Literacy

In Literacy we will be focusing on mark-making; giving meanings to the marks we are making and beginning to form letters. We will start Phonics lessons where we will learn to recognise sounds, blend sounds for reading and write words by segmenting the sounds we can hear.

All these skills we are learning will be linked to the following stories; Stickman, Goldilocks and The Three bears and The Gingerbread Man. We will create shopping lists, family tree, breakfast menus and label body parts.

Mathematics

In Maths we will be focusing on numbers to 10; counting to 10, recognising numbers to 10, finding 1 more and 1 less than a given number and matching quantities to written numerals. We will also learn how to compare the lengths and heights of different objects.

We will count bears, make a graph of our favourite fruits and count them, measure gingerbread people and measure our height and length of our feet, using non-standard units of measurement.

R.E

In RE we will learn why we are special, and about how and why we celebrate Harvest.

We will have a Harvest celebration in school.

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Key vocabulary

Myself, body, facial features, healthy, exercise, sleep, good listening, good sitting, concentrating hands, special, same, different, houses, Autumn, independent, family.

Physical

In PE we will learn how to get into our PE kit initially. When in the hall we learn how to negotiate space and how to move in different ways. We will work on the fundamental movements of running, jumping, rolling, throwing and catching. We will learn all about our bodies and how to keep them healthy. We will learn about hygiene, healthy eating, exercise and sleep.

We will work on our pencil grip and control. We will take part in "Dough Disco" sessions where we make our hands strong for writing.

P.S.E.D

During Key-Worker time we will focus on school rules, getting to know new people, our emotions and how we deal with them, how to be a good friend and what makes us special.

Communication and Language

We are going to learn how to be good listeners and how to show people we are listening. We will learn how to respond to stories. We will learn how to engage in conversation through the use of questioning. We learn how to act out stories and tell our own stories.

Understanding the world

We will learn about houses and go on a local area walk to compare different types of houses. We will also go on a local area walk to our school field to look at our local environment.

We will learn how to share experiences from our past and things that will happen in our future.

In Computing we will learn how to turn the computer on and how to login.

Expressive Arts and Design

In Art we will learn about colour and selecting the right colours for creating a self-portrait. We will learn how to use different materials to create different pieces of art work. We will learn about printing and create family trees with leaf prints.

Wider Curriculum

Teddy Bear Hospital Healthy eating day Intra Sports

<u>Values</u>

Our values we are especially focussing on this half term are friendship and peacefulness.