

# Foundation Stage Newsletter Autumn Term 1 2024

## Physical Development

We are learning to:

- Hold a pencil.
- Put our coats on independently.
- Wash our hands independently
- Climb and explore outdoor apparatus.
- Explore fine motor activities,

## Maths

We are learning to:

- Join in with number rhymes
- Use shape sorting toys confidently.
- Count in order using one number name for each item.
- Recite numbers

## Reminders-

Please make sure your child's name is in all of their items of clothing and please ensure your child has a red school bookbag.

## Personal, Social & Emotional Development

We are learning to:

- Take turns and share equipment
- Talk about our feelings.
- Express our likes and dislikes
- Take part in new experiences with others.

## My Family And Home.



## Communication and Language

We are learning to:

- Understand and answer simple questions such as "who", "what", "where".
- Understand and follow simple instructions.
- Retell a simple event in the correct order.
- To be confident communicators.

Welcome back. We hope your child will be very happy in our school and that they are looking forward to an exciting year of fun and learning. This newsletter is to give you an idea of what we will be covering this half term. If you have any queries, please do not hesitate to ask.

## English

We are learning to:

- Listen to and remember stories.
- Hear new vocabulary and use the words we have learnt
- Recognise and find our own names.
- Give meanings to the pictures we draw and paint.

Please help your child to learn at home by reading lots of stories and encouraging them to talk about the pictures.

## Understanding the World

We are learning to:

- Remember where objects belong (tidy up after ourselves!)
- Remember and talk about key events.
- Follow the school rules.

We are also discussing who is in our family.