



FOUNDATION STAGE CURRICULUM OVERVIEW SUMMER TERM 2024



In Reception we have an over-arching topic for each half term, aiming to ignite the children's curiosity and enthusiasm for learning. This Summer our topics will be *Adventure Awaits!* and *Exploring Our World*. We will be focusing on the 7 Early Learning Goals – Personal, Social & Emotional Development, Communication & Language, Physical Development, Understanding the World, Literacy, Mathematics and Expressive Arts & Design. We have a range of activities and resources set out in the classroom to help develop these areas, enhancing children's gross and fine motor skills, collaborative play and social skills. These are the prime areas for learning and are vital in developing the 'whole-child' as well as creating a solid foundation of learning behaviours which will enable them to become confident, enthusiastic and resilient learners.

This term we will continue using 'Drawing Club' with the children and will still be following the White Rose Maths scheme. A range of activities and resources are made accessible to the children as part of the continuous provision available in the classroom environment. These include a maths exploration area, a role-play area, an art and design area, a quiet/reading area, phonics activities and fine motor activities. Each of these areas are designed to enable the children to develop in all areas of learning according to the Early Years Framework. As we move through the summer term we will gradually begin to introduce a more formal style of learning in preparation for year 1.

We are looking forward to seeing the children continuing to grow and develop throughout this term and will share these outcomes via both Tapestry and Class Dojo.

<u>Summer 1 – Adventure Awaits! (6 weeks)</u>	<u>Summer 2 – Exploring Our World (8 weeks)</u>
Drawing Club Sir Scallywag and the Golden Underpants Supertato! Chicken Licken Thumbelina Batfink Brum	Drawing Club Handa's Surprise What the Ladybird Heard at the Seaside Whatever Next? Anansi the Spider Rumpelstiltskin Oakie Doke Clangers
Maths Explore 3D shapes To 20 and Beyond How many Now?	Maths Manipulate, Compose and Decompose Sharing and Grouping Visualise, Build & Map Make Connections
Topic Pirates Superheroes Knights Floating and sinking	Topic My community Communities around the world Continents & maps Space & planets
RE – What times are special and why?	RE – Belonging: Who are we and how do we belong?
Music – Transport	Music – Big Band
PE – Throwing & Catching	PE – Fun and Games

Best wishes

The EYFS Team