

Autumn Term 1B Curriculum Summary Reception





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In Early Years the children's interests help to form our planning, enhancements and the environment. The children learn through play, direct teaching time, high quality interactions and experiences.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

This term we will be:

- Identifying some things we are good at and recognising that everyone is good at different things.
- Developing understanding that being different makes us all special.
- Developing our awareness that we are all different but the same in some ways.

Physical Development

This term we will be:

- Developing their small motor skills so that they can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently.
- Revising and refining gross motor movement skills they have already acquired.

Communication and Language

This term we will be:

- Learning rhymes, poems and songs off by heart.
- Retelling a story in their own words and repeating phrases from the story.
- Asking questions to clarify their learning.



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<u>Literacy</u>

This term we will be:

- Reading individual letters by saying sounds for them.
- Engaging in extended conversations about stories, learning new vocabulary
- Using some of their print and letter knowledge in their early writing.

Mathematics

This term we will be:

- Comparing sets of objects by matching.
- Beginning to develop the language of 'whole' when talking about objects which have parts.
- Developing counting skills and knowledge, including: that the last number in the count tells us 'how many' (cardinality).

Understanding the World

This term we will be:

- Using all their senses in hands on exploration of natural materials.
- Talking about the differences between materials and changes they notice.

Expressive Arts and Design

This term we will be:

- Singing the pitch of a tone sung by another person 'pitch match'.
- Taking part in simple pretend play, using an object to represent something else even though they are not similar.
- Using drawing to represent ideas like movement or loud noises.

Predicted Key Texts

Leaf Man

The Bears Book (non-ficton)

Hair Love

Ridiculous

Christmas Stories

Predicted Events/Activities

Nursery Rhyme Week

Remembrance Day

Children in Need

Christmas celebrations

Nativity

Diwali