

# **Summer Term Skills Overview in Reception**

#### Summer term 2021

### **Mathematical Development**

This term we will be:

- Learning all about numbers to 20 and beyond. Beginning to understand how many tens and ones are in a number.
- Learning about data handling and learning how to read and create our own pictograms
- Learning how to add and count on, and subtract and count back using a variety of resources to support us
- Understanding one more than/one less than numbers to 10 then 20 using a number line
- Understanding how to measure mass by weighing
- Developing spatial awareness through pattern and shape
- Continuing to deepen our understanding of number bonds within and to 10.

## **English**

This term we will be developing our language and communication, reading, and writing skills through a variety of books and mini topics.

We will be:

#### **Language and Communication**

- Listening to and talking about stories to build familiarity and understanding.
- Listen to and talk about selected non-fiction to develop familiarity with new knowledge and vocabulary.
- Articulating ideas and thoughts in well-formed sentences

### **Writing**

- Learning how to form lower case letters and capitals correctly through our writing.
- Spelling words by identifying the sounds and then writing the sound with the correct letter/s.
- Writing short phrases or sentences with capital letters and full stops.
- Learning how to write for different purposes
- Learning to use capital letters at the beginning of sentences, finger spaces inbetween words and full stoops at the end of sentences

### **Reading**

- Reading some letter groups that each represent one sound and say sounds for them as well as blending to read unknown words. (Digraphs phase 3 phonics)
- Reading simple phrases and sentences made up of words with known letter—sound correspondences and some common exception words. (High Frequency words)
- Developing comprehension skills talking about stories and retelling them as well as answering questions about different texts.

### **Understanding the World**

This term we will be:

- Learning about prehistoric animals and how the world has changed from then to now.
- Learning about how to make a moving picture by creating moving parts
- Recognise some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries.
- Explore the natural world around them.
- Learn about the change in seasons and how to recognise different seasons
- Learning about different animals and their habitats
- Learning about our monarchy and the royal family

# **Expressive Arts and Design**

This term we will be:

- Developing our own ideas and deciding which materials to use to express them.
  - Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings.
- Return to and build on their previous learning, refining ideas and developing their ability to represent them.
- Create collaboratively sharing ideas, resources and skills.

### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

This term we will be:

- Learning about respecting each other and other peoples opinions
- Learning how to be independent and work independently
- Learning how to solve problems independently
- Learning about change and how to deal with this

# **Physical Development**

This term we will be:

- Developing a range of skills using different equipment such as different sized balls and different rackets and bats
- Developing accurate throwing skills at a target
- Learning how to work as a team using a range of equipment and competing in relays
- Learning how to run at pace and change speed when running