

Personal Social Development

The children will learn that we do not all like the same things and that it is ok to be different. We will learn words to describe 'feelings' and talk about how our feelings change.

We will help children to learn about things that they can do to keep their bodies healthy like: tooth brushing, bathing, washing hands, and using tissues for our noses.

In all of our learning we will help the children to 'keep on trying' even when new learning is tricky.

RECEPTION SUMMER TERM LEARNING 2023

Communication & Language

Conversations will be central to the school day! Through playing and learning children will **learn many new words** and they will be encouraged to **speak in meaningful sentences**. Did you know the children will learn at least 5 new words everyday!

Physical Development

The children will be **developing 'strong' bodies** as play outdoors every day. They will be able to climb, balance, run, jump and explore catching and throwing objects.

The children will be **developing strong hands** and fingers by using lots of equipment to thread, twist, fasten and manipulate.

There are so many **tools** that the children will **learn to handle with control** such as: paintbrushes, scissors, glue sticks, pens and pencils.

Understanding the World

Playing outdoors daily will help children to feel the weather and learn words to describe the Season of Summer. We will choose appropriate clothing to wear that will protect us from the daily weather and learn how to be sun safe.

We will help children to respond to questions about 'what' they are doing, 'why' something is happening or 'how' they can change something. Our weekly gardening and environment walks will support this.

We will learn about our local area and describe what we can see whilst learning how to stay safe through our offsite walks.

The books that we read will include fiction and non-fiction. These will help us learn about growing and will also introduce us to amazing facts about the mini creatures in our world. We will also read traditional stories too. We will continue to encourage families to share special events that they are celebrating to help children recognise what is the same and what is different between different families.

Creative Development

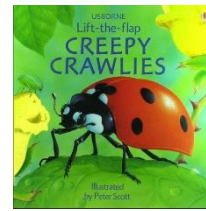
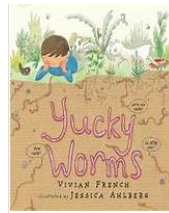
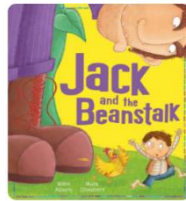
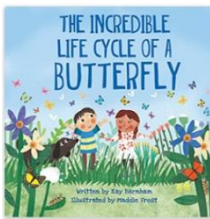
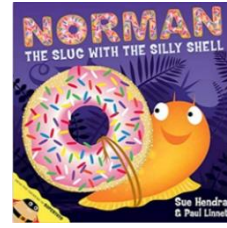
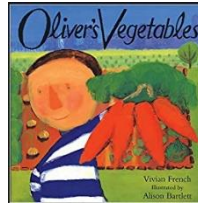
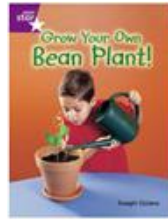
The children can make things every day using lots of different materials. They will continue to use our paint stations with independence and begin exploring different ways of creating pictures. They will also learn how to use and join different materials to make the picture or model of their choice.

We will help the children to talk about colour and to think about their colour choices. 'What colours will we need to make a zebra?' or 'What colours will we need to show the colour of your skin?' The children will learn about shape and learn how they can draw & make enclosed shapes with pens, pencils and paint to represent animals, vehicles, people, places or plants. The children will develop their imagination and story-telling as they dress up in costumes and pretend to take on the role of a doctor, a police officer, a princess, a dad or a superhero.

The children will also learn about rhythm as they explore musical instruments and sound.

Literacy

The children will listen to a story each week and we will talk about what they can see in the pictures and learn new and exciting words. The books that we share will help the children to learn lots of new things about the world around them.



LITTLE WANDLE PHONICS

In phonics the children will learn to read more words and will begin to develop fluency as they say sounds and blend in their heads.

Children will continue to spot 'digraphs' and 'trigraphs' in words to help them speedy read. Every day the children will practice their handwriting and will learn to spell and write words using these sounds.

The children will all learn to write simple sentences using their phonic knowledge.

zooming

waiting

singing

fighting



Celebrations

Lots of families celebrate special days within the year. We will be learning about what happens on:

- Ramadan
- Coronation Day
- Eid

Plus any others... if you and your family are celebrating something, please let us know through Dojo.



Mathematics

Children will learn that **numbers are all around us** in our world. We will help children to recall numbers that total 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 and secure an understanding of 'more' and 'less'. We will help children to explore the numbers beyond 10 through counting objects and looking at the patterns of these numbers on tens frames.

We will continue to learn about shapes and find them in the world all around us. We will learn the mathematical names to describe 3d shapes.

In play we will use our mathematical knowledge and mathematical vocabulary every day!

