



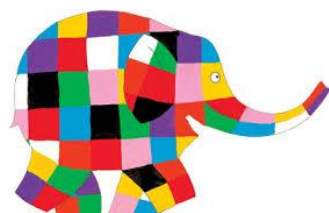
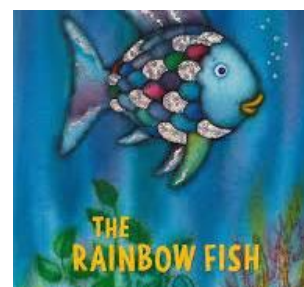
Reception

Autumn Term

Communication and Language Development – English and Phonics

This term we are looking at a variety of books that include:

- The Rainbow Fish
- Elmer the Elephant
- The Very Hungry Caterpillar
- Handa’s Surprise
- Room on the Broom



This term we will be focusing on asking and answering questions as well as improving vocabulary using words learnt through the books we have read. We will be introducing the children to daily phonics sessions where they will be learning a new sound daily and learning to write the letters correctly.

Mathematical Development

This term in mathematics, children will be subitising within 3 and identifying groups within this number. Children will be making their own patterns for numbers within 4 and representing these numbers on their fingers. Children will be encouraged to use maths vocabulary such as more than and fewer than and compare groups by looking. Throughout activity time, children will have access to other maths resources such as weighing scales, shapes and counters to further develop their maths skills.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

The children will be focusing on establishing positive relationships between adults and children and also supporting the children to make respectful relationships between each other. We will also be learning the importance of personal hygiene and establishing healthy routines such as hand washing before snack time and after using the toilet.

Expressive Arts and Design Development

The children will have opportunities to participate in creative activities. They will also be able to use and explore a variety of media and materials such as paints, fabrics, cardboard, playdoh, pasta and paper.

Physical Development

The children will have access to a range of stimulating resources to promote their fine motor skills and gross motor skills which will enhance their physical development. Activities include handling tools such as scissors and materials for cutting and sticking, as well as travelling safely on the bikes, cars and scooters.

Understanding the World Development

We will be looking for signs of change in the seasons/weather; we will be spending time outside and in the forest to observe changes. The children will learn about different celebrations such as Harvest, Diwali, bonfire night and Christmas.

Jigsaw

We are following a scheme called Jigsaw along with the rest of the school. During Jigsaw we will be learning and talking all about ourselves this term. We will be enjoying sessions every week.