

Communication and Language. Reading and Writing

- Expressing ourselves effectively, showing awareness of listeners' needs
- Using vocabulary and forms of speech that are increasingly influenced by our experiences of books
- Writing a simple sentence with a capital letter and a full stop
- Using known phonics to 'have a go' at writing unfamiliar words
- Writing some irregular common words
- Reading and understanding simple sentences. Using phonic knowledge to decode regular words and read them aloud accurately
- Writing for a range of purposes stories, letters, instructions etc.

Mathematics

- Counting 1-30 forwards and backwards
- Finding 1 more or less than a given number (0-10)
- Using mathematical language to describe 2D shapes and 3D shapes
- Using simple mathematical language to describe size e.g. little, medium, huge
- Exploring capacity using vocabulary such as empty, half and full
- Using a range of vocabulary for exploring weight - heavy, lighter, equal
- Reading and understanding maths stories e.g. $2+4+3=9$
- Solving problems in Mathematics
- Recognising teen numbers
- Doubling and halving

Physical Development

- Squiggle me a writer - focussing on letter formation.
- Outdoor provision - bikes, balance beams, bottom base for Forest School activities such as climbing trees, making dens, using space and equipment appropriately
- Exploring different ways of using our body
- Talking about 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

Spring 2 Magic and Mystery



Personal, Social & Emotional Development

- Beginning to be able to negotiate and solve problems without aggression, e.g. when someone has taken their toy
- Listening to stories, accurately anticipating key events and responding to what we hear with relevant comments, questions or actions
- Giving our attention to what others say and respond appropriately, while engaging in another activity
- Listening and responding to ideas expressed by others in conversation or discussion
- Introducing a storyline or narrative into our play

Expressive Arts and Design

- Painting using different media, printing, fixing and joining materials
- Beginning to build a repertoire of songs and dances
- Exploring the different sounds of instruments
- Using simple tools and techniques competently and appropriately

Understanding the World

- Talking about some of the things they can observe such as plants, animals, natural and found objects
- Talking about why things happen and how things work
- Developing an understanding of growth, decay and changes over time
- Showing care and concern for living things and the environment

Story books

Zog
Zog and the Flying Doctors
Looking at a range of Non Fiction books and their features - labels, lists and captions, contents page and instruction writing.

Festivals / R.E

Church assembly every Tuesday
with Reverend Lauretta
Story of Easter