Reception 2021-2022 at Rudyard Kipling Primary School



Who we are:

Ms Smith EYFS Leader and Nursery Teacher

Miss Lovis - Rashford class teacher

Miss Eastlake- Thunberg class teacher

Teaching assistants- Mrs Jones, Mrs Bryant, Mrs Owen, Miss Keohan and Ms Whyte

To bring to school daily please:



Water bottle (water only please)

Book bag and reading book/ record- Please check inside daily for letters or notes! We aim to write in once a week.

A coat suitable for the weather. Wellies can be left at school.



Please name everything!

Ideas for supporting learning at home

- Read together as much as possible! This can be stories, magazines or any text, model being a reader and enjoying reading
- Talk to your child, explore new words and build communication skills such as eye contact and careful listening
- Counting out a small amount from a bigger number- 'Can you give me three of the spoons?'
- Play turn taking and memory games such as pairs, snap, dominoes
- Practise independent skills- wiping, zips and buttons

Communication and Language

We will be learning to:

Ask for help when needed

Listen to stories and respond with ideas
Re-tell simple rhymes using actions
Use expressive language in play and build
vocabulary with Makaton actions

Take turns to listen and respond to build conversation skills

Understand and follow simple instructions Answer questions: 'who', 'what', 'where'

Physical Development

We will be learning to:

Put on and take off jumpers and coats, fasten coats independently Control our movements to change direction, run safely and stop to avoid obstacles

Finding a space in the hall

Learn to hold a pencil securely using thumb and two fingers and make marks in anti clockwise direction

Develop hand-eye coordination and fine motor skills ready for writing

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

We will be learning to:

Get to know each other and building new friends through playing together Participate in classroom routines, helping out and being part of the team Talking about feelings and how to keep myself and my friends happy and safe at school

Use the toilet independently, hand washing

Understanding the world

We will be learning to:

Explore outside environment and talk about what we notice changing in the natural world- signs of Autumn Talk about similarities and differences between ourselves and others How do people celebrate Diwali, Bonfire, Christmas...

Talk about past and present events in our own lives

Use technology such as the ipads and interactive white boards

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Our topic is: Marvellous Me

Expressive Art and Design We will be learning to:

Follow a rhythm and hear the syllables in words

Use a variety of construction toys and materials to represent our ideas Role-play as characters from stories and experiences

Explore texture and form through paint, play dough, water and sand play Learn to use pens and pencils to draw simple shapes. Begin to control position and size of marks.

<u>Maths</u>

We will be learning to:

Sort items in different ways

Look for numbers in the environment

Recite numbers accurately in order to 10 and beyond

Count with 1:1 correspondence

Quickly recognise amounts up to 5 shown in different ways

Recognise numerals 1-5 and match quantities to numerals

Become familiar with Numicon

Name and describe 2D shapes

Construct models, copy patterns and explore everyday objects

Literacy (Reading and Writing)

We will be learning to:

Explore rhyme and create rhyming strings (e.g. cat, mat, hat, bat)

Hear and clap syllables in words

Hear initial sounds in words and identify words starting with the same sound Segment words into sounds e.g. break cat into c-a-t

Blend sounds together quickly to hear a whole word

Track letters and words across a page from left to right

Practise recognising common words that we are not yet able to decode fully - the, I, no, to, go

Explore different characters and how stories are structured, developing early reading strategies and exploring new vocabulary