



# Reception Autumn 1 Newsletter

## 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.

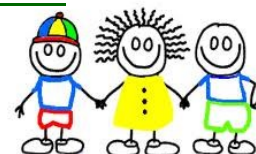


## COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE

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:-

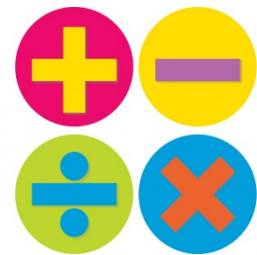
- Play on a variety of big equipment e.g. wheeled toys, climbing equipment, tunnels etc.
- Practise their 'fine motor skills' e.g. cutting, threading beads, and small building bricks.
- Develop his/her balancing skills e.g. balancing beanbags on his/her head.
- Develop ball skills e.g. throwing, catching, 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 learn about:-

- Pattern and shape.
- Same and different.
- Counting objects reliably.
- Estimating.
- One more/one less.
- Ordering numbers 0-5.



## UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD

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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