

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- We will be learning the class and school routines and trying our best to follow them.
- We will be trying new activities and saying why we like some activities more than others
- We will ask for help when we need it
- We will be learning why some behaviour is acceptable and some isn't acceptable
- We will be making friends, sharing resources and taking turns

Communication and Language

- We will be listening carefully to different stories, anticipating what might happen next and respond appropriately to questions.
- We will be following increasingly complex instructions
- We will be learning lots of new words and using them correctly
- We will use a range of tenses correctly when we are talking about past, present or future events
- We will be asking and answering lots of 'how', 'why' and 'what' questions

Expressive Arts and Design

- We will be learning and singing new songs and dances
- We will be recreating different role-play situations
- We will be creating a range of pictures and models using different media

Literacy

- We will be learning our letter sounds through Sounds-Write phonics lessons
- We will write simple sentences using capital letters and full stops and be able to read them back
- We will start to read a range of simple sentences using different strategies that we have been taught
- We will be talking about books that we have read or have been read to us, including describing settings, characters and what will think might happen and why.

Reception Class Yearly

Mathematics

- We will be counting with numbers up to 20
- We will be putting numbers from 1-20 in order and saying the correct name for the numbers
- We will be counting out objects from a large group
- We will solving problems involving numbers including sharing objects, halving and doubling
- We will naming and describing 2d and some 3d shapes
- We will be ordering objects by height, length, weight and capacity
- We will be using language associated with time and money

Physical Development

- We will be using the PE equipment to travel across and around the space in different and interesting ways
- We will be working hard to improve our gross motor and fine motor skills through a range of different daily activities
- We will be practicing how to hold a pencil correctly and write our letters using the correct letter formation
- We will learn how to change independently for PE
- We will be learning how to stay safe, including using equipment safely and taking and managing safe risks outside and during PE lessons

Understanding the World

- We will be investigating our local environment and helping to look after it
- We will be learning and talking about our culture and communities and learning about other cultures
- We will learning how to use a range of different technology including beebots, ipads, interactive whiteboard and controlling a mouse
- We will be investigating different materials and objects

RE The way, the Truth and the Life

God's World and God's Family; Getting to know Jesus and Sorrow and Joy; New life and The Church

Our topics - two year cycle

Traditional tales; Ourselves; Growing
Nursery Rhymes; Winter/Spring; Minibeasts