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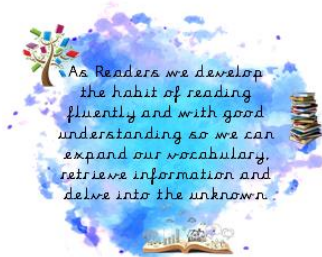
LEARNING PARTNERSHIP

Reception



Spring 2 – Out of this World!

Space, Planet Earth, Looking after our environment and Easter



Communication and Language

Children are encouraged to ask simple questions about texts they have read.

Through whole class reading texts, children will be introduced to new vocabulary and encouraged to use it in different contexts.

Children are beginning to understand how to listen carefully to gain knowledge and understanding.

Children will begin to engage in non-fiction books. They will listen to and talk about selected non-fiction texts to develop a deeper understanding of new knowledge and understanding.



As citizens, we recognise and understand our own and others' needs, so we can make informed choices about our wellbeing.

Personal, social and emotional development

In PSED, children are learning that everyone is different and that it is good to celebrate differences between themselves and others. They will also be looking at their dreams and goals and how they can aspire to be anything. Children will begin to think about other people's perspectives and beliefs.

Children will be encouraged to persevere and develop resilience when faced with a challenge.



As aspiring athletes, we are physically active so we can lead healthy lives and develop skills in a variety of activities. We compete fairly, both individually and within teams. We aim to win but we can accept defeat graciously.

Physical Development

In PE, children will begin to develop their overall body strength, co-ordination, balance and agility.

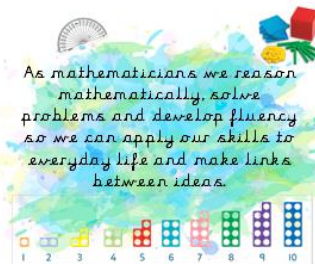
Children will also practise and develop their fine motor skills in a range of different ways.



As Writers we communicate clearly, accurately and coherently so we can purposefully express ourselves to a range of audiences.

Literacy




In literacy, children are revising RWI set 1 sounds, oral blending and segmenting words to begin to write short sentences using capital letters, full stops and finger spaces. They will also begin RWI set 2 sounds. Children are still learning how to form letters correctly holding their pencil in the correct grip. Some children will also be beginning to read phonetically appropriate sentences in short story books.



As mathematicians we reason mathematically, solve problems and develop fluency so we can apply our skills to everyday life and make links between ideas.

Mathematics

In maths, Children will continue to look at the composition of numbers up to 5 and begin to look at numbers beyond 5. They are continuing to develop careful counting using 1:1 correspondence and they will continue to subitise quantities up to 5. They will be beginning to compare quantities up to 5 using the terms more and fewer. They will also be learning to rapidly recall facts of one more and one less for

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| | <p>numbers up to 5. Children will begin to learn double facts and number bonds to 5.</p> <p>Children will compose and decompose shapes so they recognise that a shape can have other shapes within it.</p> |
|  <p><i>As scientists, we question how the world around us works so we can make predictions, experiment and explain our understanding.</i></p> | <p>Understanding the World</p> <p>Children are continuing to learn to problem solve through some of our big questions. Children will begin to explore the theme of space, thinking about the features of different planets and how to look after our planet, Earth.</p> |
|  <p><i>As artists, we experiment with techniques and media, so we can create artwork that reflects ourselves and the world around us.</i></p> | <p>Expressive Art and Design</p> <p>Children will work collaboratively to create large scale models, sharing ideas, resources and skills. Children will also make an Easter card and learn some Easter songs.</p> |
|  <p><i>As individuals, we appreciate the religions and beliefs of all so we can demonstrate mutual respect and tolerance in a diverse society.</i></p> | <p>RE</p> <p>Children will look at different celebrations across different religions. They will look at how people celebrate and will focus particularly on the religion of Christianity and why they celebrate Easter.</p> |