



Christmas Term 2019 Curriculum Plan: Year EYFS



Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- How our actions can affect others
- 'Learning Superheroes'
- Our unique skills
- Resolving conflicts and solving problems independently

Communication and Language

- Exploring 'why' and 'how' questions
- Speaking in clearly defined statements
- Using talk to share ideas and opinions
- Extending vocabulary

Physical Development

- Learning about healthy eating
- Understanding the effects of exercise on our bodies
- Writedance
- Using scissors effectively

Literacy

- Developing skills for letter formation
- Holding a pencil correctly to produce recognisable letters
- Practising writing our names
- Writing labels, lists and signs
- Learning to recognise, say and write phonemes, graphemes and their letter names: ck, e, u, r, h, b, f, ff, l, ll, ss
- Reasons for writing and purposes texts
- Writing groups of letters to represent meaning

Mathematics

- Length, height and capacity.
- Chanting numbers to 20 and beyond
- Careful counting
- Learning to write numbers to 10
- Comparing and ordering numbers
- 2D shapes
- Days of the week, months of the year and seasons.
- Money
- One more, one less
- Matching spoken and written numerals to quantities.

Understanding the World

This term we will be finding out about the life and work of Mother Theresa of Calcutta and how we can follow her example and help others in the world.

We will also be learning about different ways of life, family customs, routines and celebrations and what Christmas means to different people.

Educational Visits and Events

The EYFS + Year 1 Christmas Performance to parents

Expressive Arts and Design

- Exploring preferences for forms of expression and using a variety of media, materials and tools
- Learning a variety of songs and dances
- Exploring rhythm and moving to music
- Achieving a planned effect

Personal Learning Activities

EYFS: Rehearsals and preparation of songs, actions and speaking parts for the EYFS + Year 1 Christmas Performance to parents

Music

Singing a range of well-known songs

Exploring the sounds of different musical instruments

Performing for an audience