Children will be assessed towards the end of their Reception Year against the Early Learning Goals**.**

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| **Skills** | **Early Learning Goals** |
| **Gross Motor Skills** | * Negotiate space and obstacles safely, with consideration for themselves and others.
* Demonstrate strength, balance and coordination when playing.
* Move energetically, such as running, jumping, dancing, hopping, skipping and climbing.
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| **Fine Motor Skills** | * Hold a pencil effectively in preparation for fluent writing- using a tripod grip in almost all cases.
* Use a range of small tools, including scissors, paintbrushes and cutlery.
* Begin to show accuracy and care when drawing.
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