

Autumn 1

Communication and Language

- Circle time activities
- Small group tasks
- Listening games
- Finding out about and asking questions about our environment

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Circle time activities
- New beginnings and new relationships
- Making new friendships
- What makes you special?
- What are our talents?
- What makes us brave?

Physical Development

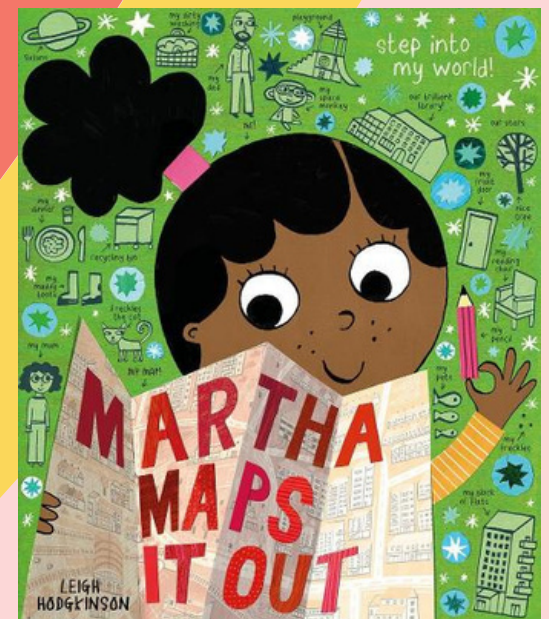
- Outdoor learning
- Fine motor - pencil control, mark making, playdough, funky fingers activities
- Gross motor - bike and scooters, larger movement drawing, larger scale building

Literacy

- Phonics Phase 1 - Rhymes, syllables and songs
- Phonics Phase 2 - Sounds and HRS words
- Making meaningful marks
- Beginning to write sounds, names and cvc words
- Baseline statutory assessments

Maths

- Numbers to 10 including representation and composition
- Measuring and counting
- patterns
- Sorting and grouping
- Baseline assessments



Expressive Arts and Design

- Self portraits
- When I grow up ...
- Natural collages
- Nursery rhymes and familiar songs
- Role play area - Home corner

Understanding the World

- Human growth and animal growth
- Exploring and mapping our school environment
- Sharing and comparing baby photos
- When we grow up we want to be...

Characteristics of Effective Learning

- Playing and exploring
- Active learning
- Creating and thinking critically

Super Duper Me

Our key texts for this half term are: Starting School, The Growing Story, Once There Were Giants, Super Duper You, So Much, Martha Maps It Out, Funny Bones

