

Reception

Autumn Two Topic

Will you Read me a

Personal, social and emotional development

Through circle times and other activities, we will develop an awareness of our own views, feelings and needs, and learn how to be sensitive to the views, feelings and needs of others. Talk with your child about their feelings towards things such as school, friendships, learning and how they can utilize these feelings in their everyday lives.

Maths

We will be focusing on number recognition and ordering numbers. Help your child to recognise numerals 1-10 at random e.g. when shopping, road signs, and model ordering of numbers to your child in written and verbal form and see if they can order numbers independently.

Expressive Arts and Design

We will be encouraging them to introduce a storyline into their role-play. We will also be exploring different types of musical instruments and engage in music making putting movements to the music they make. Explore the sing up website <http://www.singup.org> and CBeebies website <http://www.cbeebies.co.uk>

Reading Books

Reading books and reading records will be sent out on a **Tuesday**. Please bring these back on a **Monday**. Please continue to support your child with their sounds, reading **walls and home reading**.

PE

PE is on...Friday. Please make sure your child has a PE kit in school (white t-shirt, blue shorts, black pumps)

No earrings to be worn on this day please.

Story?

Communication and language

Encourage your child by asking them to retell some of the stories they have learnt in class:

- ❖ Goldilocks and the 3 Bears
- ❖ The Gingerbread Man
- ❖ Jack and the Beanstalk



Literacy

This half term we will be exploring traditional stories and fairy tales. Your child will listen to, retell and write about parts of their favourite stories. They will be exploring events and settings within the stories and looking at different characters. Children will be acting the stories out in role play and with puppets. You can support your child at home by reading a story together, describing the characters and sequencing the events of the story.

Physical Development

During this half term in P.E. we will be covering Gymnastics. We will be teaching your child to move with confidence, imagination and in safety. We will be giving them opportunities to develop ideas for travelling around, under, over and through play equipment to ensure they show an awareness of space, self and others.

Understanding the World

We will be looking at the changing colours of the environment through the seasons. We will be exploring stories from other cultures and looking at different events and festivals e.g. Christmas etc.