

Reception Medium Term Plan – Autumn 2

Into the Woods

Books we will be reading this half term:

- The Gruffalo.
- Stickman.
- Percy the Park Keeper.
- Tales from Acorn Wood.
- Non-Fiction Texts – Seasons.

Phonics:

- Read Write Inc – Continuing to learn the Set 1 Phonics Sounds.

Communication and Language:

- Develop a wide range of vocabulary throughout the topic.
- Understand instructions that have two parts.
- Sing a large repertoire of songs and nursery rhymes.
- Develop their communication in adult led activities.
- Use longer sentences when expressing their point of view.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development:

- Consistent reminders about 'Good to be Green' and the school rules.
- Continue developing confidence.
- Establish string friendships and extending their play ideas.
- Discuss their feelings and emotions, and those of characters.

Literacy:

This half-term, our Talk for Writing focus book will be...

THE LITTLE RED HEN

- Retell the story 'The Little Red Hen' verbally using actions.
- Join in with repeated refrains in the story and engage in extended conversations, learning new vocabulary.
- Continue to writing the initial sounds of words.
- Continue to write some letters accurately.
- Write CVC words by identifying the sounds and writing the sound with letters.

Mathematics:

- Exploring different representations of numbers 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.
- Looking at the composition of numbers 1, 2, 3, 4 and 5.
- Subitising numbers to 5.
- Exploring spatial awareness and positional language.
- Looking at one more and one less of numbers up to 5.
- Comparing numbers to 5.
- Exploring 2D shapes and their properties.

Physical Development:

- PE will be on: **WEDNESDAY**
- Continue to develop gross motor skills (movement, balancing, riding and ball skills).
 - Learn to safely use one-handed tools and equipment.
 - Show good control when using pencil and pens.
 - Become increasingly independent when dressing.

Understanding the World:

- Plant seeds and show an understanding of how to care for plants and animals.
- Use of all their senses in hands on exploration of natural materials.
- The Lifecycle of a Plant.
- Know that there are different countries and there are differences between these.

Expressive Arts and Design:

- Artist of the Term: Andy Goldsworthy.
- Creating our own Stop Motion Animation.
- Exploring the colours in different seasons and applying this knowledge to our artwork.
- Exploring natural materials and using these different textures to paint a picture.