

We are learning to...

Literacy & Phonics

- ✓ Learn the single letter sounds; m,a,s,d,t, l,n,p,g,o, c,k,u,b, f,e,l,h,r,j, v,y,w,z,x
- ✓ Write recognisable letters, using formation rhymes
- ✓ Blend known sounds together to make words
- ✓ Share, explore and respond to stories
- ✓ Use a good pencil grip

Communication & Language

- ✓ Show attentive listening
- ✓ Ask questions
- ✓ Have back and forth exchanges
- ✓ Express ideas and feelings
- ✓ Make eye contact
- ✓ Use simple gestures

Expressive Arts & Design

- ✓ Use different tools to make marks and patterns
- ✓ Experiment with colour mixing
- ✓ Draw and create self portraits
- ✓ Explore junk modelling
- ✓ Exploring sounds with our bodies, instruments and in nature

Mathematics

- ✓ Count amounts and numbers to 5 or beyond
- ✓ Subitise amounts to 4 (say how many without counting)
- ✓ Compare amounts, knowing which group has more or fewer than
- ✓ Compare size, length and height, using the words longer, shorter, taller, bigger, smaller
- ✓ Sort objects according to shape, colour, size
- ✓ Learn number songs



Autumn 1

Marvellous Me!

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

- ✓ Regulate emotions
- ✓ Respect rules and routines
- ✓ Have confidence to try
- ✓ Have patience
- ✓ Play and interact cooperatively
- ✓ Understand my relationships

Physical Development

- ✓ Show spatial awareness
- ✓ Use obstacles & balls
- ✓ Move in different ways
- ✓ Build muscles in our hands for grip
- ✓ Develop fine motor skills

Understanding the World (History, Geography and Science links)

- ✓ Map our route to school
- ✓ Recognise places in our local area and name some environmental features; road, path, field, hill, farm, town, village
- ✓ Talk about past event in my life so far
- ✓ Recognise and name features of our faces and parts of our body
- ✓ Recognise changes when cooking such as, rising bread dough and dry porridge to sticky runny porridge.
- ✓ Name and sort fruit and vegetables
- ✓ Celebrate Harvest time

Religious Education

- ✓ Know where we belong and what 'being special' means
- ✓ Learn The Creation Story (links with Harvest)