



Reception Autumn 1 Newsletter

Term 1
All About Me

In this booklet you will find information on some of the things your child will be covering in class. You will also find a few ideas of how you can help your child at home.

We value your support in working with us and hope that you will find this information useful.

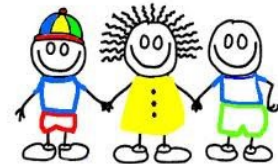
COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE

Your child will:

- Talk about changes in autumn.
- Learn sounds and develop blending skills.
- Follow simple instructions.
- Identify and label different parts of the body.



PERSONAL, SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT



Your child will:

- Learn how to become more independent and how to look after our belongings and tidy up.
- Understand the importance of good hygiene.
- Play games that encourage cooperation.
- Share toys with each other.

PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT



Your child will:

- Play on a variety of big equipment e.g. wheeled toys, climbing equipment, tunnels etc.
- Practise their 'fine motor skills' e.g. cutting, threading beads, and small building bricks.
- Develop his/her balancing skills e.g. balancing beanbags on his/her head.
- Develop ball skills e.g. throwing, catching, and kicking.
- Learn about moving in a space at different speeds without bumping into people and things.
- Talk about changes in their body when exercising.

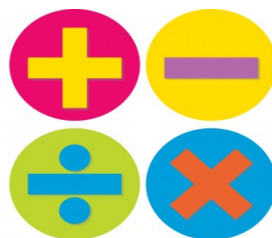
LITERACY



Your child will:

- Write their name in lowercase letters, starting with a capital letter.
- Learn sounds and blending skills.
- Learn how to read and write words using sounds.
- Identify and label different parts of the body.
- Practise forming letters.

MATHEMATICS



Your child will be

- Recognising numbers of personal significance.
- Recognising numbers from 1 to 10.
- Counting up to 10 objects that can't be moved.
- Starting to count beyond 10.
- Counting out up to six objects from a larger group.

UNDERSTANDING THE WORD

Your child will:

- Look for signs of Autumn.
- Become familiar with a computer.
- Look at different families from around the world.
- Talk about family members.
- Make a family book.





EXPRESSIVE ART AND DESIGN

Your child will:

- Explore different painting and collage materials and techniques.
- Use his/her imagination in role-play.
- Make rubbings using different materials.
- Explore the sounds of different instruments.
- Sing songs and rhymes.

EXTRA ACTIVITIES/ THINGS TO BRING IN

- Junk modelling resources e.g. boxes, bottles, bottle caps and scrap paper.
- Please label all clothing with your child's name.
- Book bags should be brought into school daily.
- Water bottles.



HOME LINKS

- Revise phonic sounds daily.
- Count and recognise numbers to 20.
- Listen to your child read daily.
- Please email us to let us know of any excellent work your child has done at home:-
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