

Maths:

We will be focusing on matching, sorting and comparing different items as well as looking at measure and pattern.



Literacy:

We will start the year by learning Hand'a;s surprise. We will start by learning to tell the story using a story map and learn lots of new vocabulary from the story. We will then begin to hear and write the initial sounds of some key words.

We will be using props and puppets to help us to orally retell the story.

We will also be building our fine motor skills with lots of fun activities.

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Communicaiton and Language:

The children will be exposed to lots of new vocabulary as they begin to explore their new classrooms and environment. We will be using this new vocabulary whilst we are playing.

Pre-School/Reception - Autumn 1

Our Learning Journey



Expressive Art and Design

The children will begin the term by practising using pencils to make circular motions as well as making vertical lines which will lead the children onto drawing self-portraits. We will also be exploring colour mixing using paints and using different paint brushes to add detail to their pictures.

In their music sessions, Mrs Davenport will be exploring how different music makes them feel.

Personal, Social and Emotional

The children will be talking about different feelings and emotions and exploring what this may look like/feel like and how we can manage those feelings. We will be focusing on developing children's understanding of the class and school rules and routines. We will be supporting children to follow these more independently.

Understanding the World

We will be exploring our families and the people we live with and talking about similarities and differences between families



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We are going to celebrate Harvest time together and talk about the things we notice as the seasons change.



Challenge me at home to...



- Talk about who is in my family and their relationship to me.
- Notice signs of Autumn when we are out and about
- Learn to zip up my coat independently

We will be sharing our learning with you at home!



Physical Development

We are developing our fine motors skills by using resources which develop our the muscles in our hands and through learning to form our letters using the RWI programme. We will also be practising drawing pre-writing shapes to support with letter formation.

Every Monday Mr Jefferies will lead a PE lesson where we will focus on exploring different ways of moving and incorporating these into games.