

Reception Curriculum Map - Autumn 1

Through our topic, we will be focusing on these particular skills from our 7 Areas of Learning:

Personal, Social and Emotional Development (PSED)

- Initiating conversations and forming good relationships
- Sharing and taking turns with others
- Following the rules and routines of school
- Speaking confidently about their own needs, interests and opinions

Communication and Language

- Following directions and simple instructions
- Listening and maintaining attention during carpet time
- Communicating thoughts and ideas to others
- Using language to imagine and recreate roles and experiences

Physical Development

- Holding a pencil correctly
- Beginning to form some letter shapes accurately
- Negotiating spaces and moving confidently in a range of ways
- Washing hands
- Dressing and undressing independently

Key Skill:

Respect



Mathematics

- Recognising and ordering numerals up to 10, then 20
- Counting out objects accurately from a larger group
- Beginning to use objects to practically add and subtract amounts
- Using everyday language to describe and compare size
- Using shapes appropriately for tasks

Literacy

- Hearing and saying the initial sounds in words
- Segmenting the sounds in simple words and blending them together
- Linking sounds to letters
- Writing their own name

Expressive Arts and Design

- Using simple tools and techniques to create artwork and models
- Introducing a narrative or storyline into their play
- Building a bank of simple songs, rhymes and dances

Understanding the World

- Talking about family customs and routines
- Using technology for different purposes
- Looking closely at similarities and differences, patterns and change

English

- Learning a text verbally (Talk4Write)
- Writing in sentences using capital letters, finger spaces and full stops
- Using adjectives and conjunctions to extend sentences

Phonics

- Consolidating Phase 3 sounds
- Segmenting and blending longer words
- Introducing Phase 5 sounds
- Reading and spelling a wider range of tricky words

Maths

- Developing understanding of place value
- Using number bonds to 10
- Adding and subtracting

Science

- Identifying, naming, drawing and labelling the basic body parts of the human body and saying which part of the body is associated with each sense
- Exploring the seasonal changes of Autumn



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Computing

- Using algorithms
- Creating and de-bugging programs

Art and DT

- Using the basic principles of a healthy and varied diet

Forest School

- Using natural resources to create art
- Exploring seasonal change

PSHE

- Respect. How do respect one another. What does respect look like?

Geography

- Using maps, photographs, and observational skills to study the geography of the local area

Music

- Learning songs
- Composing music in forest school by making their own instruments

PE

- Developing throwing and catching skills
- Developing simple tactics

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- How do we celebrate special and sacred times?