

Maths

In Maths we will be using White Rose;

- To make number bonds to 10
- Investigate 3D shape and patterns
- Begin to subtract from numbers to 10
- Count beyond 10

Expressive Arts and Design

In art and design we will be exploring art by Henri Matisse who is a famous French abstract painter. We will use shapes and lines to create our own artwork. They will also be making pancakes and biscuits.

We will be finding the beat, exploring tempo and pitch in music, as well as exploring rhythm in dance.

Communication and Language

We will be introducing new vocabulary every day. We will learn to retell stories and make adaptations to change beginning, middle and end.

We will listen to, engage with and discuss a range of texts through all areas of learning including poetry, fiction and non-fiction. Each day children will have opportunities to interact in conversations with their classmates as well as adults through learning activities. The continuous provision will enable children to have conversations and develop language.

Literacy

We will be using our phonics scheme Read Write inc, and each day there will be a phonics lesson. Children will learn new sounds, how to segment and blend words as well as letter formation and word writing. These lessons will include a Talk Through Stories lesson where we will explore different books and learn new vocabulary. Every day we will read our class story, peer reading and shared reading across the school. There will be opportunities for independent reading throughout the day.

We will be reading lots of fiction and non-fiction books linked to our topic such as Farmer Duck, Olivers Vegetables, Pig in the Pond.

We will practice reading and writing our name every day.

The World Growing Around Me!



We link learning across all areas of the EYFS curriculum to ensure children have exciting opportunities to learn and flourish. Please talk to your child about their learning to encourage language development.

Understanding the World

As we move into Spring, we will continue to study the changes in weather and the environment.

Our topic is The World and Growing Around Me, therefore we will be learning about plants, animals and life cycles. We will explore farming and farm machinery.

In Forest School we will investigate the environment and look for signs of spring.

The Owlets will learn about different spring celebrations such as St Davids Day and Easter.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

In PSHE we will be discussing the perspectives of others and thinking about saving money. Children will also explore media literacy and digital resilience. We will also have regular circle time to share our thoughts and feelings, this allows children to discuss and think about themselves and their peers. We will continue to celebrate the school Ethos, With Respect and Ambition. We flourish together.

Physical development

We will be brushing our teeth daily and learning about the importance of looking after our teeth.

We will undertake gross and fine motor activities to strengthen our muscles in our shoulders, elbows, wrists and hands for writing.

In PE we will be the basic skills in gymnastics, practicing our balancing, rolling and movement skills. We will also be practicing and applying ball skills using our hands and feet.

Every Friday children will attend swimming lessons at Ruby Oak Park.