

Reception Classes ~

Autumn Term Curriculum



Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Having a go at something new as we try new activities in our new setting
 Making new friends in our class and across the year group.
 Learning how to turn take and share, using the sharing timers to help us.

Communication and Language

Curious to find out more as we ask more questions and respond to questions asked.
 Listening to stories, predicting what might happen next or learning something new from books.
 Learning new vocabulary through stories and using them in my play.

Physical Development

Show control over gross motor skills and large body movements
 Using a pencil with increasing control as we form our new letters learnt in phonics
 Use a hammer on the woodwork bench

Literacy

Books: Love Makes a Family
 How to Catch a Star
 Hovis the Hedgehog



Using our new sounds to blend and segment words
 Applying our new sounds to our reading and writing
 Working on our targets as we practice writing our name

Expressive Arts and Design

Creating self-portraits through line drawings inspired by the local artist Jane Foster
 Exploring colour mixing
 Investigating the work of Van Gogh using oil pastels and paint

Mathematics

Looking carefully for pairs, patterns and matching objects we can sort.
 Finding out more about numbers to 5. What is a number, comparing sizes and amounts
 Using our new mathematical language to talk about shapes and their properties.

Understanding of the World

Finding out about each other and our local community
 Discussing celebrations and ones that are important to us
 What is light? What is dark?
 Exploring local wildlife and their habitats
 What is a nocturnal animal and what does that mean

Opportunities for Enrichment

Forest School— Book Leaf Man to inspire our art using nature
 Welcome to EYFS—17th September
 Little Wandle workshop— 22nd October
 School in the dark— tbc
 Sing and craft - Detail to follow
 Please keep logging into Tapestry for more

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