

PLANNING OVERVIEW

TOPIC THEME: Tell me a story!

CLASS - Reception

Autumn Term 2

2022/23

Collective Worship Value: Generosity

Class Teachers: Mrs Hudspith/Miss Gold

Learning for Life

Prime Area of Learning Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Be sensitive towards others and celebrate what makes each person unique.
- Recognise that we can have things in common with others.
- Use speaking and listening skills to learn about the lives of their peers.
- Know the importance of showing care and kindness towards others.
- Demonstrate skills in building friendships and cooperation.

Prime Area of Learning Communication and Language

- To learn new vocabulary.
- Ask questions to find out more and to check they understand what has been said to them.
- To articulate their ideas and thoughts in well-formed sentences.
- To describe the main events in some detail.
- To use talk to help work out problems and organise thinking and activities, and to explain how things work and why they might happen.
- To engage in story times
- Listen to and talk about stories to build familiarity and understanding.
- To use new vocabulary in different contexts.
- Listen carefully to rhymes and songs, paying attention to how they sound.
- Learn rhymes, poems and songs.
- Engage in non-fiction books.

Specific Area of Learning Literacy

- Re-read books to build up their confidence in word reading, their fluency and their understanding and enjoyment.
- Read individual letters by saying the sounds for them.
- Blend sounds into words, so that they can read short words made up of known letter-sound correspondences.
- Spell words by identifying the sounds and then writing the sound with letter/s.
- Re-read what they have written to check that it makes sense.
- Read simple sentences and phrases.
- Form lower-case letters correctly.

Specific Area of Learning Mathematics

- Count objects, actions and sounds
- Link the number symbol (numeral) with its cardinal number value.
- Count beyond ten.
- Compare numbers (1-5).
- Explore the composition of numbers (1, 2, 3, 4, 5).
- Select, rotate and manipulate shapes in order to develop spatial reasoning skills.
- Understand the 'one more than/one less than' relationship between consecutive numbers.

Specific Area of Learning Understanding the World

- Talk about members of their immediate family and community.
- Name and describe people who are familiar to them.
- Comment on images of familiar situations in the past.
- Understand that some places are special to members of their community.
- Recognise that people have different beliefs and celebrate special times in different ways.
- Compare and contrast characters from stories, including figures from the past.
- Explore the natural world around them.
- Describe what they see, hear and feel whilst outside.
- Understand the effect of changing seasons on the natural world around them.

Prime Area of Learning Physical Development

- Develop confidence and movement skills using apparatus and space outdoors.
- Develop and refine fine motor skills and hand eye coordination needed for writing.
- Develop a good pencil grip
- Use a range of tools to develop small motor skills.
- Develop the overall body strength, coordination, balance and agility.

Specific Area of Learning Expressive Arts and Design

- Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings
- Sing in a group or on their own, increasingly matching the pitch and following the melody.
- Create collaboratively, sharing ideas, resources and skills.
- Develop storylines in their pretend play.

INFORMATION TO REMEMBER

- **UNIFORM** should be labelled, appropriate and suitable for all weather conditions.
- LABELLED WATER BOTTLES provided daily.
- **BOOK BAGS** to be brought in every day with reading book and diary.
- READING: Please read with your child for 5-10 minutes each day (repeat book if finished).
 Books are currently changed every Monday and Thursday.
- PHONICS: Practise phonics sounds.
- MATHS: Complete the mathseeds assignments.
- FOREST SCHOOL: Every Tuesday (please see letter for information)