


<p><u>Mathematical development</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Introduce zero• Subitise and represent 0-5• Find 6,7 and 8• Odd and even numbers• Find and make doubles to 8• 1more/1 less• Compare mass• Explore and compare capacity• Find balance• Explore length and height	<p>Communication and language</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Use fruit and vegetables to explore descriptive vocabulary and new vocabulary (ripe, soft, leafy, juicy etc.)• Explore extending sentences. For example, "I would like to buy some strawberries because they are ripe and juicy."• Building confidence when presenting to the class.	<p>Physical Development</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Talk about healthy food.• Try different fruits. Encourage children to help wash and prepare the fruit using child-safe cutlery• Group games, gymnastics• Discuss the importance of exercise and how we feel after exercise• Explore a variety of fine motor skills• activities - threading, hammering, rolling, twisting etc.• Using a correct pencil grip and gaining control with a range of mark making implements - chalk, crayons, pencils• Using and holding scissors correctly
<p>Literacy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Practise blending• Read key words• Learn new sounds and use them in our writing• Listening to stories, poems and rhymes• Sequencing a story• Thinking of ways to change a story• Writing shopping lists• Produce a wanted poster <p><u>Books:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Very Hungry Caterpillar• Handa's surprise• The Evil Pea	<p style="text-align: center;">Fabulous Food</p>  <p style="text-align: center;">Acorn Class - Reception Spring Term 2024 Miss Corbyn and Mrs Armstrong</p>	
<p>Personal, Social & Emotional Development</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Talk about favourite foods. (Understand that everyone has their own likes and dislikes and to consider the feelings of others.)• Have a class teddy bears' picnic.• Follow instructions to make a sandwich, fruit salad and biscuits.	<p>Expressive Art and Design</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Cut out fruit shapes and invite children to decorate them using chalk. Explore techniques to blend and smudge different colours together to create different effects.• Look at Giuseppe Arcimboldo. Create fruit faces and take photos of their finished creations.• Drawing, collaging - favourite food• Exploring different medias• Cooking• Food prints- potato, apple	
	<p>Understanding the World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Talk about special events and celebrations and the different foods they eat during these times.• Discuss different foods and where they come from. Share their own experiences of growing vegetables or picking fruit.• Use a globe or maps to locate the different places and discuss how far the food has travelled• Food- using our senses: hear, see, smell, touch and taste to experiment different foods.• Looking and tasting foods from different cultures• How food has changed over time• Role play- restaurant- ordering food	

