

Reception Autumn 2021



This term our topics are Marvellous Me and Let's Celebrate.

Within these topics we will be learning about ourselves, Autumn, Bonfire Night, light and dark, Diwali and Christmas.

Below are the areas of learning and what we will be covering this term. We will be learning to...

Communication and Language

- Understand how to listen carefully and why listening is important
- Learn new vocabulary
- Listen and join in with rhymes, songs and stories
- Increase our attention and recall
- Follow instructions
- Understand and answer how and why questions
- Use more complex sentences
- Retell past events in the correct order
- Use a range of tenses
- Talk about interests and opinions

Personal and Social Development

- Talk about ourselves and our family
- Understand school rules and routines
- Develop our confidence to try new activities
- Share and take turns
- Initiate play with our friends
- Develop a play idea by responding to what others are saying or doing
- Carry out tasks independently
- Express our feelings and consider the feelings of others
- Get changed independently
- Show an understanding about 'Protective Behaviours'



Physical Development

- Develop our gross motor movements such as hopping, skipping and climbing etc.
- Develop our strength in our arms and upper body ready for writing
- Hold a pencil between our thumb and two fingers
- Negotiate space successfully
- Experiment with different ways of moving
- Travel with confidence and skill around, under, over and through balancing and climbing equipment
- Jump off an object and land appropriately
- Develop our small motor skills such as paintbrushes, scissors, pencils etc.