



AUTUMN TERM 2018 Hedgehogs & Rabbits

Communication, Language & Literacy

- Jolly Phonics, 3 letters a week
- Phonic games and word building
- Weekly sound book home
- Developing speaking and listening skills
- Name and high frequency word recognition
- Big books for shared reading
- Exploring rhyme and the alphabet
- Developing pencil grip and control
- Reading books go home for sharing

Understanding of the World

- Parts of the body
- Our senses
- Colours
- Exploring the school grounds
- Autumn & Harvest
- Birthdays
- Bonfire night
- Diwali
- Christmas
- Cooking
- ICT in the classroom and environment, ipad apps and taking photos
- Interactive whiteboard games

Physical Development

- Developing throwing, catching, rolling and travelling skills
- Gymnastics – shapes and balances
- Developing large motor skills using indoor and outdoor apparatus
- Dancing
- Developing fine motor skills, threading, construction, etc
- Games with parachute
- Outdoor activities
- Developing fine motor control through finger gym activities and malleable activities

Mathematics

- Counting using songs, rhymes and games
- Comparing two quantities by length
- Exploring 2D shapes
- Counting and ordering numbers to 10
- Recognising and writing numbers to 10
- Using ten frames and numicon
- One more and one less than a number
- Counting forwards and backwards
- Repeating patterns
- Problem solving

All about me and Celebrations

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

- Classroom rules
- School assemblies
- Developing relationships and sensitivity to others
- Developing personal independence
- Understanding the importance of hygiene
- Developing turn-taking and sharing skills
- Bible stories, including Christmas
- Celebrations – different faith celebrations
- I am special
- Belonging to a community – our class
- Values: Courage & kindness

Creative Development

- Printing, painting, modelling, pastels
- Mixing colours
- Environmental collages
- Learning finger rhymes and nursery rhymes
- Using simple percussion instruments
- Junk modelling - instruments
- Christmas decorations