

Reading and Phonics

We follow the Little Wandle Phonics scheme.

In phonics we will be teaching the following Phase 2 sounds

- s, a, t, p, l, n, m, d, g, o, c, k, ch, e, u, r, h, b, f, l

We will be learning to blend and read CVC words using the sounds learnt so far.

PSED

We are following the Jigsaw PHSE Scheme. This half term we are looking at 'Being Me in My World'. This includes –

Helping others to feel welcome, managing our feelings, enjoying learning at school, caring for others and working well with others.

R.E.

We will be following the Warwickshire Agreed Syllabus. We will be looking at 'How can people show that they belong together'.

We will also learn about Harvest Festival.

Curriculum Summary

Term: Autumn 1

Year Group: Reception

Learning Behaviour Animal: Team Meerkat

Topic: Marvellous Me

Maths

In Maths we are beginning to follow the 'Master the Curriculum' scheme, as well as learning through 'Mastering Number'. The children will be learning about -

- matching and sorting concrete objects
- comparing amounts and sizes
- patterns
- representing 1, 2, 3 using a variety of resources

Writing

We will continue to develop a comfortable pencil grip, working towards the tripod grip.

We will learn how to form letters correctly. We follow the Little Wandle rhymes to support the teaching of handwriting.

In writing we will identify the initial sounds of words, and learn how to segment to spell simple CVC words.

Understanding of World

As scientists we will be looking at different plants and learning how to care for them. We will also be planting daffodil bulbs.

As historians we are going to be talking about past and present events in the children's lives.

As geographers we will be sharing experiences of places we have visited. We will also explore the seasons.



Expressive Arts & Design

In music we will be learning and performing a selection of Harvest songs, sometimes with musical instruments. We will also be learning/singing Nursery Rhymes.

We will be making collages with a range of different materials and learning to select purposeful colours and textures for effect.

P.E.

We will be concentrating on negotiating space whilst playing different games. The children will explore how to move in different ways eg jogging, jumping, hopping and skipping.

We will also be working on improving our core strength through different exercises.