



AUTUMN LEARNING

What we are learning this half term.

Communication, Language and Literacy:

We will be working on initial sounds and where possible we will be learning to recognise some key words. We will be developing our listening skills and we will be working on how to respond appropriately to questions at carpet time, most importantly we will learn to put our hands up and take turns to speak! We will also be looking at rhyming words, singing the alphabet song and making name labels and labels for the classroom.

Mathematical Development:

We will be counting and learning numbers to 20, we will also be learning to recognise the next number and we will introduce the concept of adding on one more. We will be naming and sorting 2D shapes.

Knowledge and Understanding of the World:

In ICT we will be using the mouse to control the cursor; we will also be printing some of our work. We will also be learning how to handle ICT equipment safely and we will be operating a talking book. In Science we will be finding out how to stay healthy. We will be completing a survey and then compiling our information into a bar graph. On our topic work we will be learning " All About Me" where we shall be painting a self portrait, naming all our family members, measuring each of our heights and learning when our birthdays are.

Physical Development:

In games (Friday morning) we will be learning how to move in a controlled and sensible manner. We will be balancing bean bags, running, jumping and hopping with bean bags. We will be passing bean bags around our bodies, throwing and catching bean bags and aiming bean bags at a target. In dance (Monday afternoon) we will be becoming aware of the space around us, we will be making simple shapes with our bodies. We will be traveling on our feet in a variety of ways. We will also try to recognise repeated sounds and sound patterns and match movements to music.

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Creative Development:

In Music we will be learning to keep a steady beat and tempo. We will be singing echo songs, perform actions and play instruments to a steady beat. We will move, sing and play sounds at different speeds, which illustrate moods and feelings. In art we will be focusing on printing, to do this we will be creating sponge paintings, bubble pictures, vegetable printing and marble pictures.

Personal, Social and Health Education:

We will be learning all the new routines of school and hopefully gaining in confidence each time we come back to school! We will also be learning how to stay healthy, what we can each do to remain healthy and why it is so important.