

Year R Curriculum Overview 2019-20

Please read our 'Useful Information' document to find out about homework and PE arrangements.



Subject	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2
Values & Virtues	Grateful and Generous	Attentive and Discerning	Compassionate and Loving	Faith-Filled and Hopeful
Religious Education	Creation People who help us	People who help us Advent	Christmas Baptism	Lent People who help us
Phonics	Phase two phonics: s, a, t, p, i, n, m, d, g, o, c, k, ck, e, u, r, h, b, f, ff, l, ll, ss		Phase three phonics: j, v, w, x, y, z, zz, qu, ch, sh, th, ng, ai, ee, igh, oa, oo, ar, or, ur, ow, oi, ear, air, ure, er	
Reading	Children will be encouraged to look at books independently and to handle them in the correct way. (30-50m) Children will be taught how to segment sounds in simple words and blend them together, knowing which letters (and combinations of letters) represent each sound. (40-60m)	Children will be taught how to segment sounds in simple words and blend them together, knowing which letters (and combinations of letters) represent each sound. (40-60m)	Children will be taught how to read and understand simple sentences. (40-60m) They will continue to use phonic knowledge to decode regular words and read them aloud accurately. (ELG) They will be taught how to read some common irregular words.(ELG)	They will continue to use phonic knowledge to decode regular words and read them aloud accurately. (ELG) They will be taught how to read some common irregular words.(ELG)
Writing	Children will also be encouraged to write their own name independently and other things such as labels.	Children will be taught to apply their phonic knowledge and use clearly identifiable letters to communicate meaning, representing some sounds correctly and in sequence.	Children will be taught to apply their phonic knowledge and use clearly identifiable letters to communicate meaning, representing some sounds correctly and in sequence. 40-60m Children will be taught how to write short sentences in meaningful contexts.40-60m	Children will be taught how to write short sentences in meaningful contexts. 40-60m Children will be taught how to write simple sentences which can be read by themselves and others. Some words are spelt correctly and others are phonetically plausible. ELG
	Topics will include: Ourselves Pets Funny Bones- Allan and Janet Ahlberg Diwali	Topics will include: Fireworks and Gunpowder plot Kipper's Birthday by Mick Inkpen Christmas (lists and letters)	Topics will include: Traditional tales and Nursery rhymes	Topics will include: Dinosaurs
Mathematics	Topic will include: Counting to ten and beyond. Naming and describing 2d shapes Number sequences One more Positional language	Topic will include: Repeating patterns Addition using objects Length One less Capacity	Topics will include: Addition Subtraction Doubling Halving Size Money	Topics will include: Addition Subtraction 3D shape Counting in 2's Length weight
Understanding of the world	Investigations include: What happens when we mix colours? What am I made of? Other topics: Giant African land snails How do people celebrate Diwali	Investigations include: What is happening to the trees? (Autumn) Other topics: How do we celebrate Bonfire night?	Investigations include: What hat is best to wear today? What happens when ice melts?	Investigations include: Does it float? What happens when you mix it?
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me
Multi-Faith	Diwali- Sunday, 27 October		Chinese new Year Saturday,25 th January	Holi Monday 9 th March 2020
Educational Visits/Workshops		Birches Valley- Winter walk and Meet and Greet Father Christmas		Dinosaur dig workshop

To learn more about our RE curriculum, please click the link on our year group page, titled 'R.E in Year Reception'

You can also learn more about our year group curriculum by clicking the links on our year group page called 'EYFS Framework'