

English:

We will be developing our love of reading and books through daily story times, small world play, roleplay and weekly library trips! Your child will bring home a wordless picture book within the next few days. Please spend some time each week sharing this together.

Maths:

We explore number in lots of different ways in Hedgehog class! Children will have lots of varied opportunities for counting, problem solving and number recognition alongside a daily counting session with their friends and an adult. We love to play games and sing counting songs!

Understanding The World:

Our roleplay area this half term will focus on the home as we have noticed that lots of our children really enjoy this play. We will use it as an opportunity to talk about our own homes, families and communities. If you have any pictures you would like to share, please hand them to an adult or add them to your Tapestry account. We love to share our experiences!

Communication & Language:

We will be working hard on developing the skills needed to be good listeners! Adults will model positive listening behaviours and we will talk about how to be a respectful listener during circle times. We will also be playing some games to develop our listening and attention skills!



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Autumn Term 1 – 2024 'Time Travellers' Hedgehog Class

Personal, Social and Emotional Development:

This will be a big focus for us in the next few weeks as we settle into school together. We will have circle time twice a week to talk about our feelings, share our thoughts and opinions, and have some fun as a whole class! Adults will be playing alongside children to model sharing, compromise and building positive friendships.

Key Information:

- * Please remember to label all of your child's belongings.
- * PE is on Wednesdays – please ensure children have their kit in school.
- * Please ensure your child has weather appropriate clothing. We are outside a lot!
- * If you need any support accessing Tapestry, please speak to a member of staff. We are happy to help!

Expressive Art and Design:

We love to create in Hedgehog class! Children have free access to a wide range of art materials including paints, pastels, pencils and collage. We also have lots of musical instruments and often build a stage to perform our own shows!

Fine and Gross Motor Skills:

Children will be provided with lots of fun and varied activities to keep their bodies moving and developing their motor skills. We have trikes, balance bikes, large construction and often work as a team to build challenging obstacle courses! Mark making, playdough, tweezers and other resources are always available to support fine motor development. We also take part in weekly PE sessions.

Confident and Healthy Individuals

Responsible Citizens

Successful Learners