



Reception Autumn Term 1



Communication and Language	<p>Pupils will be talking about family time and meals. They will be looking at family photos and describing their families. The children will use props to role play some stories and will be encouraged to listen to others' ideas during play.</p> <p>They will go on a listening walk around the school to explore what sounds they can hear in the environment.</p>
Physical Development	<p>The children will be learning to play cooperatively with others in games. They will learn to use the space safely and confidently. The children will begin to develop their fine and gross motor skills by experimenting with a range of equipment both in PE and within the classroom.</p>
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	<p>The children will be developing their ability to take turns and share with one another. They will begin to learn and understand school rules. They will also be looking at similarities and differences between friends and families. The pupils will continue to develop skills of independence through dressing and undressing.</p>
Literacy	<p>Children will be developing fine motor skills to establish a comfortable pencil grip.</p> <p>Children will begin Phase 1/Phase 2 phonics sessions through games and activities.</p> <p>We will listen to a range of stories based on family and friends and we will role play these stories such as 'The Tiger who Came to Tea'.</p>
Mathematics	<p>They will begin to count and recognise numbers from 0 to 10.</p> <p>Children will be encouraged to relate numbers to objects both in class and outside of class.</p> <p>Pupils will be looking at shapes and numbers and relating this to their everyday lives.</p>
Understanding the World	<p>Children will be familiarising themselves with their classroom and outside area. Children will also start their gardening projects where they will learn how to grow and look after the seeds/plants they have planted. They will use programmes on the computer to draw self-portraits and they will be playing various maths and phonic games to develop mouse control.</p>
Expressive Arts and Design	<p>Pupils will be making self-portraits and pictures of their families using and experimenting with a range of materials. Pupils will be creating collages and also some elephant ears to go on a listening walk around the school. Children will be exploring a range of materials available in class to make a variety of items of their choice by drawing, painting, cutting and sticking.</p>

If you would like more details please talk to your child's class teacher

