Literacy

Writing:

We will focus on drawing pictures and talking about them. We will use our RWI sounds and rhymes to help with letter formation and we will continue practising writing our name. We’ll learn to write the initial sounds in words such as ‘m’ for mum and begin to write simple CVC words.

Reading:

We will be using the RWI phonics scheme to recognise the Set 1 sounds. We’ll answer questions about the stories we read.

SPACE AND CHRISTMAS

Foundation Info:

Staff:

Miss Everitt– Class Teacher

Mrs Fiddler and Mrs Walker– TAs

Mr Twynam – PPA Thursday morning.

PE Days: Tuesday and Wednesday (please wear trainers to school).

Expressive Arts and Design

We will have lots of opportunities to play and use our imagination with a variety of materials and objects. We will be encouraged to explore ways of building and joining, and colour mixing when using paint. We will also have access to instruments to make our own music and sing nursery rhymes/Christmas songs.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

This term we will continue to talk about our emotions and why it’s important to consider others feelings. We will start to talk about our likes and dislikes, linking to our learning about how we are all different. We will continue to develop our relationships with the other children and adults in the classroom and start to use our learning dispositions more (ROARR).

Understanding the World

In R.E. this term we’ll learn about Christmas and will link this to Autumn traditions such as Bonfire Night. We would like to link this to traditions you have as a family and traditions family members have had in the past. We’ll walk around the local area using maps to find places on the Jolly Christmas Postman’s route; we will also use Beebots in class to follow a route on a map.

Communication and Language

This term we’ll listen to lots of stories and begin to answer questions about them. We’ll also sing lots of songs including classic nursery rhymes and Christmas songs. We will be given opportunities to share news with friends and teachers to help develop our confidence and listening skills.

Physical Development In P.E. lessons we will be learning to balance both statically and dynamically and develop our agility. We will also have access to the playground, climbing frame, patio and bikes daily. We will practise using scissors and holding a pencil correctly through a range of fine motor activities. We will also practice self-care skills such as using zips or a knife and fork.

Maths

This term we will be learning about:

Comparing and composing numbers 1, 2, 3 Circles and triangles

Spatial awareness

Representing numbers 4 and 5

One more and one less

Shapes with four sides