

# Reception Curriculum Overview

## English

Writing– Children will be developing their confidence and independence to write simple sentences which can be read by themselves and others using their phonic and key word knowledge.

Reading– The children will be continuing to develop their reading skills as they progress through book bands. We will also be working on children's comprehension of what they are reading by answering a range of questions.

**Some Chosen Texts** – Superworm, Coming to America, The Big Red Bath, Charlie's Superhero Underpants



## Summer Term 2024

## Maths

The children will be exploring numbers up to 20. They will be learning that numbers 11-19 are made up of 10 and another number e.g. 14 is 10 and 4.

The children will be exploring 2D and 3D shapes. They will be rotating shapes, manipulating shapes and finding 2D shapes within 3D shapes.

The children will be exploring sharing and grouping amounts, using concrete objects, including doubles. Children will be exploring repeated patterns, describing positions and exploring mapping (creating own maps from familiar places.)

## Expressive Art & Design

The children will be experimenting with their own choices of singing, music and dance and how they can change them. The children will use a range of items to create props and puppets in order to support their independent narratives within role play. They will be encouraged to share their creations and discuss the process of creating.

## Personal, Social and Emotional Development

The children will be learning how to account of each other's ideas about how to organise an activity. The children will be encouraged to be increasingly independent at school and develop confidence to speak about their ideas and try new activities independently.

## Physical development

The children will be developing their ball and apparatus skills in PE sessions and outdoor play. They will continue to explore handling different tools and equipment with control. The children will be continuing to develop their ability to write letters with increasing fluency.

## Religious Education

The children will be working within the topic 'To the ends of the Earth.' We will be learning about the story and celebration of Pentecost. The children will learn how the early Christians spread the word of God. The children will then move on to learning about St Peter and St Paul.

## Understanding of the world

The children will be exploring similarities between themselves and others and sharing family traditions. We will continue to discuss different locations around the world and compare them to where we live. The children will continue to develop their understanding of the past as we recall some of the stories we have read throughout the year.

## Communication and Language

The children will be encouraged to talk in detail about stories that we have read in class developing their understanding of 'why' questions. The children will be developing their ability to hold a conversation with relevance. They will also be continuing to develop their confidence when communicating one to one, in a small group or in front of the entire class.