

English

We will be concentrating on our letter formation and writing out names. Phonics will be starting as soon as we are back in school, and the children will be bringing home the sounds they have learned. Please help your child with learning these. It would be great if you could work with them on holding a pencil correctly and writing their name. Practice makes perfect!

Personal Social and Emotional Development.

We will be talking lots about ourselves and what makes us special and unique. We will also be talking about our families including our immediate family and our family history.

Mathematics

In Maths. we are looking at settling into a classroom setting, learning the daily timetable and routines. We are also looking at matching, sorting and comparing amounts as well as looking at numbers in depth, subitising and recognising.

EYFS

Physical Development

In PE, we are learning Fundamental skills such as going backwards, sideways and forwards and moving in different ways. In the classroom, we are concentrating on our pencil grip, writing our names and letter and number formation. We will also have the trikes outside and various resources, such as pipes and tyres, to build ways to get across the outdoor area.

Hello and welcome to your child's new class. It has been wonderful to see their excited faces as they have started a very exciting new journey with us! We have so many exciting things planned for this term, and no doubt you have already had some work come home for them to continue practicing their skills with you. Reception children will have reading books with no words to start with, please make sure you look at these each night. You could ask questions about what they see or get your child to make up a story using the pictures. Thank you for your support!

Expressive Arts and Design

We are very creative in Reception and will be using lots of different materials to create amazing projects. We will be creating self-portraits, mixing colours and fire pictures! Look out for your budding artists beautiful creations!

Communication and Language

We will be using these skills every day at school, talking and discussing a variety of topics with our friends and teachers. We will be talking about past and present a lot in different areas of the ELG's. Make sure you ask your child all about the amazing things they have been doing in class to reinforce speech and language.

Understanding the World

We are going to be very busy little bees in this area and will be looking at the festivals Rosh Hashanah, Sukkot, Harvest and (say it very quickly) Christmas! The children will be looking into why God is important to Christians and what the church represents. We will also be looking at Guy Fawkes and Bonfire Night, Remembrance Day and Diwali.