ST MODWEN'S CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

Excellence For All Through Jesus' Love

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Through prayer, storytelling, singing, and creative activities. The children will be exploring the themes of Advent and Christmas. The children will learn about God's promise to send Jesus, hear the stories of Mary and the angel Gabriel, and celebrate the birth of Jesus.

Communication and Language

- Play a game of 'I spy' finding objects of colour. Play the game when reading a book, 'can you find something in the picture that is blue?' etc. How many can you see?



Maths

- Use some of the objects from your autumn walk such as sticks, leaves, conkers, acorns and to make a repeating pattern. Can you copy a pattern a grown up has made? Talk about your pattern



Literacy

- Do you have any musical instruments at home? Don't worry if you don't have any instruments - you could always make your own instrument, like a simple shaker or use objects in the home that you can shake, tap or bang. Try creating loud and quiet sounds and also some simple sound patterns

Half-Termly Activity Grid Suggestions

Nursery

Autumn 2

Topics

All about Autumn and Colours

Understanding the World

- When you go on your autumn walk, ask a grown up if you can use a camera or a phone to take some photographs. Look at and talk about all the different pictures you have taken.

Literacy–Reading

- One of our stories this half term is 'Owl Babies', Ask your child to talk about the story. Can they tell you who the characters are in the story? What happened to them? Can they repeat the familiar phrase from the story?



Expressive Arts and Design

- Go on an Autumn walk and collect some Autumn leaves. Talk about all the different colours of the leaves you have collected. Use the leaves to make a picture or a collage.



Physical Development

- Help your child to develop their fine motor skills by encouraging them to make snips in paper with scissors, and develop a comfortable grip when holding writing tools