# Keble Prep School

### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

This term, we will be focusing on being kind to others with our words and hands. We will also be focusing on engaging the children in activities which help them to develop teamwork. The focus of our Jigsaw lessons will be on helping the children to understand healthy relationships with their families and friends. The children will also be preparing for the transition into Year 1.

# **Physical Development**

Fine motor development will continue to be a focus for the children. We will continue to encourage them to show greater control when using a pencil and to use the correct pencil grip with their dominant hand.

The children will be encouraged to continue to develop their gross motor skills through running, climbing, and jumping in our outdoor area. They will also be engaging in team games where they will need to be able to negotiate space whilst running and jumping.

# Communication and Language

This term we will continue to develop the childrens' focus and listening skills during slightly longer carpet sessions and through story time. We will be encouraging them to respond to stories they have heard.

Through our topics, the children will be learning a range of vocabulary including the names of some countries and words to describe locations around the world. They will also be talking about where they live and our local area.

# Our topic

#### Globe Trotters

Summer Term Tuesday 22nd April to Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> July

## **The Reception Team**

Miss Halpin- Reception H Class Teacher

Miss Wolfson- Reception M Class Teacher

Mrs Halley- Reception H TA

Mrs Paoli- Reception M TA

#### Literacy

This term, we will continue to focus on the correct letter formation when writing as well as encouraging the children to use their knowledge of phonics to write phrases and sentences. The children will be expected to write phonetically plausible words. We will be focusing on encouraging them to write short sentences using finger spaces to space their words and remembering to end their sentences with a full stop.

The children will continue to learn new sounds within their daily phonics sessions.

### Mathematics

In Maths, we will be continuing our focus on numbers 1-20. The children will have further practice counting forwards and backwards as well as consolidating their knowledge of 'one more, one less'. We will also be continuing to embed learning the number bonds to 10 within our weekly schedule. Further to this, the children will be looking at numerical patterns through doubling, halving, sharing and odd and even numbers. The children will be introduced to money and some of the simple denominations.

## Expressive Arts and Design

The children will be encouraged to explore their creativity by using a variety of arts and crafts and construction resources to create pictures, models and artwork. They will also be exploring the sounds that musical instruments make and they will be enjoy singing new songs too.

## Understanding the World

Our topic for the Summer term is "Globe Trotters". We will be looking at maps and aerial views of our school, the local area, the UK and the World. We will be thinking about the layout of our school and plotting the building on a map from a bird's eye view.

We will be thinking about the things we see on our way to school and how we can plot our journey to school on a simple map.

We will look at places of interest in our local area; how Winchmore Hill is part of London and how London is a smaller part of the UK.

# Keble Prep School

PE days: Tues- please send kits into school, Wednesday- please send your child into school wearing their kit.

**Book changing:** Please send in your child's reading books daily as we will change their books throughout the course of the week.

Library books are changed on Fridays.

Book Bags and reading diaries should be sent into school every day.



We will be using vocabulary to describe where we live in and around Winchmore Hill and its location in London. We will also be using vocabulary to discuss how London is in England and how we are located in the UK and the wider world.

We will be using language to compare lifestyles and locations around the world.













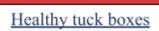


# Dates for your diary

Bank Holiday: Monday 5th May

Half Term: Monday 26th May – Friday 30th May

KPP end of year summer trip- Friday 4th July



Eating healthy food is very important to us in Reception.







Please note that we do not allow any foods containing nuts or nut products at school.