

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

We will be encouraging the children to make their own choices, selecting their own activities and resources.

We will be encouraging the children to demonstrate friendly behaviour, playing alongside and with other children, building friendships.

Help your child by:

Play turn taking games with your child to help them to develop their social skills.

Communication and Language

We are going to spend lots of time taking part in role-play and acting out stories. We will be using new vocabulary and exploring different situations using props to help. We will be talking and listening to each other one to one and in small groups, taking turns to listen and talk.

Help your child by: We will be uploading content on Tapestry so please share your child's learning journey with them at home. They can be used as talking points to help your child talk about their day.

Physical Development

We will continue to develop our fine motor skills taking part in lots of tactile experiences, getting us ready for writing. We will continue to develop our physical skills of core strength, balance and agility through our outdoor environment. We will be outside whatever the weather so wrap your child up warm!

Help your child by: Allowing them to dress and undress themselves at home.

Go for a visit to your local park, explore the climbing equipment, have a game of catch or football.

Literacy

We will continue to share stories daily with the children, encouraging them to join in and predict what happens next. The children will be encouraged to recognise their name by self-registering everyday. We will have lots of different opportunities to write and make marks for a purpose such as making maps, writing invitations.

Help your child by: Show your child you are a reader and a writer by making sure they see you write shopping lists, messages and even your own stories! This will encourage them to follow your lead! Share stories with your children, encourage them to join in and predict what may happen next.

Expressive Design

The children will be acting out various stories and scenarios around our theme of adventures; we will be pirates, superheroes, spacemen, prince and princesses. We will be continuing to explore a variety of creative activities and use our imagination in our work. We will be making props to support our play, telescopes, maps, wands, crowns and superhero props.

We will continue to learn more new songs and dances.

Help your child by: Encourage your child to retell stories after reading a favourite book, perform songs to family / friends and even come up with new stories together!

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Adventures

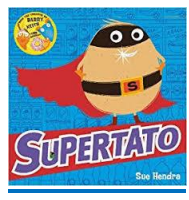


Don't forget:

- Spare clothes for your child.
- Wellington boots for school (if available)
- **Please name all items of clothing!**
- Please borrow and return a books
- You will be receiving log on details to tapestry

We would really appreciate a donation to help pay for every day consumables used in the classroom to support your child's learning. We suggest a contribution of £3 or whatever you are happy to donate which can be given to any of the staff. – Thank you!

Birthdays – If you wish to celebrate your child's birthday at school we ask you to bring in your child's favourite story to share with the class. We are a healthy eating school and do not allow sweet treats.



This term we will be going on lots of magical journeys. We will be sharing stories about pirates, space, superheroes, prince and princesses. Sharing stories is such a great way to support your child's learning so we would love to hear about their favourites from home too!

Mathematics

We will be continuing to learn about number by singing lots of number songs and rhymes. We will be learning about positional language, in, on, under. The children will continue to learn about problem solving, shape and space by exploring various blocks and construction kits.

Help your child by: Continue practise counting / spotting numbers at home and when you are out and about. Let your child help you with the tidying up using positional language "put the cup on the table...put the box in the bin."

Understanding the World

We will be commenting and asking questions about the world around us. We will be learning about space and the planets. We will also be learning about how, where and when prince, princesses and pirates lived.

Help your child by: We would love for you to come in and share traditional stories songs and stories from your home countries and in your home languages.

You could borrow non-fiction books from the library or use the internet to find out about our topics. We would you to share the results with us.