

CURRICULUM OVERVIEW AUTUMN TERM 1 EYFS

This half term Hedgehogs and Squirrels will be learning all about ourselves.

If you want further information please contact Ms Whitehead and Miss Wetherspoon

COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE

We will be learning to speak in front of a group! We will be practicing putting our hands up to talk, and focusing on speaking in full sentences. We will be practicing listening to our teachers and our friends.

LITERACY

We will be learning to recognise our names which will be all over the classroom! We will start our Read Write Inc sessions, and begin learning to recognise sounds, orally blend words, and write letters.

MATHS

We will be focusing on numbers I-3 and gaining a deep understanding of these numbers. We will practice talking about numbers and patterns we can see using mathematical language.

PERSONAL, SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

This half term we are focusing on learning the routines of our classroom, and how to make friends. We will be learning how to be kind to each other, and why this is important.

UNDERSTANDING OF THE WORLD

We will be celebrating the Harvest festival this half term. We will be learning about healthy food and where it grows and comes from. We will learn about being thankful for the food that we have. We will learn that Christians believe the Harvest Festival is very important.

EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGN

We will be practicing lots and lots of painting! We will be using different tools to paint with and learning to control them to paint pictures of things. We will be learning about how to mix colours and what happens when we mix colours with white.

We will be learning to sing some songs and dancing to lots of music.

PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

We will be playing with lots of toys to help the muscles in our hands get big and strong. We will start practicing how to write some letters. In PE we

MUSIC

During this topic we will be singing lots of nursery rhyme songs. We will be learning if songs and beats are fast or slow. HOMEWORK BINGO IS DUE MONDAY 17TH OCTOBER

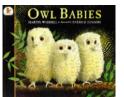








BOOKS WE WILL BE READING







VOCABULARY

LITERACY book, author, phonics

MATHS more, less, bigger, smaller

UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD Harvest, thankful, Christian, food, farm, grows

PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT muscles, strength, run, stop, find a space

EXPRESSIVE ARTS colours, mixing, lighter, darker

PSED kind, friend, ready, respectful, safe, calm

COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE listen, wait, take turns

MUSIC: song, stop, faster, slower

HOW YOU CAN SUPPORT AT HOME THIS TERM

Homework: Please complete the homework bingo with your child.

Maths: Recognising numbers in the environment e.g. on a bus, on a door etc Literacy:

Writing - Please encourage your child to practice writing their name with a capital letter at the beginning and the rest in lower case e.g Bobby

Reading and Phonics - Ensure that you read with your child at least 3 times a week. They will have a phonics reading book, to read themselves and a reading for pleasure book that you can read with them. The phonics books initially do not contain words. Encourage your child to talk in full sentences about the pictures they can see.

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HOMEWORK PICK AND MIX EYFS AUTUMN 1

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Please complete one activity from each of the learning columns below: One topic, one Literacy and one Maths, so in total you will have completed 3 different pieces of home learning.

ENGLISH

- Can you retell the story of 'Owl Babies' to a grown up?
- Can you choose one of your favourite books or stories and say what you like about that book or why you like that book? You can draw your favourite part or an adult can write what you say for you.
- What sound does your name start with? Can you draw something that starts with the sound?

MATHS

- Go on a shape hunt around your house!
 What shapes can you find? Ms
 Whitehead has a clock shaped like a
 circle in her house. Miss Weatherspoon
 has a fridge shaped like a rectangle.
 You can take pictures or draw the
 things you find!
- Can you sing the song '5 Little Ducks
 Went Swimming One Day'? You can
 watch a video on YouTube or sing it by
 yourself. Can you show the number of
 ducks on your fingers?
- Can you practise counting lots of different objects to 3 e.g. cars, pasta, lego, teddies? What other objects can you find and count to 3?

TOPIC

Understanding the World

- Go on an autumn walk around or near your house. What colours can you see?
 What treasures can you find?
- PSED
- Think of some ways you can be a kind friend to others. Can you draw them in your book?

EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGN

 Can you create your own owl picture? You could draw, paint, colour, stick or use your own ideas! Can you then research owls and write down your favourite owl fact?