

Expressive Arts and Design

- We will be using our imagination in the role play area to dress up, take on different roles and use small world toys in different situations.
- We will be using a range of media to represent our ideas (paint, chalk, collage, technology...)
- We will be singing familiar songs and playing a range of percussion instruments.

Understanding the World

- We will be learning about our new school environment.
- We will be talking about ourselves, our homes and our families.
- We will be talking about what makes us special.

Parents Notice Board.

- Please remember to clearly label all belongings with your child's name and class.
- P.E kits need to be in school every Friday.
- Please check your child's bag for letters each day.
- Staff are always happy to discuss any concerns or questions you may have, please do not hesitate to ask!
- We have 'Proud clouds' in Reception, you will receive one from time to time. Please complete and return it to us with something that you are proud of your child for, this will help our on going assessment of your child.

Thank you.

All About Me!



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Throughout this topic we will be learning all about ourselves. We will be taking part in activities to help us to settle into our new school setting, meeting new friends and teachers and learning to adapt to new routines and rules.



Communication, Language and Literacy

- We will be listening to lots of stories set in familiar places.
- We will be sequencing events from stories we have heard and talking about the characters and settings.
- We will be starting the Read Write Inc. phonics program, learning sounds and beginning to put them together to read and spell.
- When we have some basic phonic knowledge, we will be bringing home a school reading book to share with you. We must remember to bring it to school every day!



Physical Development

- We will be using a range of small large and small equipment to develop our gross and fine motor control.
- We will be practising pencil control, establishing a firm tripod grip in our dominant hand.

We will be working with sports coaches from 'Soccer 2000', developing our gross motor control through team and independent activities.

Mathematics

- We will be building on our knowledge of number from Nursery.
- We will be learning to count reliably using 1:1 correspondence.
- We will be learning how to correctly form our numbers using a variety of media and understanding that there are numbers all around us!
- We will be naming and describing 2D shapes and using 2D and 3D shapes for construction.



Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- We will be building our confidence when speaking to adults and our peers in different situations.
- We will be learning to adapt to new routines and rules.
- We will be learning to play co-operatively with others, taking turns and taking account of the ideas of others.
- We will be learning to become more confident when selecting activities independently and more resilient when tasks prove challenging.