Literacy:

We will introduce the children to 'Drawing Club' allowing us to open up the magic world of stories. The aim is to enrich children's language and vocabulary, develop fine motor skills, and build upon their application of phonics.

- To recognise and write RWI set one sounds.
- To blend sounds to read and write CVC words.
- To write own name accurately.

Communication & Language:

This half term we will focus on developing the skill of listening and understanding why it is important.

- To be able to listen to my friends and teachers during different parts of the day.
- To begin communicating and answering in full sentences.
- To participate during story times by listening and answering simple questions.

Understanding the World:

- •To begin to talk about myself, family and community.
- •To begin to ask questions to help my understanding.
- •To talk about people around them and learn about their roles in society.

Reception - Autumn Term 1: 'Marvellous Me'



Our topic this half term enables us to get to know each other and gives the children opportunities to talk about things that are important to them. Some of the stories we will listen to as part of our learning are: Only One You, The Colour Monster and Super Duper Me. Linked to talking about ourselves we will learn about people in the community who are there to help us for example, doctors/nurses, dentists and police officers.



Maths:

- Listen to and join in with the counting sequence and connect this to seeing that each number is made up of one more than the previous number.
- Subitise and identify when a set can be subitised and when counting is needed.
- Make arrangements of 5 and talk about what they can see.
- Develop counting skills and knowledge.
- Begin to develop the language of 'whole' when talking about objects which have parts.
- Recognise and describe 2D and 3D shapes

Expressive Arts & Design:

- •To paint a portrait of myself.
- •To begin to use a range of materials to create.
- •To begin to use art resources appropriately, with increasing control.
- •To sing and learn new songs, joining in with the actions.

Personal, Social & Emotional development:

Our weekly Jigsaw PSHE sessions this half term focus on 'Being me in my world'. During these sessions we will talk about emotions, being at school, gentle hands, our rights and responsibilities.

Physical Development:

We will be starting our weekly PE sessions in the hall focusing on the following skills:

Negotiating space with consideration for others

Developing balance and co-ordination

Fine Motor:

We will practice using a range of tools with increasing control and accuracy (pencils, tweezers, paintbrushes, rollers, knives, forks and spoons).

'They are like trees planted along the riverbank, bearing fruit each season.' Psalm 1:3