

Reception Autumn Term 2 Curriculum Map 2020

Mathematics

This half term the children will be learning about the numbers 1-5. They will be counting, matching and comparing sets of objects. They will learn to match the number names to the numerals. The children will be counting on and back and exploring one more and one less. We will be introducing the children to the idea that all numbers are made up of smaller numbers. The children will be exploring the properties of circles and triangles. We will be asking the children to describe the position of items in relation to other items and we will begin to represent places with models, drawings or maps.

Literacy

We will continue to build on the children's vocabulary by reading books that have familiar settings and that explore the theme of celebrations. We will read a range of books including books: Rosie's Walk, Stickman, Not a Stick and Kipper's birthday. Using the sounds that we are learning the children will begin to read words and simple sentences. The children will be writing small words (CVC) that they sound out themselves and begin to put those into a short sentence.

Phonics

We will continue to learn to read and write Phase 2/3 sounds and tricky words. The children will become more fluent at taking the sounds they know and blending them together to read simple words. They will continue to practice segmenting sounds to spell words.

Communication and Language

The children will be practicing lots of story book vocabulary to become confident to tell stories in their own words. They will become familiar with including a beginning, middle and end. They will learn that stories have problems that need resolving and to include these in their own. We will be using story maps and actions to help to organise their ideas.



Understanding The World

We will be finding out about the changing seasons. The children will visit our Spinney area and make observations of the animal and plant-life there. They will record their findings on the iPads.

The children will be comparing different materials and sort them according to whether they are made of wood, plastic or metal.

Religious Education

In RE the children will be exploring the importance of Incarnation for Christians and the Trinity. We will also be exploring the Hindu festival of Diwali. The children will have opportunities to talk about celebrations in their own families and to explore the differences and similarities between themselves and others. We will be teaching the children about Christmas and its importance to Christians.

Expressive Arts and Design

The children will be mixing different things into paint to explore how this effects the texture and effects. They will explore pattern and colour as they make their own Rangoli designs for the celebration of Diwali. The children will design and make their own Christmas cards using a variety of resources.

In music the children will learn to sing some Christmas songs and explore long and short sounds.

PE and Physical Development

This term the children will be doing dance in the PE session. They will learn sequence of moves and put them together to music.

We will be continuing to practice pedalling both three-wheeled and two-wheeled bikes on the playground.

PSED

The children will be learning how to play win /lose games and how to play by the rules. They will be learning how to resolve conflicts by compromising and practicing their good manners.