

Maths

Counting objects - characters and objects found in the sand and water
Ordering numerals
Comparing sets
Creating pictures using shapes
Repeating patterns whilst threading pasta and beads

Construction

Junk modelling
Create houses and other buildings using construction kits

Role play

Home corner — rooms in a house
Superhero den

Outdoor role play

Construction workers - using large scale construction

Small world play

House
Fairies
Cars and Garage
Dinosaurs
Farm

ICT

Ipad Apps
Mouse skills—select and click
Introduction to Mathematics

Creative

Painted self portraits
Plate faces – collage
Create faces with different facial expressions (happy/sad)
Happy face biscuits
Print using different parts of body, hands, thumbs, feet...
Colour mixing for skin colour
Collage
Junk modelling - houses and homes

Marvellous Me!

Acorn Class Medium Term Planning

Ideas to Enhance

Continuous Provision

Sand and Water

Explore wet / dry sand with hands and feet
Add textures, materials e.g. add shampoo, rice, lentils, natural materials to sand. Sieve different items according to time of year leaves, rice, pasta
Make gloop (cornflour + water), or soapflake slime, cellulose slime and explore for sensory work. Hide objects in coloured slime
To water – add ice cubes, bubbles, colours, pasta, smells e.g. herbs, bubble baths, oils etc.

Outdoor

Chalk around shadows on yard
Move and travel in different ways on climbing frames, wheeled toys
Create obstacle course using tyres and planks
Make/ Explore sensory garden tubs
Create small world scenarios with natural materials
Counting opportunities with natural materials
Size ordering using plant pots

Writing

Writing names with variety of utensils
Zig-zag book about themselves, family etc.
Writing personal news, significant events/ diaries
Write cards, birthday, invitations, thank you, postcards, new home
Personal record writing frame, height, eye colour, likes, dislikes...
Draw pictures of families

Reading

Fiction and non fiction books linked to topic
Poetry books
Story/poetry CD's
Online stories
Stories on Ipads

Malleable

Play dough
Corn flour
Jellies