

Wild & Wonderful Summer Term 2022 Reception Overview

Mathematical Development

We will:

- Count beyond 20
- Develop a strong understanding of numbers to 10, using 10 frames and Numicon.
- Learn number bonds up to 5 and some number bonds to 10,
- Practise doubling and learn some double facts
- Use 10 frames to explore numbers to 20
- Explore 'Time', using our class calendar and visual timetable to help us learn vocabulary
- Investigate and look for patterns in numbers such as odd and even numbers

Literacy

We will be:

- Learning stories, songs and rhymes by heart through 'Drawing Club' and 'Poetry Basket'
- Learning new and adventurous vocabulary
- Reading and writing new letter sounds
- Learning sight words including tricky words
- Drawing and writing stories
- Writing character and place description
- Learning how to write simple instructions
- Talking about books and stories and comparing them to our lives

Understanding the World

We will:

- Through stories and video clips, compare our environment with contrasting environments around the world.
- Look at what rubbish can do to our environment and animals.
- Find out about recycling and Discuss how we care for the natural world around us
- Find out about famous artist who lived a long time ago.
- Watch caterpillars turn to butterflies
- Find out about the life cycle of a sunflower
- Explore history by looking at family pictures and photographs from the past

Personal, Social and Emotional Development We will:

- Talk about growing and changing from young to old and how people's needs change
- Develop an understanding of how we are all different and different people like different things
- Talk about our families
- Develop our understanding of our emotions and learn some strategies for self-regulation
- Discuss the importance of manners, turn taking and tidying up after ourselves.

Expressive Arts and Design

We will:

- Combine different media to create art
- Use the woodwork bench to create 3D models, using a range of tools effectively and safely
- Find out about different artists, talk about their work and use it to inspire our own paintings and 3D work
- Learn and perform poems, songs and dances

Physical Development

We will:

- Practise writing letters using the correct pencil grip and letter formation
- Use a range of tools safely and effectively
- Learn and perform a country dance
- Move in different ways and learn how to vary our speed when travelling
- Practise jumping in different ways

Religious Education

This term we will explore prayer. We will practise saying the Lord's Prayer, think about why and how we prayer and look at how and where other people pray.

We will write our own prayer.

Communication and Language

We will:

- Share our holiday news to our friends, in small and large groups.
- Ask how and why questions to extend our knowledge and understanding of different families, environments, and plants.
- Introduce and model new and adventurous vocabulary
- Re-read books and talk about they relate to their own lives