Term 2- 2nd Nov- 18th Dec 2026

Early Years Autumn Adventures

WOW!

*Large scale painting
*Life Education bus
*Nativity- w/c 14th Dec (official dates coming soon)

Literacy

We are going to learn how to...

*Write my own name.

*Write labels for different purposes in the continuous provision.

*Write adjectives for what I can see and hear, related to autumn walks, fireworks and Christmas.

Phonics (RWI) & Reading

We are going to learn how to...

*Recognise and say single letter sounds.
*Orally blend sounds to make simple three-letter words.
*Engage in extended conversations, about stories and learning new vocabulary.
*Listen to and join in with stories and poems

Maths

We are going to learn how to...

*Identify circle and triangles

*describe properties and compare circles and triangles.

* Match number names and number quantities

* Subitise groups of 4 &5

*Represent and talk about different ways of making numbers 4 &5

* Know 1 more and 1 less than a given number up to 5

* Identify shapes with 4 sides

* Talk about day and night

* Use time related vocabulary to describe events

Understanding of the World

We are going to learn how to...

* Compare Christmas traditions from the past (looking at pictures or objects). (Hist)

Science

We are going to learn how to...

* Talk about the natural world around me and the changing seasons and identifying Autumnal features (Sci).

* Describe what I can see, hear and feel whilst outside as well as what can and cannot be seen in the dark (Sci)

* Talk about animals that will hibernate in preparation for Winter (Sci).

Autumn Adventures



Library – Mondays
PE – Fridays
*Please make sure earrings are removed on PE days so that children can take part safely.

PSHE- Me and My Relationships

We are going to learn how to...

* Know that all families are different
* Know and be able to talk about similarities and differences.
* Know and be able to name special people in my life.
* Know and be able to identify who can help if I am sad, worried or scared.
* Know and be able to identify ways to help others or myself if I am sad or worried.

PE- Speed agility travel

We are going to learn how to...

* Move with beanbags and balls.
* Move in different ways.
* Jump on, off and over. P.E equipment.
* Perform circle dances.
* Use strength to hold shapes
* Work in a team.

RE/Music

We are going to learn how to...

* Talk about what happened in the Christmas story? (RE)
*Talk about how Christians prepare for the special day of Christmas and the things they do. (RE)
* Match pitch (music)
* Develop group and solo singing, building confidence to perform (music)

Art/DT

We are going to learn how to...

* Use a variety of resources to create fireworks / patterns and rockets (DT)
* Build a home for some of the British wildlife. (DT- Structure)
* Explore paint effects through colour and different methods of application like the artist Sam Francis to create firework pictures (Art)
* Use my knowledge of the artists Andy Goldsworthy and James Brunt to create own work. (Art)
* Move toys in different ways (linked to History) (DT – mechanisms).

Dates to take note of

W/C 9th Nov Life Education bus

24th Nov & 26th Nov- Parents Evening 3.30pm-6.40pm

27thn Nov - Mufti day

2nd Dec – in school Winter Olympics event

3rd Dec- School disco

9th Dec – Winter Barnanza

** Reception Trip Term 5 - £30 approx. **

More details closer to the date