

Physical Development

- *Making bread and kneading dough
- *Using spades, trailers and wheelbarrows.
- *Moving like characters from our stories.
 - *Washing hands.
- *Helping to put on and take off role-play clothes
- *Making marks and forming letters.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

- *Sharing activities with our friends
- *Exploring happy and sad faces.
- *Making soup and sharing it with our friends.
- *Making and communicating choices
- *Caring for our outdoor areas

Maths

Our maths topics this term will include, number, pattern, sequence, sorting, counting and capacity.

English

We will listen to and begin to join in with books about Autumn and special festivals including, 'Owl Babies', 'Room on the Broom', 'Let's Celebrate' and 'Father Christmas needs a wee'. Some of us will learn to match and begin to name and identify the characters and objects in the story. Some of us will request and explore objects from the texts.

Autumn Topic

Expressive Arts and Design

- *Using various construction materials to stack and join to make broomsticks
- *Role-playing in a kitchen, Santa's Work Shop and using small world toys
- *Dressing up as story characters
- *Pretending to be characters from our favourite stories and rhymes

Understanding the World

- *Making bread, for a picnic in the woods.
- *Listening to sounds and looking at images from Bonfire night.
- *Visiting the woods and Barton Grange at Christmas.
- *Using switches and battery operated toys.
- *Talking about and looking at images from festivals and celebrations in autumn such as Harvest, Diwali, Bonfire Night and Christmas.

Communication and Language

- *Learning and listening to rhymes such as
 - as 'Autumn Leaves', 'Farmer's in the Den', 'Jingle Bells' and 'When Santa got stuck up the chimney'.
- *Using voices or switches during rhymes.
 - *Exploring and imitating sounds
- *Playing listening games and traditional games such as Ring a Roses and Farmer's in the Den.
- * Using our individual communication routes to make choices about resources and toys.