

Do you want to be friends?



Communication and Language (CL)



We are learning to:

- Listen to others one to one or in small groups, when the conversation interests us;
- Listen to stories with increasing attention and recall;
- Join in with repeated refrains and anticipate key events and phrases in rhymes and stories;
- Show understanding of prepositions such as 'under', 'on top' and 'behind' by carrying out an action or selecting the correct picture.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development (PSED)



We will focus on:

- Playing in a group, extending and elaborating play ideas, e.g. building up a role-play activity with other children;
- Being more confident to talk to other children when playing, and communicating freely about our own home and community;
- Increasing our awareness of our own feelings, and knowing that some actions and words can hurt others' feelings.

Physical Development (PD)

We will focus on:

- Holding a pencil near the point between the first two fingers and thumb and using it with good control;
- Copying some letters, e.g. letters from my name;
- Putting on our own coats and zipping them up.



Exploring Arts and Design (EAD)

We will focus on :

- Beginning to build a repertoire of songs and dances;
- Exploring the different sounds of instruments;
- Exploring what happens when we mix colours.



Literacy



We are learning to:

- Describe the main story settings, events and primary characters;
- Hear and say the initial sound in words;
- Give meaning to marks we make as we draw, write and paint;
- Link sounds to letters, naming and sounding the letters of the alphabet.

Maths



We are learning to:

- Represent numbers using fingers or objects;
- Match numeral and quantity correctly;
- Recognise numbers in our environment;
- Recognise the numerals 1 to 10.

Understanding the World (UW)



We will focus on:

- Talking about similarities and differences between us and others;
- Talking about some of the things we have observed such as plants, animals, natural and found objects;
- Using a simple ICT program on the iPads.

Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural Development (SMSC)



We will focus on:

- Talking about the importance of Diwali to Hindus;
- Developing our resilience and reflecting on our experiences;
- Remembering to use kind words.