



Reception



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This term we will be thinking about the Good News of Easter for Jesus' friends. We will learn about Luke's story of Pentecost and think carefully about how Jesus' friends felt during this time. We will also talk about how to be a good friend.



Understanding the World

We will continue our growing theme and have a go at planting seeds and looking after them. We will learn about how animals grow and what plants, humans and animals need for this. We will continue to explore different ICT apps that will support our learning in school.

Communication and Language

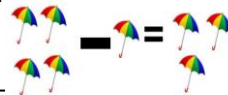
We will continue to extend our vocabulary by exploring the sounds and meaning of new words. We will continue to listen appropriately during whole class and small group sessions. We will listen attentively to stories and answer questions.

Physical Development

Weekly swimming and hall time sessions will continue this term. We will be continuing practising Wake Up Shake Up actions and trying out some new games to enhance our physical skills.

Literacy

We will begin to learn Set 3 sounds from our Read Write Inc. programme and continue to use our Talk for Writing approach, listening and recalling stories orally and writing our own versions. We will be encouraging the children to write simple sentences and longer



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Maths

We will be continuing to solve problems involving doubling, halving and sharing. We will be practising our addition and subtraction skills.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

We will continue to encourage the children to resolve their own disputes and problems appropriately. We will be encouraging the children to listen appropriately throughout the day and we will continue to use the whole school behaviour system for this.

Expressive Arts and Design

We will be using our hall time to listen to action songs and move our body in time to music. We will also begin to introduce skills such as throwing, catching and balancing. We will continue our weekly singing sessions with Mr Miller.

How to help at home.....

Talk to your child about healthy and unhealthy foods and how to make good choices.

Read regularly with your child, asking questions about events in the story and characters etc.

Discuss the school's behaviour system with your child and ensure they understand it fully.

Ensure your child has their swimming and PE kits in school weekly.

