

Brief outline of Learning Journey:
Me and My Community and mini project Exploring Autumn

Our Learning Journey



Autumn Term 1 2021

English

Some key texts- The Lion and the Mouse, Lost and Found, Once there were Giants, Information texts on People who help us

Reading- developing comprehension skills, discussing texts and starting Phonics

Writing- mark making, name writing, captions and labels about the fire crew

Main Focus for Topic:

This project supports children with settling into the new rules and routines of school and encourages them to make new friends and feel confident in their class. It teaches children about being helpful, kind and thoughtful at home and at school. This project also teaches children how they are unique and special, the importance of friendship and how people in their family, school and local community are important and can help them.

Music- Charanga scheme- nursery rhymes and action songs

PE- Real PE - balance and co-ordination skills Sport Coaches - multiskills

Maths Exploring numbers, counting songs and games. Sorting objects, items, people and finding the odd one out.

Comparing set of objects using language more, fewer, the same

Comparing using size ,mass and capacity

Expressive Arts

Drawing themselves, creating with materials, making photo frames, being imaginative and expressive in role play, make our own emergency vehicles

Other areas- Forest School, being safe in the woods, exploring the woodland environment

Physical Development

Pencil control, develop fine and gross skills, explore outside play equipment, climb, jump, balance

Understanding of The World Families- discussing who is our family, how we change as we grow from babies

Learning how to care for our classroom environment, taking on jobs and responsibilities

Finding out about the roles of people who help us in our community ,including fire crew

Looking at maps of the local area and creating maps of our journey to school

Communication and Language Listening in a variety of situations, make comments about what they hear and use questions to clarify

Personal, Social and Emotional Building friendships, show independence and resilience

Jigsaw- Lifeskills working well with others, being calm and kind, recognise feelings

Local links and Exciting experiences

Fire Fighters visit 20.9.21, Teddy bears picnic