

My World, Your World



Physical Development
As the children settle into school we will be looking at finding space and using interesting pathways when moving around the hall.
The children will be practicing their pencil control each morning as they come into school to support pre-writing skills.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development
This term we will be introducing the children to Jigsaw Jenie as part of our PSHE scheme of work. They will learn how to be calm in calm me time and think about how we all play a part in making a happy and safe class.

Communication and Language
There will be lots of opportunities for the children to role play from their own experiences. We will be teaching the children key speaking and listening skills when interacting with their friends. We will also teach them key phrases to initiate conversation with their new friends.

Understanding the world
We will be thinking about Christianity and Sikhism and what people are special in these religions. We will link this to special people in our lives.

Expressive arts and design
The children will paint a picture of themselves, thinking carefully about the colours they use by looking in mirrors. The children will explore mixing textures and colours and talking about what they find.

Literacy
The children will start to learn their phonic sounds starting with the letters s,a,t,p,i,n. We will learn to say the sound and recognise it. We will also try and hear words that start with a particular sound.
We will have a focus book for each week in school that we will listen to everyday; thinking about the story, characters and linking what we already know to the story.

WOW day
We will be celebrating Diwali with the children the first week back after half term once they are all settled into school.

Numeracy
The children will be using Numberblocks from Cbeebies to start exploring the numbers 1-10 and match numbers with groups of objects. We will also look at shapes and explore a range of shapes by drawing shape pictures.