

Communication & Language:

- To begin asking questions to find out more check understanding.
- To be able to articulate ideas in well-formed sentences.
- To describe events using some detail.

Literacy:

- To be able to blend sounds into words and begin to read some letter groups that represent one sound.
- Begin reading and writing simple phrases and sentences.
- To retell stories and narratives using your own words.

Understanding the World:

- To be able to read a simple map
- To recognise similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries.
- To understand the types of different weather.
- Explore the changes in the natural environment, including the changes in weather and seasons.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development:

Jigsaw PSHE focus: Dreams and Goals

- Challenge
- Never Giving Up
- Setting a goal
- Obstacles and Support
- Flight to the Future
- Footprint Awards

Expressive Arts & Design:

- To understand that primary colours mix together to make secondary colours.
- To use a variety of effects using different types of paint.
- To improve control when using a range of different tools.
- Watch and talk about dance, expressing feelings and responses.

Maths: Beginning our Power Maths programme.

- Numbers to 10
- Comparing numbers within 10
- Addition to 10
- Measure (Length, height and weight)

Physical Development: Dance

- To count and stay in time with the music.
- To be able to move safely with confidence and imagination.
- To move with control and co-ordination, using props to copy actions.
- To remember and repeat actions, exploring pathways and shapes



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Spring 1 - Reception Weather



This term we will be learning all about weather. The children will be exploring changes in the natural environment, including seasonal change. We will also be looking at differences between weather in this country compared to other countries around the world.