary, fierce, big, jumpy, tall, pet, farm, zoo, work</p>	<p><u>Physical Development</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sheer a sheep, cotton wool game • Build a farm/zoo • Mark making with fine/gross motor tools • Dance and movement activity linked to animal boogie • Milk a cow activity • Write letter to zoo • Squiggle that wiggle • Pet care shopping list • Mark making with: water, paint, crayon, pencil, water • Tiger tea pouring activity • Farmer duck digging, cleaning and working games
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St Thomas the Martyr Early Years Foundation Stage

Animals

<p><u>Literacy</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daily story session & song time • Book area with stories & props related to farm & dear zoo • Books: Dear zoo, The tiger who came to tea, Tiger, Farmer duck • Pet care shopping list • Write letter to zoo • Songs: Old MacDonald, 5 little ducks, 5 little monkeys, • Animals words • Mark making with: water, paint, crayon, pencil, water • Squiggle that wiggle 	<p><u>Mathematics</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Counting zoo game on laptop • Round up and group sheep Counting zoo game on laptop • Puppy positional language collage • Counting animals • Number display: monkeys • Inset puzzles: farm/zoo • How many eyes, nose, feet does a dog have • Number rhymes 5 little ducks, 5 little monkeys, 	<p><u>Understanding of the World</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Look at farm and pet items: wool, horse shoe, eggs, pet food, lead • Watch farm video-milking cows and shearing sheep • Small world: farm & zoo • Counting zoo game on laptop • Nativity story • Word wand: animals and size • Group animals as pets/farm/zoo • Look at animal patterns and how they hide 	<p><u>Expressive arts and design</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Small world: farm & zoo • Pet stampers • Build a farm/zoo • Songs & dancing • Animal collage • Puppy positional language collage • Animal print craft • Create our own stripe/spotty pattern • Exploring paint, pencil, chalk and sensory mark making
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Home links

- Play with small world animals encourage voices and imagination
- Play guess the animal game taking turns to guess and make the animal sound
- Sing: Old Mac Donald had a farm, 5 little ducks, 5 little monkeys
- Share animal themed stories and pictures



