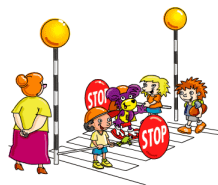


Reception's topic for Autumn B is:

Magic Moments



In Communication, Language and Literacy we will:

- Read lots more books from the new reading scheme both at school and home.
- Use talk and small world play to make up our own stories during our play.
- Use 'Talk for Writing' actions to help re-tell stories.
- Use the letter sounds that we have learnt to help sound out and write simple words.
- Learn to read and write 'tricky words'.
- Use a formation mat to help us form our letters correctly when writing.
- Reading and following simple instructions.
- Write in lots of different and exciting ways; writing about our holidays, firework safety posters, describing events from a range of stories, recounts of trips, letters to Santa and Christmas Fayre Adverts.

In Personal, Social and Emotional Development we will continue to:

- Follow Jigsaw PSE scheme of work
- Amazing Apples - celebrating WOW moments from home
- Be kind and caring to our friends.
- Develop confidence to try new things.
- Make good choices - thinking about dangerous jobs and fire safety.
- Learn how to share and take turns with the school toys and playground equipment.
- Find out about different cultures and beliefs.
- Share personal experiences.
- Learn about staying safe in our class, school, on our roads, playground and on the way to school. We will explore the Green cross Code and Stranger Danger.
- Become reflective thinkers.

In Maths we will focus on:

- **Number recognition** - learning to recognise numbers 1 to 10 and then 10 to 20.
- **Ordering Numbers** - counting in sequence, looking at number tracks, ordering random numbers.
- **Number Formation** - learning to write numbers correctly using the Appletree number rhymes.
- **Counting** - discovering different things can be counted such as objects, claps and jumps.
- **Quantity Matching** - accurately counting the correct number of objects to match a given number.
- **Calculations** - addition and subtraction, more and less.
- **2D and 3D Shapes** - exploring shapes around us and learning to use the mathematical names and terms to describe them.
- **Problem Solving** - exploring a range of strategies and perseverance skills to find a solution.

Physical Development:

- **P.E.** - Dance - Moving to music to develop balance, coordination, flexibility and stamina. Parachute Games
- **Letter Formation and Pencil Grip**
- **Dough Disco** - developing gross and fine motor skills
- **Playdough** activities.
- **Construction Corner** - challenges.
- **Cutting Skills** - cutting and craft activities.

Expressive Arts and Design:

- **Role Play Area** - School/Winter wonderland with weekly challenges.
- **Songs** - singing new and familiar songs.
- **Displays** - Developing 'Our Work is Incredible' display where children can be proud of their work.
- **Crafts** - painting, Poppy pictures, firework pictures, moving pictures and Christmas decorations.

Enjoy, Achieve, Succeed

Understanding the World:

- **Environment** -staying safe in school and out of school.
- **Families** - learning how each family is different.
- **Design** - thinking about what we want to make, resources we need and how to improve our designs.
- **I.C.T.** - visiting our computer suite and using a wide range of ICT equipment including Interactive Whiteboards, iPads, calculators, cameras and Talking Boxes.
- **Celebrations** - finding out about Halloween, Guy Fawkes, Remembrance Day, Eid, Diwali & Christmas.