



Reception

Autumn Term 2 2020

Communication and Language

As communicators we will communicate freely about own home, community and the world around us.

We will continue to build on our listening skills by maintaining attention and concentration.

Personal, Social and Emotional

As friends, we will demonstrate friendly behaviour, initiating conversations and forming good relationships with peers and familiar adults.

We will select and use activities and resources with help.

We will learn to take turns and share resources, sometimes with support.

Physical

As gymnasts we will use P.E equipment to move across and travel in different ways.

We will show an understanding that equipment and tools have to be used safely. We will try our best to show good control and co-ordination when using tools and pencils for writing.

As dancers, we will take part in a cultural dance.

Literacy

As readers we will continue to learn our phonics sounds and blend them to create CVC words.

We will read familiar words and start to learn simple sentences such as 'I am a...' and 'I like the...'

We will listen to the Christmas story, sequence the pictures and write captions.

As writers this term, we will write familiar CVC words.

If you go down to the woods today...



Mathematics

As mathematicians we will learn about length, by ordering sticks and using Mathematical language to describe them.

We will learn to describe position using Mathematical language.

We will find one more than a number from 1-10.

We will create repeated patterns using colours and shapes to make Christmas wrapping paper.

RE

As theologians we will learn about Mother Mary and talk about the people who care for us.

We will prepare for Christmas, by learning about the season of Advent and writing our own Advent prayers.

We will celebrate Christmas by listening to the Nativity story and taking part in many activities based on this theme.

Understanding the World

As explorers we will learn about different cultural celebrations such as Diwali and Christmas.

We will explore the outdoor area and learn about the season of Autumn, creating natural pictures.

We will investigate changes in the weather and find ways to melt ice, talking about how things work and why things happen.

Expressive Arts and Design

As creators we will make firework pictures using the technique of marbling. We will make Christmas cards using a printing technique and take part in other Christmas crafts.

We will explore colour mixing and print with leaves to create Autumnal paintings. We will create our own Autumn inspired Art using the work of artist Andy Goldsworthy.

We will create diya lamps out of clay and use tools to mould and mark.

As musicians, we will learn the Christmas songs and perform them.

Challenge

'To create a woodland picture, made out of natural items.'

Cognition

- Acquire Knowledge of cultural celebrations
- Learn more about how changes occur in weather
- Understand how to melt ice

Communication

- Christmas play (tbc)
- Christmas story
- Hot Seating activities
- Class discussions
- Sharing family life and experiences

Creativity

- Mary role play
- Theme Day - Christmas
- Nature pictures
- Firework paintings
- Christmas songs

Community

- Links to other beliefs - Diwali, Christmas
- Visit to Church – mass (tbc)
- Visitors