Literacy

'The Colour Monster' by Anna Llenas

In Literacy we will be exploring a variety of texts relating to Starting school, about ourselves and our feelings such as 'The Colour Monster, 'Our Class is a family, 'I like bee's and I don't like honey'. We will be learning how to write our name, talk about our favourite stories, participate in sound and rhyme games like Fred talk and begin learning phonics sounds.



Understanding the World

Ourselves / Autumn

In Understanding the World we will be learning all about ourselves, who is in our family and where we come from. We will observe and describe changing weather patterns, particularly the feel of Autumn, and start to notice signs of Autumn especially on trees and how the weather feels. We will have the opportunity to go on an Autumn walk around the school.



Communication and Language

We will learn how to listen to stories and follow instructions. We will respond to conversations around us and questions about a storybook by interacting with adults and peers.







Expressive Arts

and Design

Self-Portraits

In art we will have a go at producing our own art

work by exploring colours, paints, messy play and

variety of materials. We will begin to learn how to

use tools with developing skill. We will be drawing

self-portraits and who is in our family.



Reception Curriculum

Autumn 1

This half term our topic is: All About Me / Settling In!

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Routines / Healthy Eating / Emotions

In PSED, we will learn to make strong relationships with key adults in the school. We will learn to come into class happily and follow school rules and routines. We will learn how to eat a balanced lunch and try new foods. We will talk about our emotions and what makes me feel a certain way.

Support your child at home:

Talk to your child about their school day and their interests. Read with your child and ask them questions about the story. Encourage maths in everyday life e.g. cooking, measuring.

Enrichment

Autumn Walk

We shall be going on an Autumn walk to notice the signs of Autumn.

Maths

Number / Sorting

In Maths, we will be establishing maths through routines such as tens frame buses, 100 days in school and calendar activities. We will be learning how to match objects to pictures and identity and sort items by type or groups.



Physical Development

Movement

We will develop physical skills such as climbing, skipping, hopping, and balancing. We will practise throwing with an overarm action, catching a ball using our whole body. We shall also remember movement sequences related to music and rhythm.

