

Rising 3's Curricular Goals



Communication & Language

Listen to adults when actively engaged in an interactive activity and join in by copying actions, filling in gaps or moving to a steady musical beat. Shift their attention to an adult directed task if adult focuses their attention first. Understand instructions containing up to 3 key words including action words and select objects by their function. Talk about what they are doing now and also start to express ideas beyond the here and now, combining 4 + words Ask simple wh questions and use plurals and the pronoun 'l' Use a range of consonants in speech including k, g, f, s, and y.

Enjoy pretend play representing firsthand experiences including situations outside the home.



Personal, Social & Emotional

Separate from carers, choose activities, wait for a turn, share resources and finish preferred activities calmly with some adult support.

Play on their own and with other children including simple pretend play, talking to others as they play.Say when they need the toilet and use it successfully most of the time, including washing hands.Feed self independently and follow routines at snack and lunchtime with some adult support.



Physical

Move freely in a range of ways including crawling and climbing and pedalling smaller toys outside, negotiating corners and obstacles.

Hold a pencil using the digital grip and draw a face with one or two facial features. Stack 10 bricks; roll playdough into balls and sausages and snip with scissors.



Literacy

Notice some print e.g. initial letter of own name, a door number or familiar logo.
Show awareness of the rhythm of words and tap or clap out 2 syllable words.
Enjoy and initiate listening to favourite stories with an adult, filling in gaps with key words and phrases, answering who and where questions, sharing own ideas and using story props or costumes in play.

Enjoy making marks with a variety of media and give meaning to the marks they make.



Mathematical

Join in with familiar number rhymes and songs and recite number names to 5 Use numbers with the intention of counting objects (but not always in the right order or missing some). Build with different resources and complete an inset puzzle with at least 5 pieces independently. Talk about differences in sizes, heights and weights in everyday situations: big/small, tall, heavy /light, high/low Notice patterns in the environment and begin to share out objects to others (not necessarily equally).



Understanding the World

Make connections between features of own **family** and **other families**. Notice **differences between** individual **people**. **Explore natural materials and phenomena** e.g. plants, wildlife and weather inside and outside.



Expressive Arts & Design

Engage in simple pretend play sequences using realistic objects and other materials to represent their ideas.
Enjoy taking part in action songs and move, dance or play instruments in response to music.
Use imagination to model or combine different materials e.g. playdough, junk modelling, Duplo.
Express ideas or feelings through mark making with different media.

Humshaugh Early Years Unit will provide opportunities for children to achieve these goals by the end of their year as a Two Year old, giving them access to a high-quality curriculum and working in partnership with parents to support their learning at home.