

Year R - Autumn 2 - Curriculum Map

Outdoor Adventure and Space

Communication, Language and Literacy

- Daily phonics following 'Read Write Inc'.
- Letter formation practise of initial sounds.
- Daily stories and book talk.
- Fine motor activities
- Name writing and CVC word writing.
- Speaking and listening about different festivals and celebrations.

Key texts:

- Mole's Star
- Look Up
- Little Glow
- We're going on a Bear Hunt
- The Squirrels who squabbled
- Hoot Owl
- Owl Babies

Maths

- Recognising and using numerals 1-5.
- Singing counting songs.
- Subitise numbers up to 5.
- Count a range of objects saying one number name for each.
- Select the correct numeral to represent objects.
- Count an irregular arrangement of objects.
- Explore the concept of 'whole' and 'part'.

Physical Development

- Improving balance and coordination when moving around.
- Pincer grip activities to support muscle development in fingers.
- Developing independence, putting on own coat, socks and shoes.
- Hand muscle development activities.
- Mark making using different materials.
- Outside activities to promote shoulder strength

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Learning new routines.
- Continue to make new friends and build positive relationships.
- Playing turn taking games
- How to keep each other and ourselves safe in school - class rules and managing own hygiene.
- Developing growth mindset - trying new activities.
- Develop our awareness of how we feel and begin to recognise how others may be feeling.

Understanding the world

- Exploring the natural world around us, observing changes to the environment and the seasons.
- Exploring our local environment and walking to the community gardens.
- Developing our curiosity around the planets and space.
- Stargazing.
- Learning about different cultures and their festivals/celebrations.

Expressive Arts and Design

- Creating patterns using different means.
- Engaging in role play.
- Listening and responding to different music.
- Learning songs for our nativity performance.
- Retelling the Nativity story.