

Foundation Stage Curriculum Summary Autumn Term 2 2020

Communication and language/Literacy

This half term we are going to continue exploring mark making both inside and outside the classroom.

We are going to be learning new letter sounds in our phonic sessions and playing games such as Feed the Crocodile to help us hear different letter sounds in words.

Our Traditional stories this half term will be The Enormous Turnip and The Gingerbread man.

Mathematical development

In this area of learning we will be exploring the numbers up to 10 and ways to make these numbers. We will be using cBeebies Numberblocks to help us! We will be using words such as *more than*, *less than*, and *double*.

We will also be learning about shapes and sizes, weight and measures.



Traditional Tales and Christmas.



Other activities

In Understanding the World we will continue learning about seasons and focusing on changes. We will be exploring vegetables and food linked to our stories and growing our own cress. The children will be given the opportunity to bake and explore using various discovery tables.

In Expressive Arts and Designs children will have the opportunity to work with a variety of different media, including paint, pencils, charcoal and pastels. Our topics will be used as a starting point for producing story pictures, collages and drawings. Role play areas will include a home corner, a shop and an outside role play area.

In Personal, Social and Emotional Development the ongoing focus will be on rules and routines. We aim to provide opportunities for children to get to know each other and form friendships. We will also talk about staying safe and begin to understand ways to do this. We will continue to develop our breathing skills to improve calmness and relaxation.

In Physical Development we will be matching movement to music, linking the tempo with emotions. The children will have opportunities to develop their gross motor skills in the outdoor area by using large play equipment and balls. The children's fine motor skills will continue to be a key focus through pencil control, crafts and small hands on activities. The Reception children take part in a weekly PE session every Friday. In this session they will be learning sequences of movements and using some apparatus.

Please remember...

All clothing needs to be named clearly. We will have 60 red jumpers in the classroom!