

### Communication and Language

Children will listen to and then talk about books we have read, including traditional tales. We will continue to learn and practise nursery rhymes together.

Children will explore new words that will be displayed on our 'words of the week' wall.

Children will continue to practise listening and responding with a partner.

### Physical Development

Children will continue to practise holding things comfortably and correctly such as cutlery and pencils. Children will begin to practise using scissors safely and correctly.

Children will continue to learn how to move safely and considerately around the classroom.

In PE, they will be doing gymnastics.

### Literacy

In literacy we will continue to learn phase 2 sounds and blend them together to read CVC words.

We will be reading and learning about some traditional tales including the Three Little Pigs.

Children will continue to mark make and practise writing their letters correctly.

We will practise writing labels for pictures.

## Reception Autumn 2

### Personal, Social and Emotional development

Children will be encouraged to have a go at new things and always try their best. We will continue to practise taking turns and playing with different children.

Children will be encouraged to listen to others and to use their words if they are not happy about something.

### Maths

In maths we will be looking at numbers to five. We will decide which numbers are higher than others, how to subitise and begin to recall number facts to 5.

We will also be looking at patterns and those patterns that repeat. Children will have a go at making their own repeating patterns with different objects.

### Understanding the World

We will be looking at different celebrations including Diwali and Eid. We will also look at the 'Christmas Story' from the bible. We will look at how they are celebrated and what they mean to families around the world.

We will be looking at the world around us, exploring signs of Autumn and Winter throughout the half term.

### Expressive art and design

We are going to mix paints to make new colours- including making orange.

We are going to make different sounds and sing songs in our music lessons. We will also be singing nursery rhymes.

We will continue to explore play and extend this by thinking 'what next'.

### How to help your child at home

Reading is so important for children so please read with your child every day and discuss the story with them. Share Tapestry with your child as a means of encouraging them to talk about their day and the things they have been doing 📖