

Terms 3 and 4 Year: 2023 – 2024 EYFS

Prime Areas

Specific Areas

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

We will follow the JIGSAW PSHE scheme: term 3 'Dreams and Goals' and term 4 'Healthy Me'. In term 3 we will think about our aspirations, how to build resilience and the concept of teamwork. In term 4 we will think about what it means to be healthy.

Maths

We will be consolidating our knowledge of the numbers 0-5 before moving on to numbers 6-10. Children will practise representing and subitising these numbers so their undersateding of numbers 0-10 is secure.

1 2 5 4

Children will also explore 3.D shapes aswell as looking at length and height and mass and capacity.

We will play lots of games and the children will experience maths as part of their normal play.

Communication and Language

We will continue to practise taking part in group and whole class discussions, developing the confidence to share ideas and the patience to listen to each other. Children will be encouraged to ask questions about what they have heard and express their own ideas.

Literacy

In literacy we will continue to be following Drawing Club and we will cover a range of stories, traditional tales, animations and more. Children have enjoyed this opportunity to use their imaginations and create works of art linked to our key text before using their sounds, and numbers, to write a magic code that brings the picture to life. We will look at stories including Jack Frost, Little Red Riding Hood and A Superhero Like You.

In Phonics we will be following the ELS scheme as we continue to cover Phase 2 and Phase 3 phonics.

Physical Development

Children will continue to have access to a wide range of fine motor activities designed to support their overall physical development. Children will be learning about gymnastics with the Bristol Sport coaches. In class P.E lessons they will be learning different balls skills such as rolling, throwing and catching.

Understanding the World

This term we will be thinking about the season of winter and the changes that are continuing to take place all around us. We will learn about different people who help us in the community such as fire fighters and dentists. We will also learn about the celebration of Chinese New Year.

Expressive Arts and Design

This term we will be focussing on the artist Piet Mondrian. We will re-cap the names of the primary colours and explore different art techniques such as painting and collage. We will recreate Mondrian's 'Composition with red, blue and yellow' art piece.