

Communication, Language and Literacy

- We will be continuing to develop the children's own confidence, reading their sentences and work to each other within whole class and small group times.
- The children will be encouraged to share their learning with their peers during whole class and small group discussions.
- The children will continue to develop their phonological awareness practicing recognising, reading and applying Phases 2, 3 and 4 phonemes, digraphs and blends.
- The children will continue practising their segmenting and blending skills to read simple phrases and sentences.
- The children will be 'finding out' using books and online search engines with support, before completing some factual writing in a variety of ways.

Mathematics

- The children will be consolidating their knowledge of numbers to 10 and using this knowledge to explore and solve a variety of number problems
- We will be exploring doubling, halving and sharing and looking at how these concepts are linked to each other
- The children will continue to use their knowledge of addition and subtraction, using the plus, minus and equals symbols to find a total and write simple number sentences
- The children will be encouraged to use their number knowledge in a variety of situations to solve practical problems

Expressive Arts and Design

- We will consolidate our learning, completing a range of free art activities using a range of materials.
- The children will be learning dances and songs before performing them in front of an audience.
- The children will be introduced to the art of famous artists and be encouraged to produce a range of work in their styles

Our Wonderful World! Reception Classes: Term 6 2022

Physical Development

- The children will practice and further develop their movement skills by playing a variety of games. They will start to work as a team, keep score, play against an opponent and play by rules
- The children will further develop fundamental ball skills such as throwing and catching, rolling, bouncing, kicking, dribbling with feet and using targets
- The children will continue to practice and extend their fine motor skills through mark-making and hand strengthening activities in order to develop the correct pencil grip and control
- The children will continue to regularly use scissors and other tools to encourage good control when cutting
- The children will take part in regular daily activity using GoNoodle
- We will continue learning to write letters and numbers, thinking about the correct formation and orientation

Understanding the World

- The children will be learning about the life cycles of frogs, butterflies and seeds/flowers.
- We will be finding out about mini beasts using books and search engines.
- The children will discuss the changes that happen to humans over time, focusing on how they have changed since they were babies and how their wider family have changed since they were children.
- We will explore how life is different to ours in the UK in varying countries around the world.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- The children will be talking about the life cycles of frogs, butterflies, plants and humans
- We will be discussing where babies come from and what they need. The children will talk about similarities and differences between families and begin to understand that every family is different
- The children will name and talk about parts of their bodies using correct vocabulary (including reproductive parts)
- During class and group discussions we will talk about which parts of their bodies are kept private and safe and why, explaining that the children can tell or ask an appropriate adult for help if they feel unsafe

R.E.

- The children will be talking about their favourite stories and books, and learning about special books in different religions, in particular The Bible being a special book for Christians. They will listen to and discuss stories from The Bible and why these are important