

Understanding the World

- Immediate family and people who are important to us
- Autumn walk, create autumn leaves for forest school tree collage
- Leaf painting
- Harvest Festival

Communication and Language

- Directed activities to develop children's communication and language skills
- Rhymes, poems and songs
- Role play opportunities
- Listen to and discuss stories and non fiction
- Questioning, following instructions, describing events, problem solving, organize ideas, introduction to new vocabulary

Physical Development

- Fundamentals - spatial awareness, travelling, develop movement, control and coordination, run skillfully

Settling into School

Year R Term 1

Wow – Visit Cookery Corner

Topic/Theme

- Baseline Assessment
- Diwali
- Autumn
- All About Me

Books:

- Ruby's Worry
- Rainbow Fish
- Leaf Man
- Colour Monster

Literacy: *Reception follow the RWI scheme for Phonics, Reading and Writing*

- A range of reading books and resources to stimulate writing are always available for children during independent learning.

Maths:

- Unit 1 – Early Mathematical Experiences
- Unit 2 – Pattern and Early Number
- Unit 3 – Numbers within 6

PSED: Being Me in my World

- Belonging; similarities and differences
- Recognise and manage feelings
- Working with others
- Being kind; gentle hands
- Children's rights
- Being responsible

Expressive Art and Design

- Use pencil to create a self portrait
- Basic skills to draw people
- Perform Harvest song with actions
- Leaf rubbing/collage for Autumn
- Using instruments to accompany a melody

Forest School:

- Introduction to Woodland Learning
- Signs of Autumn – Autumnal sensory walk and make Autumn crown
- Observe common garden animal using binoculars

Cooking

- Make and decorate Autumnal biscuits