

Conkers and Let's Make Friends

Wow Event!

We are going on an exciting autumn treasure hunt in the forest school. We will search for natural objects using our senses and use them in our creative work.



In Communication, Language and Literacy I will be learning to:

Talk for a range of purposes including sharing news, stories, songs, rhymes and role play
Be a good listener
Understand how to ask and answer questions and how to follow instructions
Use lots of new words and use them when I am talking about my learning

In Personal, Social and Emotional Development, I will be learning to:

Be comfortable with new routines and how to make new friends
Challenge myself to try new activities and take part in games
Be independent, share and take care of my belongings and school resources
Look after myself and take care of my friends throughout the day

In Physical Development I will be learning to:

Use my fine motor skills when using pencils, scissors, paint brushes, threading and puzzles etc.
Explore my physical skills when climbing, balancing, running, skipping, hopping etc.
Be safe when I am playing and being active
Take care of myself including washing my hands and eating healthily

My parents are welcome to come into school and do some fun learning with me. I will show them my classroom and my fabulous books.

In Literacy I will be learning:

How to recognise letters and say their matching sounds.
How to segment and blend sounds to read and write simple words
To write lists, captions, posters and role play messages etc.

In Maths I will be learning to:

Count everyday objects, recognise numbers, match and order numbers
Explore 2d and 3d shapes in my creative work, measures and during investigations
Explore Maths through stories, rhymes and number formation ditties

In Understanding the World, I will enjoy:

Investigating the changing seasons
Exploring the outdoor environment and visiting the forest school
Sharing birthday celebrations.
Using the interactive whiteboards to help me with my learning

In Expressive Arts and Design, I will learn:

How to use collage, printing and painting using natural and man-made objects.
Sing songs and rhymes with my friends and teachers
Use percussion instruments to make music.

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*My Wow Event in Reception is on:
Tuesday 3rd November*

We will be exploring how reflections are created during our creative, dance and role play work

In Communication, Language and Literacy I will be learning:

To listen to stories with developing attention and recall

To develop my concentration for a range of activities

To develop my communication skills including, speaking, listening, asking and answering questions, following instructions and expressing my needs and opinions

To develop vocabulary relating to my interests, experiences, topics and stories

In Personal, Social and Emotional Development, I will be learning:

To be confident to speak to others about my needs, interests and opinions

To be aware of my own feelings and to care about others

To understand that my own actions have consequences

To learn and play with enjoyment and purpose in a group

To explain my own knowledge and understanding and ask appropriate questions

In Physical Development I will be Learning:

To hold pencils and other tools and equipment using a correct grip

To move freely and with enjoyment and confidence in a range of ways in the outdoor area, during P.E. in the hall and the wider school environment

To understand some of the things that keep us fit and healthy including food, drinks, exercise and rest

*My Let's Investigate Day is happening on: Monday 14th December
We will share the story of The Gingerbread Man and investigate how we can help him to safely cross the river. By exploring materials, we will choose to test our ideas including boats and bridges.*

In Literacy I will be learning:

To develop my phonics skills to read and write simple words and sentences

To develop talk for writing skills including partner talk, story mapping and role play

To experiment with a range of writing styles including lists, captions, posters and role play messages etc.

In Expressive Arts and Design, I will learn:

To sing and perform some familiar songs

To explore materials including shiny and non shiny in creative work

To observe colours and patterns and create using a range of techniques

To experiment when creating different textures

In Understanding the World, I will enjoy:

Talking about some of the things I have observed during investigations relating to seasons and reflections

Learning about a range of cultures through stories, celebrations and traditions

In Maths I will be learning:

To develop careful, one to one counting strategies and match quantities of everyday objects to numerals accurately

To begin to represent numbers and quantities

To write numbers using correct formation

To explore simple addition and subtraction

To talk about shape, space and measures using correct vocabulary with growing understanding in practical activities