



Myself

The children will be telling us all about themselves, their families and special people in their lives. We start with this topic to help us get to know each other. Children will draw and write about their families, create self-portraits and learn to recognise and write their names. They will learn about making new friends and how our names are special.

People Who Help Us

We will be learning all about the people who help us within our communities including firefighters, police, doctors and nurses. We will speak to different people who help to keep us safe both in and out of school and may even get some special visitors!

Autumn

We will go on an autumn walk and look at changes around us. Our work will be based on stories such as Leaf Man, The Gruffalo and Stick Man. We will be writing about all of the different things we see in Autumn. We will use lots of things we find on our autumn walk to help with our counting and pattern work including conkers, acorns and pine cones. The children will make some autumn art using things we can find in our outdoor area.



Christmas

All of our literacy and numeracy will be based around Christmas! We will be writing letters to Father Christmas, making cards and learning about the Nativity story! We will read stories such as The Jolly Christmas Postman and Father Christmas.

The children will practise for and perform a nativity play which is always a lovely end to our first term!



Religious Education

Our Talking to God topics this term will be; Myself, Welcome and Birthdays. We will be learning to say our daily prayers, reading stories from the bible, learning about being a part of God's special family and preparing for Christmas and Jesus' birthday.



Maths

In EYFS we follow White Rose Maths. This term we will be learning to match and sort, compare sizes and capacity. We will be exploring patterns, shape and the concept of time. We will be looking at what makes 1-5 and understand one more and one less.

Phonics

We will be following the Little Wandle phonic scheme. We will be learning to recognise and hear sounds in the words we read and write. We will be supporting parents with our new reading and phonics scheme within this term.

Little People, Big Dreams

To develop children's understanding of the past and present we will be looking at a range of the Little People, Big Dreams books. This term we will focus on Rosa Parks and Captain Tom Moore.



