



Parent Curriculum Overview

Autumn Term 1 2020 Reception Class

ENGLISH This half term we will be hearing and recognising initial sounds in words, we will play games such as 'What's in the box'?, we will learn a new sound every morning through our phonics scheme - Read, Write Inc. We will learn to recognise our names and begin to practice writing them. We will listen to and identify sounds within our grounds through forest school activities and outdoor learning.	MATHEMATICS This half term we will be recognising and using numbers appropriately from 0 to 10. We will identify and order numbers 10-10. We will practice counting accurately and matching the correct number to amounts of objects. We will be looking at 2 dimensional shapes, naming them and learning about their properties. We will create pictures from 2D shapes such as our school and our homes. We will also recognise numbers of personal significance such as our age and house number. 123 4567 8910
KNOWLEDGE AND UNDERSTANDING OF THE WORLD. Our topic this half term is 'Amazing Me'. We Will be exploring what we look like and the idea that everyone is different and unique. We will be learning about our local community and talking about our school. We will be learning about our bodies, and their functions. We will be learning about how to stay healthy.	COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE Through our topic we will be asking lots of questions such as - What do you look like? Who is in your family? Where do you live? What is your school like? Where do you like to visit? Can you name your 5 senses? We will be listening to stories and singing songs.
COMPUTING Our main focus for computing this term will be learning how to access technology. We will be learning how to log in, how to be safe and we will begin to open simple programmes.	EXPRESSIVE ART AND DESIGN In the first half of the term we will be focusing on what we look like and how we are similar and different. We will create a self- portrait using a variety of media such as paint, pencil and outdoor materials.
MUSIC Children will be introduced to a variety of musical instruments and identify the sounds they make. We will also be learning about rhythm and beat and singing songs.	PSHE In PSHE, we will be learning about 'relationships' and how to form positive friendships. We will use Jenny Jigsaw and Jenny cat to help us.
PE Mr Pepper will help us to develop our throwing and catching skills. We will also be using the parachute to practice our listening skills and play games.	INFORMATION / KEY DATES Our timetabled PE sessions are Monday and Wednesday. Please ensure that your child has their PE kit in school. READING BOOKS Reading books will be changed on Mondays and Thursdays. Please could children bring their reading books to school every day and their reading records.

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