

Year group: Nursery

Area/topic: PSHE [Dreams and Goals]

(objectives from NC/ELG/Development matters)

Talk about their feelings using terms such as worried, sad, happy etc.

Become increasingly independent in meeting their own needs [washing hands, using the toilet, putting on own coat etc].

Prior learning	Future learning
Children will have different experiences relating to	Children will learn to express own needs and
"having a go" at something they may find	express their own ideas.
challenging. Some children may just be used to	Children will learn to "have a go" on their own
having things "done for them".	rather than totally relying on an adult.
	Children will begin to learn "resilience" and to
	accept that sometimes they may have to "practise"
	and work at something before they are
	successful.

What pupils need to know or do to be secure					
Key knowledge and skills	Possible evidence				
I can talk about things that I find easy or hard to do for myself.	Tapestry observations				
I am beginning to understand that everyone is different -things that are	Adults modelling social				
easy for me might be hard for someone else and vice versa.	language in activities with				
I understand that trying is important and "the more I try, the better I	children.				
get".					

I can talk about something I would like to be able to do at some point in the future but recognise that "I can't do it yet, but soon I will be able to do this -if I try my best".

Adults modelling sharing/taking turns.

Key vocabulary

same/different/special hard/easy challenge dream/goal

Common misconceptions

At this age, children may find it hard to look at things from another point of view [three/four year olds are naturally egocentric].

Some children may find it hard to accept that people are different and have different strengths and weaknesses.

Books linking to this area

"Fly tiger, fly" by Rikin Parekh

"The mixed up Chameleon" by Eric Carle
"Walter's wonderful web" by Tim Hopgood
"The tortoise and the Hare" [fable]
"The hugging tree" by Jill Neimark
"The koala who could" by Jim Field
"I'm the best" by Lucy Cousins
"Be brave little penguin" Giles Andreae

Songs

Jack Hartman "Keep on trying". And lots of popular songs about trying/never giving up etc.

Memorable first hand experiences	Opportunities for communication
Growing benas/seeds; so children see that things take time Butterflies/ladybirds hatch and grow Being proud of something I persevered and achieved [ie; putting on my coat and doing it up, colouring inside the lines, putting on my boots etc].	 activities/games that encourage social co operation and turn taking singing songs together encouraging children to help eachother and be kind to eachother ["Kindness tree" display or similar].

DCINS Reasonable adjustments for pupils with SEND

Communication and Interaction	Cognition and Learning
simplified steps songs/videos smaller groups using puppets "Time to talk" resource [for ASD/children with communication and understanding difficulties].	 activities/games that encourage social co operation and turn taking singing songs together encouraging children to help eachother and be kind to eachother ["Kindness tree" display or similar].
Social, Emotional and Mental health	Sensory and Physical
Visual/practical activities be aware of home life/experiences have a trusted adult to talk to them	explore ideas with visuals/equipment to reduce the need for vocalised communication [signing]