



Reception Summer 2 2023 – 2024



Communication and Language	Children will be revising high frequency words taught this year and introduced to sounds taught in Chapter 3 from the Phonics Shed scheme and continue to build and consolidate sounds learnt from Chapter 2. This half term we will be focussing on labelling and sorting living things giving some reason for our choices. We will continue to engage in meaningful conversations with others.
Physical Development	In PE, children will be learning to play some simple games, such as racing and group games to build teamwork, turn taking and score keeping. Children will continue using a variety of equipment such as balls, bats and ropes to develop their coordination.
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	Over the next few weeks, children will be preparing for Year 1 and talking about what the expectations are. We will be visiting Year 1 classes to meet the new teachers and getting ready to move on, by exploring feelings about change. Children will continue to develop skills of independence through dressing and undressing for PE and to continue developing their turn taking and sharing skills.
Literacy	This half term, we be looking at the form of a letter and writing our own letters. We will encourage children to structure their written sentences clearly, for example, check to see if they can read their own writing and if they have formed their letters correctly. Children will continue to be encouraged to practise their blending and segmenting skills and apply these in their reading and writing activities.
Mathematics	During child-initiated play and teacher directed activities children will be encouraged to count to and beyond 20 and where appropriate, recognise and write numerals above 20. They be looking at patterns of numbers such as odd and even numbers, counting in 2s and 10s. Also, they will learn how to read the time to the hour, looking at the value of money, positional language. Children will revisit and consolidate their knowledge of place value within ten.
Understanding the World	Children will be learning about what materials houses are made of such as bricks, concrete and glass (windows). We will be making observation of nature, seeing how nature changes through the months. We will also be learning about different celebrations that occur throughout this half term.
Expressive Arts and Design	This half term, pupils will learn to sing some new songs and to include actions. In body percussion, they will practise keeping in time to a steady beat.

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