

# Curriculum Overview For Parents

Term - Summer 2 2024

Year: Yellow Class

Class: Reception

Teacher: Miss Whiting

Topic: 'Journeys'

Teaching Assistants: Miss Day

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## Communication, Language & Literacy

- **Core books** – Whatever Next! And The Hundred Decker Bus
- **Other fiction** – Naughty Bus, The Great Balloon Hullabaloo, Mr Grumpy's outing, Emma Jane's Aeroplane, The Train Ride
- **Other non-fiction** – The Wright Brothers, George Stephenson, Our Journeys
- Following our writing tool bars; capital letters, finger spaces, handwriting, writing on the line, wow words.
- Story maps and using story maps to write our own stories, non-fiction poster, lists, descriptive writing, recount.
- NELI (For some children)
- Looking at Year 1 expectations.

## PSHE

- Preparation for Year 1 – what are we looking forward to, sharing thoughts and concerns.
- Looking at Year 1 expectations.
- Talking about feelings and how we express ourselves.
- Strategies for coping when we feel cross/sad/frustrated etc.
- The Colour Monster
- 3D Dimensions PSHE
- Golden Rules – how we must all work together to stay happy.
- Worship - Daily

## Physical Development

- Core stability exercise.
- Balanceability
- Fine motor activities .
- Using tools, Wake and Shake, Funky Fingers,
- Gross Motor skills.
- Ensure a tripod grip to hold writing tools.
- Dough Disco
- Sports Day
- P.E with Mr Forbes – Ball skills (Cricket, Tennis, Rounders...)

## Mathematics

- Using a range of methods; Tens frames, part-part whole, number line, counters.
- Writing numbers using correct formation and orientation
- Power Maths
- Shape
- Capacity
- Sorting
- Time
- Sorting objects
- Sorting objects to 10
- Counting and writing numbers to 10
- Ten Town

## Knowledge of the World

- Using technology in the classroom – cameras, torches, telephone, clocks, CD player, metal detectors, remote control cars.
- Forces – how does a car roll down a ramp? What makes windmills go round? What makes balloons float? How can we make a boat cross a water tray? How did pirate ships travel?
- George Stephenson
- The Wright Brothers
- Looking at transport, different modes of transport old and new

## Expressive Art & Design

- Accompany and play instruments to represent sounds.
- Use of stencils - pencils and drawing lines
- Using media and materials to apply skills we have been taught.
- Combing colours
- Patterns
- Sewing teddy bears
- Create Father's Day cards

## R.E

- Why is the word God so important to Christians?
- Daily Worship, Open the Book on a Wednesday.

## Things to look for and do at home

- Continue to learn names of the letters of the alphabet.
- Count up to 20 objects and beyond.
- Read and write numbers up to 20 and beyond.
- Continue to practise reading – visit the library, reading words in the environment...
- Writing and handwriting practise - pens, pencils, paintbrushes, chalk, fingers...
- Talk to your child about a journey they have been on – a bike ride to the park or a boat trip at the seaside.
- Creative homework projects.

## Any other Information:

- Preparing for Year One through transition days (information to follow)
- Balanceability sessions – Please bring helmets each Thursday.
- Trip to Duffield Library – TBC
- Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June – EYFS/KS1 Sports day – Information to follow
- Week Commencing 17<sup>th</sup> June – Carnival Week
- Monday 24<sup>th</sup> June – Trip to Crich Tramway Museum
- Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2024 – School closes for Summer vacation.