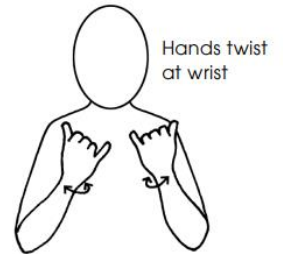




## 7P Class Newsletter Autumn 1



### Our Theme

Our theme for Autumn 1 is "Celebrations".

Have a look below at how we will be learning about all things celebrations across our curriculum!



### My Communication



In My Communication we will be working on communication with others using core boards, PECS books and communication devices. We will also be looking at our Celebrations topic through sensory stories such as The Red Little Hen for Harvest, and then stories that link to other key celebrations during half term such as Halloween. We will also be developing our play skills with our friends and adults through going to the sensory room, continuous provision activities and on the playground. Sensory regulations sessions and Intensive Interaction will form a big part of encouraging communication for us. Teachers will give lots of sabotage opportunities so we can ask for our wants and needs.

We will be working on reading, writing and communication and interaction ALI's across the timetable.

### My Thinking and Problem Solving



In My Thinking and Problem Solving we will be on developing our skills in working out what to do by ourselves. This will be achieved by sabotage from the adults in class and lots of opportunities for independence. We will be exploring early number and capacity activities using our favoured items. We will be using TEACCH workstations to develop our independence and problem solving skills.

We will be working on number and cognition and learning ALI's across the timetable.

### The World about Me



In The World about Me, we will be focusing in developing our understanding of the shopping routine. We will go out into the community and follow a set schedule to buy favoured items as part of a routine.

We will be practising our dressing skills during swimming and P.E. We will also make sure we are aware of the things we need to wear when going out.

### Me and My Body



In Me and My Body, we will be taking part in lots of physical activity across the timetable including sensory circuits, riding bikes and playing on the playground equipment.

We will be exploring our feelings with support from adults, helping us to access the right resources to help our regulation.

We will be practising our dressing skills during swimming and P.E

### My Community



In My Community, we will be growing our independence in travel around the school and local community. We will be learning to walk safely with adults into Chorley town centre and visiting some shops. We will learn shopping routines and staying safe. We will also explore different

### My Creativity



In My Creativity, we will develop some more of our dancing skills with Miss Troughton. We will also be creating Cards in different materials that link to the celebrations we will be learning about this half term. We

<p>places linked to the celebrations we are learning about in class e.g., a church at Christmas. We will also explore lots of sensory play to help us understand the different celebrations.</p>	<p>will practice our fine motor skills through cutting, sticking and painting.</p>
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<div data-bbox="687 1554 874 1637" data-label="Image"> </div> <h3 data-bbox="509 1632 1070 1677">Home-School Communication</h3> <p data-bbox="113 1711 1469 1783">Home-school communication is important to us and helps us to support your child the best that we can. Here are some different ways to keep in touch...</p> <ul data-bbox="142 1816 1147 1957" style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Writing in the home-school diary.</li> <li>✓ Emailing me at <a href="mailto:hendyl@astleypark.lancs.sch.uk">hendyl@astleypark.lancs.sch.uk</a></li> <li>✓ Coming into school for parents evening and sharing our learning sessions</li> <li>✓ Commenting on your child's Evidence for Learning posts</li> </ul>	