Reception Autumn 2: People Who Help Us



Curriculum connections



English

Hear and say the initial sounds in a word. Segment and blend sounds to read words and simple sentences.

Know the letter names of the alphabet. Recognise rhyme in familiar Nursery Rhymes and enjoy learning the 'rhyme of the week'. Write letters using the Read Write Inc. handwriting

rhymes and record daily in sound books.

Orally recall the main events from a story using Talk for Writing strategies.

Begin to write CVC words.



Maths

Select the correct numeral to represent 1 to 10 objects. Count objects to 10 and begin to count beyond 10. Count actions or objects which cannot be moved. Record, using marks that can be interpreted and explained. Use familiar objects and common shapes to create and recreate patterns and build models. Name some 2D shapes and identify them in the environment. Use everyday language to talk about position. Explore characteristics of everyday objects and shapes and use mathematical language to describe them. Begin to use mathematical names for 'flat' 2D shapes, and mathematical terms to describe shapes.

Select a particular named shape.

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Understanding the World

Comment on and ask questions about aspects of their familiar world such as the place where they live.

Understand that people within their community are there to help them if and when they are needed.

Begin to familiarise themselves with the British Values: democracy; the rule of law; individual liberty; mutual respect for and tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs and for those without faith.

Begin to understand the changing of the seasons.

Understand how and why people write letters and, through a walk to a post box, understand how letters are posted and distributed.

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Expressive Art and Design

Use the role play area to create simple representations of events and people linked to our Learning Quest topic 'People Who Help Us'. Introduce a storyline or narrative into their play. Play alongside other children who are engaged in the same theme. Play cooperatively as part of a group to develop and act out a narrative.

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Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Initiates conversations, attends to and takes account of what other's say when sharing parts of their family and home life.

Can ask questions in a respectful way about jobs within our community.

Takes steps to resolve conflicts with other children, e.g. finding a compromise.

Plays co-operatively, taking turns with others. Confidently speak to others about own needs, wants, interests and opinions.

Becomes confident to try new activities, whilst understanding that everyone has a choice. Chooses resources they need for their chosen activities.

Physical Development

Handles tools, objects, construction and malleable materials safely and with increasing control especially when cooking. Shows a preference for a dominant hand and can hold a pencil correctly.

Uses simple tools to effect changes to materials.

Manages their own basic hygiene and personal needs successfully, including dressing and going to the toilet independently. Plays games cooperatively during PE multiskills lessons.

Music



Begins to build a repertoire of songs. Explores the different sounds of instruments.



Communication and Language

Listen to stories, accurately anticipating key events and responding to what they hear with relevant comments. Follow and retell a story using pictures and props in the style of 'Talk for Writing' through the stories 'The Little Red Hen' and 'The Jolly Postman'.

Listen and respond to ideas expressed by others in conversations or discussions.

Use language to imagine and recreate roles and experiences, especially in the role play areas both inside and outside linked to our topic of 'People Who Help Us'.



Spanish Count up to 10

Learn a variety of colours

Celebrations

Diwali – Monday 28 October Christmas Nativity – Monday 9 and Tuesday 10 December

