

What is your child learning this half term in Reception? Autumn A

Personal Social and Emotional Development Heart Smart Circle time	In PSED this term pupils will begin to learn their new routines, making new friends and beginning to build relationships. In HeartSmart this term pupils will be learning about Boris the Robot. In circle time this half term, the children will be playing circle games to get to know one another and their likes and dislikes.	Communication and Language Literacy English Phonics	In Literacy this term our focus story is 'We're going to find the monster' by Malory Blackman. The pupils are beginning to learn phonics using the Read, Write Inc scheme.	Expressive Arts and Design DT Music Art	In DT this half term we will explore and learn about various types of permanent and temporary join. They are encouraged to tinker using a combination of materials and joining techniques in the junk modelling area. In Music this half term we will be listening to and responding to different styles of music. In Art this half term we will be looking at and painting our own art works inspired by Piet Moundrian.
Physical Development PE	In PE this half term children will be learning to navigate space successfully,	<u>Maths</u>	In maths this half term we will be exploring with numbers, patterns	Understanding the World Science	In Science this half term we will be going on animal adventures. Investigating the

Fine Motor	maintaining their balance, and learning to jump. All children will have daily dough disco activities using therapy putty.	using our matching, comparing and sorting skills. We start with matching because matching is a simple form of sorting and is the beginning of logical thinking. Through matching, children learn one-to-one correspondence	Geography	differences between living and non-living things, exploring animal homes and describing minibeasts. In Geography this half term we will be looking at our school from a birds eye view and comparing it to what we remember.
			History	In History this half this half term we will be learning about ourselves and how we have changed over time.
			RE	In RE we are beginning to learn about the religions of Christianity, Judaism and Islam.