

Communication & Language

We will listen to and talk about stories, retelling them in our own words. We will also learn rhymes, poems and songs.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

We will learn how to express our feelings and consider the feelings of others.

Physical Development

We will develop our coordination, balance and enjoy navigating obstacles in our green area. We will learn to form our letters with increasing accuracy.

Reception - Autumn 2

Food and Festivals

Autumn term

During the second half term our topic is, 'Food and Festivals' where we will learn about seasonal food, balanced diets and healthy lifestyles. We will learn about the exciting celebrations that happen during this time and lots of our work will be inspired by this.

We will read the trilogy of the Pumpkin Soup stories by Helen Cooper which includes, 'Pumpkin Soup', 'Delicious' and 'A Pipkin of Pepper'. The children will then make and eat their very own pumpkin soup. We will also make other healthy foods and lunchboxes to reinforce healthy eating and lifestyles.

The role play areas will be transformed into a café and market where we can make and sell food and act out the different roles involved.

During this half term there will be a focus on learning how to read 'sight words', forming letters correctly and counting and ordering numbers to 20.

Wider Curriculum

Outdoor learning:

Campfire experience

Health and Wellbeing:

Yoga

Enrichment:

A visit to West Norwood Picturehouse to see 'Tiddler' and 'Tabby McTat'

Maths

We will learn one more than and one less than from numbers to 10 and beyond.

Please don't hesitate to contact us if you have any concerns about your child's progress. The year group email is

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