

Reception Curriculum Overview: Spring 2 2024

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Support students in understanding others feelings and point of view.
Encourage and support students to become more independent when resolving conflicts with their friends.
To show resilience when taking part in different activities.
Allow students to explore and manage their own emotions when they don't get their way.



Physical Development

Provide access to malleable, sand and water play daily.
Continue to build core and upper body muscle strength through a range of physical activities.
To continue to work on balancing skills.
To continue to work on letter formation.



Expressive Arts and Design

Students will continue to learn new songs and express themselves through dance and music.
Students will continue to create and discuss different pieces of artwork.
Students will continue to be reflective about their artwork and set steps for improving it.
Students will continue to develop their imagination skills through art, music and role play.



Literacy

Continue to expose students to a range of books including non-fiction.
Continue to support students in discussing the stories that they have heard.
Support students in including a storyline into their play.
Continue to master set 1 sounds and support student in their blending and word reading skills.
To continue to learn sight words (he, she, the, was, etc). To begin to learn how to write basic sentences.
To begin to write sentences independently.



Mathematics

To explore compositions of numbers up to 10.
To compare consecutive numbers using the terms "1 more than" and "1 less than".
To learn to compare and explore size, length, weight and capacity.
To compare sets of numbers using the terms "greater than", "less than and equal to" and explore doubles facts.



Communication and Language

To encourage students to ask questions based on what they have heard.
To develop students communication skills by responding to conversations with relevant responses.
Encourage students to talk aloud to organize and clarify their thinking and understanding.
Encourage students to speak in full sentences and to use new vocabulary learned when talking.



Parents

Provide phonics support for parents through Google Classroom.
Invite parents to attend workshops and information sessions to help support learning at home.
Encourage home reading with books sent home weekly.



Understanding the World

To discuss and explore different life cycles in animals and insects.
To continue to investigate seasonal changes within our environment.
To continue to build on students understanding of the world with regards to different countries and the cultures that live there.

