

Mathematics

As mathematicians we will be focusing on numbers to 5, having a secure knowledge of the composition and being able to subitise numbers to 5.

We will be comparing sets saying when they have fewer and more of the same. We will develop our understanding of measure and pattern ; circles and triangles and shapes with 4 sides.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Through our PSHE programme, Jigsaw, we will be focussing on Being Me in My World - Who am I and how do I fit in? and Celebrating Differences—Respect for similarity and difference, anti-bullying and being unique

Understanding of the World - The Natural World

During our outdoor learning sessions we will have the opportunity to explore the natural world, to explore using our different senses and to discuss how we care for it. We will also have the opportunity to experience, observe and discuss different weather types and the changing seasons.

Starting School

For the first couple of weeks will be focusing on a mini topic based on the book The Colour Monster; we will be exploring our feelings and emotions and how we can express ourselves. **In addition to the adult directed learning outlined here; the children will also have the opportunity to develop their skills and follow their own interests through the continuous provision of the indoor and outdoor classroom, during outdoor learning, through the books we share and discussions we have.**



What makes us so special? How are we all different? What do we all have in common? Marvellous Me we will help us explore who we are and encourage us to investigate what makes us unique!

Understanding the World - Past and Present

As historians, we will be peeking into the past; using baby photos to describe changes over time, we will begin to recognise the order things happen through creating our own life timelines and begin to understand the concept of generations by creating our own family trees.

Understanding the World - People, Culture and Communities

As members of our community, we will be celebrating Harvest, Diwali and Christmas! We will be exploring the questions; 'Creation - Who made the World?' and 'What does it mean to belong to a faith community?'

We will also explore and create our own maps of the local area.

Literacy

We will be following the systematic, synthetic phonics programme Bug Club for phonics and will be starting with learning the Phase 2 sounds and developing our blending and segmenting skills.

We will be using the texts 'The Ugly Vegetables' by Grace Lin 'Playing with Friends' by Rebecca Rissman 'Weather' by Steffi Cavell-Clarke and Zim Zam Zoom by James Carter to develop our English skills along with other well known stories to develop our **Communication and Language** skills.

Physical Development

As athletes, we will be developing our core strength gross motor skills during our Fun Fit sessions and developing our fundamental movement, invasion games and gymnastics skills during our PE lessons with Mr Luxa.

Expressive Arts and Design

As artists, we will experiment with different mark making tools and create self portraits.

As musicians, we will be explore and engage in music making with a focus on rhythm and pulse.