

Communication and Language, Literacy Development

- Listen and respond to stories and rhymes through books.
- Singing Nursery Rhymes.
- Linking sounds and letters through games and activities.
- Segmenting and blending sounds in words.



Personal, Social, Emotional Development

- New beginnings through circle time activities.
- Learning about school activities and routines.
- Learning to develop relationships with adults and peers.
- Learn to co-operate, share and take turns.
- Learn to manage belongings and get ready for forest school and PE.



Reception

Autumn 2026

We are all Superheroes!

Topic day

Superhero theme dress up day.

Date to be confirmed.

Expressive Arts and Design

- Explore how sounds change with percussion instruments.
- Explore different materials, paint, collage, printing and model making.
- Colour mixing.
- Develop drawings.
- Role play and dance.



Mathematical Development



- Matching and sorting.
- Recognising numbers.
- Counting comparing and ordering numbers.
- Learning about time (my day).
- Comparing quantities.
- Shapes.

Physical Development

- Develop fine motor (eg using scissors, pencil control) and gross motor skills (large body movement eg balancing and climbing).
- Throwing and catching skills using balls and beanbags.
- Exploring different ways of moving such as running, jumping, hopping, skipping.



Understanding the World

- Learn about ourselves and our families.
- Learn about the roles of people in our community.
- Learn about features of different environments through exploring forest school and the school grounds.
- Autumn, Harvest and Christmas celebrations.