

## Maths

This term we will be singing lots of counting rhymes and songs. We will be classifying objects, matching equal and unequal sets. We will be comparing objects and sets. Learning to subitize by focusing on one number every week. We will be playing with 2D Shapes and describing them.



## Phonics

This term will begin with the children learning to listen to sounds, clapping syllables in words, rhythm and rhyme. We will then move on to teaching letter sounds and letter formation using our phonics scheme – Jolly Phonics!

**Jolly  
Phonics**

## Fine Motor skills and writing

We will be threading, cutting, weaving, playing with playdough. We will focus on using good fine motor skills to hold a pencil or paintbrush to draw lines, circles and then move on to forming letters in preparation for writing.



## Expressive art and design

This term we will be joining in with songs; beginning to mix colours, join in with role play games and use resources available for props; build models using construction equipment. We will paint self-portraits, do lots of junk modelling, make lots of shapes from different materials. We will be getting very craft around Christmas time to!



## Knowledge and understanding of the world.

Our theme for the term will be Families. The children will be Identifying who is in their family. We will be Commenting on photos; naming who they can see and of what relation they are to them. We will talk about what they do with their family and places they have been with their family. Later on in the term we will be Talking about occupations and how to identify strangers that can help them when they are in need.



## EYFS Autumn Term topics:

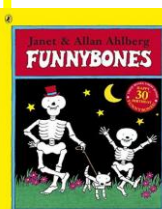
'All About Me' moving on to 'Terrific Tales.'  
Here is a snapshot of our learning this term!

## Stories and reading

This term we will be focussing our learning around lots of different text and stories such as Funny bones, Owl Babies, Once there were Giants, Stick Man, The Smartest Giant, The Colour Monster for the first half of the Autumn Term. In the second half of the term we will be looking at; The Jolly Postman Goldilocks, Farmer Duck, Hansel & Gretel, The Ugly Duckling, Christmas Story / Nativity and the story of Rama and Sita. Of course we will also be reading lots of other stories.



Please make sure that the children have water bottles in school everyday.



## PSED and Communication and language.

This term we will focus on Making friends. Children talking about experiences that are familiar to them. We will talk about what we want to be when we grown up. What are your passions / goals / dreams? We will be practising rhyming and alliteration. Looking at familiar print. Sharing facts about me! And talking about routines through the day.

## PE and physical development

PE days will be Thursday. This term we will be dancing in our PE lessons! The children will also have daily access to lots of physical development activities throughout the week. We will also do a yoga session every Friday morning in our classroom.

