

Reception Class Topic Web

We Are Explorers

Who are we?

Communication and Language

Small group games to develop understanding of instructions

Phonics games

Developing vocabulary through quality picture books

Reading Groups

Understanding the World

Visit the local church

Develop positional language when following instructions

Observing the changes in the weather and seasonal changes from Autumn to Winter

Celebrations and festivals!

RW: What are special times?

Maths

Practise object counting skills

Comparing quantities using 'more than', 'fewer than' and 'equal'

Exploring the concept of 'whole' and 'part'

Composition of 3, 4 and 5

Matching numerals to quantities within 10

Verbal counting beyond 20

Exploring 2D shapes

Autumn Term 2



We Are Curriculum -

We Are Explorers!

Within our 'Who are we?' topic we will be celebrating different festivals and observing how Autumn changes to Winter. We will also be developing our map reading skills and following instructions.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Share what we have been up to over the half term

Continuing to develop friendships

Celebrating our differences – focusing on making children feel a sense of belonging

Literacy

Talk 4 Writing – The Gingerbread Man

Retell the story using drama and role play. Develop our imagination and story-telling skills.

Begin to develop letter formation and effective pencil control.

Phonics – We will continue learning Phase 2 sounds. Please visit the link below!

<https://www.littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk/resources/for-parents/>

Physical Development

PE – Ball Skills: Feet

Forest School – Using tools safely

We will be focusing on our health and self-care by developing independence with shoes, socks, lunch boxes and coats.

Expressive Arts and Design

Music sessions

Autumn craft activities using natural resources.

Art activities linked to festivals and celebrations – Bonfire Night, Remembrance Day, Thanksgiving and Christmas!