



Curriculum Spring 2020

We hope that this brief information is useful and will provide you with an insight into the work your child will be doing this term.

Should you require any further information please do not hesitate to speak to your child's teacher or to Mrs C Nichols or Mrs C Bailey.



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EYFS: Spring Term 2020

Reception Literacy:

Phonics will be taught through letters and sounds each day. Children will learn all of the Phase 3 digraphs this term and will learn how to apply these sounds in their writing. Handwriting will be taught through the Think Write handwriting scheme. In writing, children will focus on several favourite stories, such as, 'The Three Billy Goats Gruff', 'Goldilocks', 'The Gruffalo' and 'We're Going on a Bear Hunt' to develop their writing. There will be a heavy focus on retelling and sequencing stories in the first half term. In the second half term we will introduce the children to several superhero stories, such as, 'Eliot Midnight Superhero', 'Supertato', 'Charlie's Superhero Underpants', 'Super Bat' and 'Super Daisy'. We will be encouraging children to use their imaginations and start to develop their own stories and adventures. In addition, there will be many reading opportunities and story times to enhance work done through the reading scheme.

Reception Mathematics:

Children will be counting to 100 and comparing and ordering numbers. They will begin to understand teen numbers as 10 plus some more and start to look at numbers that make 10 using language, such as, add and equals. They will revisit time and explore shape and measurement.

In the second half term the children will learn about money and the value of different coins. They will continue to compare numbers and look at one more and one less. They will start to write simple addition and subtraction number sentences and find pairs of numbers to make a given total.

Subject		Reception
Personal, Social and Emotional Development		Looking after animals in winter. Feelings. Family and friends. Chinese New Year. Behaviour and rules. Thinking about the way Superheroes behave.
Communication and Language		Puppet shows. Retells. Show and Tell: My favourite traditional tale, my favourite nursery rhyme, Christmas holiday news. Favourite Superheroes and super powers.

Physical Development (P.E. and Swimming)		In swimming, we will be continuing to develop our water confidence and begin reducing aids within the water. We will be experimenting with different ways of entering the water. In PE we will develop hand eye coordination through throwing and catching games. As pupils develop they will also have the chance to practise throwing at a target.
Understanding the World		Winter. Ice and melting. Bears and their habitats. Chinese New Year. Investigations and experiments. Programming. Using cameras.
ICT		Complete activities using: My World 3 and Sherston Early Years.
MFL		Revision of French greetings/feelings/numbers 1-10 Colours Pets/farm animals
Expressive Art and Design		Winter collages. Making masks. Decorating biscuits. Acting out stories. Designing superhero capes, logos and underpants.
Music		In Music this term, we will continue to explore sounds using voices and percussion instruments. Through a range of practical activities we will be developing confidence and independence in singing. We will continue to build on our repertoire of songs and rhymes and learn to respond to signals.