

Literacy

- Recognising and writing our own names
- Getting to recognise other children's names
- Starting to introduce letter sounds – Jolly Phonics
- Listening to stories and rhymes
- Writing lists and labels
- Alphabet book – names of children, things in classroom, body parts, clothing etc.

Physical Development

- Awareness of space and of self
- Group games; ring, group and playground games
- How we feel after exercise
- Gaining control over fastenings when getting dressed and undressed for P.E sessions
- Using a correct pencil grip and gaining control with mark making implements
- Using and holding scissors correctly
- Personal Hygiene

Understanding the World

- Ourselves – our bodies; senses, body parts, bones
 - our families; who's who, other families
 - Family photo board
 - looking after ourselves; washing, hygiene routines, healthy eating
 - 5 senses
- Computers – how to use the mouse, choose a program, using the drawing program
- Learning about Harvest festival
- Reflections

British Values

- Introduction of School Values

Maths

- Counting in order 1-10
- Using number names in order in familiar contexts up to 10 including '0'
- Counting reliably up to 6 objects
- Finding 1 more or less than a given number up to 5
- Using simple mathematical language to describe shapes
- Using shapes to make pictures and patterns
- Using simple mathematical language to describe size
- Comparing two lengths
- Family surveys

Topic Web

Autumn 1

Ourselves

Settling into Reception

Personal, Social & Emotional Development and Communication and Language

- Making friends and sharing and taking turns
- Learning the rules of the classroom
- The areas of the classroom – resources etc.
- Learning routines of the school day
- SEAL – New Beginnings
- Knowing about ourselves – what we can do

Expressive Arts and Design

- Drawing/painting – self-portrait, our families
- Role play – home corner and school
- Painting – easel; colours, mixing colours
- Making funny faces biscuits
- Collage – plate faces, collage bodies

Parental Involvement

- Bringing in family photographs
- Observation stars
- Reading Passport

Story books

- Titch
- Funny Bones
- Look for me in this ABC
- Rainbow Fish

Festivals / R.E

- Harvest festival
- Ramadan & Eid