

Communication and Language

We will be learning to...

- Enjoy listening to longer stories and begin to remember what has happened.
- Understand answering questions and be able to follow instructions that has two parts.
- Understand why questions.
- Understand how to listen carefully.
- Sing a wide range of songs.
- Use talk to organise our play.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development (PSED)

We will be learning to...

- Develop our sense of community within our new class.
- Follow rules and understand why they are important.
- Be independent with meeting our own needs.
- Feel confident in new social situations.
- Play with one or more other child, extending play ideas.

Physical Development

We will be learning to...

- Use one handed tools and equipment.
- Develop a comfortable grip when holding pencils and pens.
- Take part in group activities.
- Develop skills to help with managing the school day such as lining up.
- Use and remember patterns and sequences of movement related to music.
- Collaborate with others to manage large items such as moving equipment.

Literacy

We will be learning to...

- Write some letters correctly.
- Use some letter knowledge in early writing.
- Say the phoneme (sound) for each grapheme (letter) in Set 1.
- Recognise words with the same initial sound.
- Spot and suggest rhythms.
- Engage in extended conversations about stories, learning new vocabulary.
- Understand the concepts about print.

Key Stories this term

Map Book
Something Else
Have You Filled a Bucket Today?
Winston the Book Wolf

RHE

In RHE this term, we will be learning all about our new friendships and the differences between us all. We will be talking about our family.

Knock Knock

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Understanding the World

We will be learning to...

- Make sense of our own life stories and be able to talk about our own families when answering questions.
- Comment on images of familiar situations in the past.
- Develop positive attitudes about the differences between people.
- Use all senses in hands- on exploration of natural materials.
- Talk about what we see using a wide range vocabulary.
- Understand the need to care for our natural environment.

Expressive Arts and Design

We will be learning to...

- Take part in simple pretend play.
- Create stories using small world equipment such as animals, people and construction.
- Explore different materials freely and develop ideas on what to make.
- Explore colour and colour mixing.
- Represent objects with shapes.
- Show different emotions in own drawings and painting.
- Sing and remember different songs.
- Play different instruments with control.

Mathematics

We will be learning to...

- Compare quantities using language more and less than.
- Talk about 2D and 3D shapes.
- Understand position through words.
- Say one number for each item.
- Recite numbers to 5 or more.
- Sorting and matching amounts.
- Combine shapes together to make new ones.

RE

This term, we will be learning about the story of the creation and we will understand that Christians believe in God. We will also enjoy reading stories from the Bible.