EYFS Autumn Term Plan - 2024



Communication & Language

Friendship circle games and story times.

Circle times - getting to know one another.

Role play

Introduce new key vocabulary for each theme, story and subject area.

New Beginnings

Literacy

Begin early reading- Phase 1 and begin Phase 2 phonics. Begin segmenting and blending skills.

Friendship and learning how to share – The Rainbow Fish.

Roleplay/speaking & listening

Sequencing stories

Drawing club to develop vocabulary.

Mathematics

Counting songs and games – counting to 10.

Counting sets of objects accurately.

Subitising numbers to 5.

Recognising numbers to 10.

Sorting objects by colour, shape and size and exploring patterns.

Physical Development

Gymnastics – introducing safety rules and how to warm up their bodies. Developing travelling and balancing skills.

Multi-skills – mini gym equipment and games.

Outdoor exploration of climbing and other apparatus, games bag, bikes and scooters.

Funky Fingers – finger gym skills i.e dough, scissor, handwriting, name writing etc.



Personal, Social & Emotional Development

Establishing classroom and playground rules.

Getting to know each other and learning how to be a good friend.

Comparing similarities and differences between people.

Vocabulary:

- Family
- Mum
- Dad
- Brother
- Sister
- Grandparents
- Aunt
- Uncle
- Sharing
- Boy
- Girl
- Good/bad choices
- School Rules

Understanding the World

Autumn walk – looking for signs of Autumn

Winter walk – looking for signs of Winter

Technology – safety rules of the computer suite and mouse control.

People who help us- e.g. police, firefighters, paramedics etc

Festivals and celebrations: remembrance Day, Diwali, Hanukkah, Christmas

Expressive Arts & Design

Creating self-portraits.

Exploring patterns, music and dance.

Make shakers using pulses and pasta.

Learning and singing nursery rhymes and familiar songs.

Exploring musical instruments.

Free-painting.