

My Communication

Reading: We are continuing to develop our love of reading and reading books for pleasure. We will also focus on a phonics sound of the week to support our phonics knowledge.

Writing: We are continuing to build sentences using colourful semantics and will include who, what doing, what and where. We will also be developing our writing skills by using a range of resources to mark make and record.

Drama/Role Play (if appropriate): We will be exploring our stories through role play, this will include dressing up as our favourite characters!



My Imagination

Art and DT- This half term we will be working with clay and papier-mâché to create magical sculptures using a range of art skills such as shaping, layering and decorating.

Music- We will be exploring 'spooky' music and identifying the sounds of different instruments.



My Computing/ Using Technology

Computing – We will be focussing on using technology for a purpose and using a range of apps such as camera, purple mash and reading eggs. We will also have a focus on following simple instructions to access different apps safely.

Online Safety – We will be learning about online safety and how to use apps safely on the iPad.



Myself and Others/ Identity and Wellbeing

PSHE- This half term we will be focussing on what being a good friend means. We will do this in a range of ways including using symbols to understand the meaning.

SRE– In SRE we will be learning about relationships and start to build an understanding on the ways in which people care.



My Problem Solving

Number: This half term we will focus on counting and early addition and subtraction within and beyond 10, using motivating objects to help focus our attention on maths activities.

Shape, Space and Measure: This half term we will be focussing on shape and measure. We will be using our weighing and measuring maths skills to create exciting potions which link to our class stories and topic.

Using and Applying: We will be further embedding our daily routines by using maths to notice how many children are in, what day of the week it is, what time playtime time is etc...



Curriculum Phase
Topic Web – Autumn 2 – 2025

Topic: Perfect Potions



Key Texts:

What's in the Witches Kitchen – Nick Sharratt
Pete the cat and the Super Cool Science fair – James Dean
Fairy Science – Ashley Spires



My Health

PE- In PE we will be continuing to access our soft play equipment, learning how to play together and use the equipment safely. We will also be focussing on ball skills particularly throwing and catching a ball with a friend.

Food Tech – This half term we will be exploring and engaging with how ingredients change when mixed together or cooked. We will continue to try new foods, textures and tastes during this session.



Key Dates this Half Term

November is Disability History and Islamophobia Awareness Month

W/C 10/11 - Anti Bullying Week

10/11 – Science Day

11/11 – Remembrance Day

13/11 – World Kindness Day/ Odd Socks Day

14/11 – Diabetes Day

15/11 – Children in Need

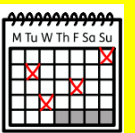
W/C 17/11 – Road Safety Week

19/11 – International Men's Day

1/12 – Start of Advent

10/12 – Human Rights Day

14/12 – Start of Hanukkah



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This half term we will be focussing on 'What do I like?' and listening to what our friends like.



My World

Science: We will be exploring what happens to different materials when mixed together and making our own perfect potions using a range of materials.

History: We will be learning all about witches and wizards from historical stories and folklore.



My Independence

We will be continuing to work on our independence skills in the classroom including classroom routines and learning activities. We will also be developing our personal care routines and beginning to learn about why it is important to keep our hands clean etc... We will also have a focus on personal safety this half term and learning about dangers in the classroom and how to keep ourselves safe.



Home Learning Opportunities

Learning about the body – Go through the people in your family and what their relationship is to you and your child.

Maths – Counting objects when out and about or helping count objects when shopping etc...

Reading – Sharing stories together to promote a love of reading. We will be sending weekly library books home in reading bags to help with this at home.

Independence – Take photos of somethings that you can do independently e.g. cutting up food, brushing teeth.

