

<p>Prime Area: Personal, Social and Emotional Development</p> <p>This term we will focus on settling in to school. The children will become familiar with routines and school rules, building relationships and learning to share and take turns with peers.</p> <p>They will be encouraged to develop their independence in toileting, dressing and undressing as well as selecting and using resources.</p>	<p>Prime Area: Physical Development</p> <p>The children will take part in weekly PE sessions where they will practise a variety of skills through listening games, ball skills and target games. These activities offer opportunities to develop resilience, independence and encourage self-belief.</p> <p>They will also take part in some simple gymnastics lessons where they will learn to travel and balance in different ways.</p>	<p>Prime Area: Communication and Language</p> <p>This term the children will develop their communication skills through a variety of adult led activities. They will play games that involve listening to instructions. The children will learn to listen to stories and recall key characters and events.</p> <p>They will have the opportunity to speak in front of the whole class to talk about home learning from Tapestry, encouraging their independence and self-belief.</p>
<p>Specific Area: Literacy</p> <p>The children will begin to learn Phonics, working on Phase 1-2 of Letters and Sounds. They will play a variety of games to develop their understanding of sounds in words, rhymes and segmenting and blending. They will learn that each letter of the alphabet has a corresponding sound. They will also learn to sound out and read simple words and captions. We will focus on writing their names and other simple familiar words and begin to develop the pre-cursive style of handwriting.</p>	<p>Reception Class Curriculum Map</p> <p>Autumn Terms 2019</p> 	<p>Specific Area: Numeracy</p> <p>During this term the children will sing lots of counting songs. They will take part in a variety of games and activities that involve recognising, counting, and ordering numbers 1-20. The children will learn to name 2D shapes and their properties through a range of practical activities, and create repeating patterns.</p>
<p>Specific Area: Expressive Arts and Design</p> <p>The children will have opportunities to be creative and express themselves through a variety of music, singing and arts and crafts activities, both child initiated and adult led, based on our topics.</p>	<p>Characteristics of Effective Learning</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Playing and Exploring • Active Learning • Creating and Thinking Critically 	<p>Specific Area: Understanding the World</p> <p>This term the children will learn to develop enquiry skills by taking part in activities where they will learn about how to 'solve problems' for fairy tale characters, e.g. crossing a river. They will develop their understanding of diversity and learn about similarities and differences between their own and other people's cultures.</p>

<p style="text-align: center;">RE</p> <p>Our topics this term are Creation and Incarnation. The children will develop their enquiry skills and explore the questions; 'Why is the word God so important to Christians?' and 'Why do Christians perform Nativity plays at Christmas'</p>		<p style="text-align: center;">Special events</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Visits to L'arche garden• Visit to West wood• Stay and Play sessions in Terms 1 & 2• Reception Fun day at the Three Hills sports park• Christmas Nativity
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