

EYFS Home Learning Planner - Nursery Bumblebee Class - Miss Pratt

Dates: Monday 8th February & Tuesday 9th February

Literacy Challenge:

Learning intention: Looks at books independently, shows interest in illustrations and print in books and print.

Look at the attached pages from this non-fiction book, with your grown up, all about Chinese New Year.

Can you spot the dragon in the parade?

Can you find out what Man Po puts in her bath to make sure she is especially clean for the coming year?

What colour is the main colour for clothes and decorations at New Year?

Extension:

Learning intention: Creates movement in response to music.

Listen to this traditional Chinese music - [Epic Chinese Music - Chinese Dragon - YouTube](#) Can you practice some of your body percussion sounds along to the music? You could stomp your feet along to the drum or clap your hands for the cymbals.

Mathematical Challenge:

Learning intention: Shows an interest in shape and space by playing with shapes and making arrangements with objects.

Have a go at the attached Chinese New Year repeating pattern activity. Can you have a go at designing your own repeating pattern?

Extension:

Learning intention: knows that numbers identify how many are in a set.

Have a go at the attached Chinese New Year eye spy activity and practice your counting skills to 5.

Wider Curricular Challenge:

Learning objective: Explores colour and how colour can be changed, Understands that they can use lines to enclose a space and then begin to use these shapes to represent objects.

During Chinese New Year, people celebrate by having parades in the street. During the parade they often have a dancing dragon.

Watch this video of a dragon parade: [Dragon dance in London Chinese new year celebration - YouTube](#)

Have a go at designing your own dragon, you can use the template attached or draw your own.

Think about what colours you can use and what colours are special for Chinese New Year? What patterns could you use?

Extension:

Learning intention: Uses movement to express feelings, creates movement in response to music.

During Chinese New Year, people often celebrate by performing a ribbon dance. Watch this ribbon dance tutorial video and see if you can copy some of the different moves. [Junior Jetsetters Chinese Ribbon Dance for Kids - YouTube](#)

If you don't have a ribbon you could use a scarf or piece of material to dance with.