

ST LUKE AND ST PHILIP'S PRIMARY SCHOOL *A Church of England Academy* Reception Curriculum Overview Autumn 1

All About Me

Prime Areas

Personal, Social and Emotional

Development

Establishing rules and routines. Getting to know one another through provision, group work and discussions. Encouraging children to play cooperatively, build relationships, deal with emotions, and develop self-confidence and selfawareness.

What makes me special? Discuss families, likes and dislikes during circle time and in small groups.

Communication and Language

What makes a good friend? Share ideas during circle time.

Carpet time – maintaining attention, concentrating and sitting quietly for short periods of time. Stories, songs and small group games.

Modelling good use of spoken language.

Phase 1 activities and Pre-teaching Vocabulary.

<u>Physical Development</u> Gross motor skills Gymnastics sessions Managing self help skills



Mathematics

Singing lots of counting songs. Recognise numerals 0-10. Count reliably up to 10 everyday objects. 1-1 correspondence. Say and use the number names, in order, in familiar contexts. Ages - how old are we? Special dates. Sequence of the day and week through visual timetable.

Understanding of the World

What makes a family? Talk about their own life, similarities and differences. Look at growth and change.

Where in the world do I come from? Explore different cultures and traditions.

Expressive Arts and Design

How am I the same and how am I different? Use different materials to create a portrait.

Literacy

Finding, recognising and writing our own names.

Sharing lots of books.

Children to start taking home individual reading books/high frequency words.

Children to draw themselves, family, home, body.

Phase 1 phonics – rhyming, alliteration, initial sounds, segmenting and blend.

Phase 2 phonics - begin Read, Write Inc.

RE

<u>**RE:</u>** I am Special – discussing God as Heavenly Father and that He makes each one of us different and special. He knows and loves us. Talk about emotions and the experiences related to them.</u>

Value: Thankfulness.