Dereham Church Infant and Nursery School-Computing



Year group: Nursery

Area/topic: Mini Mash - Drawing pets (Spring 2)

(objectives from NC/ELG/Development matters)

Physical Development:

• Match their developing physical skills to tasks and activities in the setting.

Understanding the World:

• Explore how things work.

Prior learning	Future learning
Children would have been introduced to their	Children will continue to use Mini Mash during
class iPad licence last half term. They will now	the summer term but to complete different
begin to use it to access the internet.	activities.

What pupils need to know or do to be secure		
Key knowledge and skills	Possible evidence	
 Children to be exposed to their class iPad licence again. Children should start to learn that they need this before going on the iPad. Children will learn how to use Mini Mash to complete an activity. Children will complete the activity with an adult supporting them. Children will recap some of the internet safety rules learnt last half term such as making sure they hold the iPad with two hands, ensuring they are sat down while using it and that there is an adult with them. 	Children to draw a picture of their pet or an animal using 'Mini Mash'. This task can be accessed by clicking on the animal picture next to the gingerbread man an the Mini Mash	
	website.	

Key No	cabulary
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- iPad licence A laminated iPad with iPad rules on one side. Each child has their own signed iPad licence which they must have when using an IPad.
- Mini Mash An online website which provides digital activities for Nursery children to complete.
- Once the children have painted their pet or an animal. The children could then be provided with different photographs of animals for the children to try and paint on Mini Mash.

 Teacher to save all of their artwork anto the class account.

Common misconceptions	Books linking to this area
 Children may find it hard at first to understand that we will be using our finger 	
to draw a picture on an iPad rather than	
using pencil and paper.	
Memorable first hand experiences	Opportunities for communication
 Children will all get to complete the 'drawing 	 Adult to ask the children questions about
a peť activity on Mini Mash using their	how they are creating their pet using Mini
class iPad licence.	Mash.

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Communication and Interaction	Cognition and Learning	
 Make sure the children are using the correct equipment for them. Consider headphones to support the child to hear. Have someone available to read any text that is on the screen. 	 Consider adjusting the brightness and colour so they can see the screen more easily. Have someone available to read any text that is on the screen. Shorter steps given at appropriate time. Simpler logins. Adult to support with logging in. Print out which the different functions and tools on. Step by step guide printed out for them to refer to. 	
Social, Emotional and Mental health	Sensory and Physical	
 Timer so they understand when they will need to log off. Clear boundaries. Online safety instructions made clear. 	 Larger text/equipment. Print offs instead of screen time. Appropriate desk, chair, keyboard and mouse. 	