

Reception – Spring 1

Literacy

We will continue to learn about dialogue and repeated refrains through our stories 'The 3 Little Pigs' and 'Little Red Riding Hood'. We will be learning how to recognise digraphs and will apply our phonic knowledge of blending and segmenting to write words, which include digraphs, independently. We will learn how to correctly form lowercase and capital letters.

Communication & Language

We will learn about connectives and how to use these in sentences. We will continue to learn how to use new vocabulary learnt through our stories: 'The 3 Little Pigs' and 'Little Red Riding Hood'. We will learn how to describe daily events and events from stories in detail.

Maths

We will be learning how to compare numbers to 5 and the composition of numbers up to 5. We will be learning the language used to describe the mass of objects. As well as, learning how to compare the compacity of objects. Following this, we will learn about numbers 6, 7, 8, how to make pairs and addition. Finally, we will learn about length and height and the language used to describe these, as well as, learning about time.

Physical Development

We will continue to learn how to hold a pencil correctly using an effective tripod grip and how to correctly form and write graphemes we are learning in phonics. We will learn to develop our overall body strength, balance and agility in PE and through outdoor physical activities. We will learn how to develop ball skills, though: throwing, catching, kicking, passing, batting and aiming.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

We will learn how to moderate our feelings both socially and emotionally, through stories and Jigsaw circle time sessions. Furthermore, we will learn how to persevere when we are challenged and how to work towards our goals.

Expressive Arts and Design

We will learn how to develop and act out stories through role play. We will learn to engage in music making individually and as part of a group. Finally, we will learn how to dance along to music.

Understanding the World

We will be learning to compare and contrast characters our focus stories. We will learn about and discuss images from the past. We will learn about different environments and compare them to where we live. We will be visiting Forest School each week and learning about the natural world around us, with a particular focus on the changing of the seasons.

Value of the term:

Collective worship themes:

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