

Curriculum Overview Year Nursery: Autumn

Adults should read to children every day and record this in the reading log

Topic—This is me!

Physical Development

At Nursery we will have daily activities to practice fine motor skills, including playdough disco, threading, dressing teddy bears and babies and using tweezers. We will be discussing the importance of looking after our bodies by washing our hands, brushing our teeth, eating healthy food and getting ourselves dressed. We encourage the children to learn independence in putting on their shoes and coats. During P.E lessons we will exploring how to find space, keep ourselves safe and listening to instructions.

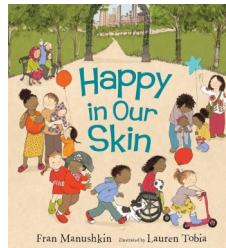
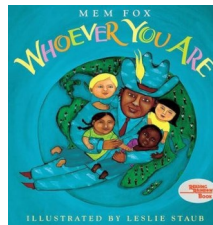
Communication and Language

Using the Little Wandle Scheme, we will be exploring singing a new nursery rhyme each week. We will learn actions to the song, experiment singing loudly, quietly, fast and slow. We will practice using our listening ears to listen to the world around us! We are learning to take turns speaking and listening so we can communicate well with friends and adults. Daily, we have story time to promote the use of new language and we will be learning to spot the rhyming words we hear.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

At Longmeadow we use the Jigsaw scheme to teach the children about different aspects of personal, social and health education. This term our theme is 'Being Me In Our World'. Throughout this topic, we will explore emotions, our preferences and how to be safe and kind at school.

Core Reading



Understanding the World

This term we will be looking at who is special to us, the homes we live in and school community, positively discussing differences. We will be building new relationships with the new friends and adults in our class. We will look at how people help us in our community and the emergency services as well as seasonal changes.

Literacy

We are learning how to listen to stories and enjoy them, trying to remember repeated phrases or words. We are beginning to understand that print has meaning. We are learning how to care for books so we can enjoy them each day.

Expressive Art and Design

We are learning how to safely use the tools in nursery, we will practice making collages of ourselves, junk modelling our homes and making pictures for the special people we have at home and friends we are making at school.

Mathematics

This half-term we will learn some counting songs, practicing representing numbers with our fingers. We will be noticing different shapes, amounts and patterns in our exploring. We will practice using our observational skills to describe what we can see.

Please remember to provide labelled, spare clothing, shoes and property. We play outside in all weathers.



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To develop an early love for reading, we encourage bedtime stories. Please record this in your reading log.

