# EYFS Term 1

Curriculum Overview

Dear Parents and Carers,
Please have a look over our class
curriculum for the coming term.
Our focus will be
'I wonder what changes in the
Autumn?'

## Blean Primary School



Learning Together to Enjoy and Achieve

## Key Vocabulary

unique
same
different
belong
sort
season
Autumn
leaves

change

woodland

## Personal, Social and Emotional Development:

This term we will be learning about school rules and routines and making lots of new friends. In class, we will be exploring emotions using circle time and stories. We will also be building trusting relationships with our adults, learning how to talk to our new teachers about any worries and feelings. Finally, we will also be starting our JIGSAW lessons and identifying how we are all unique.

## Communication and Language:

In Circle Time, we will take it in turns to fill and share a box full of resources that are special to us. Look out for the box visiting your home and help your child to select a few special items and photos that will support them to share ways in which they are special.

#### Literacy

We will be introduced to Phase 2 phonemes and Common Exception Words, exploring graphemes and the sounds that they can make. In class, we will use songs and rhymes to support our skills to identify initial sounds and begin to make marks with purpose.

#### Mathematics:

We will be learning to sort, match and compare objects. We will also learn different ways to represent numbers and amounts up to 3. We will also start to learn how to subitise using various objects and pictures.

### Physical Development:

During our first term we will be looking at handwriting patterns and begin to develop our fine motor skills through various activities. We will also have daily opportunities to use our gross motor skills to move in different ways and use small equipment, such as balls and hoops as well as bikes.

### Expressive Arts and

#### Design:

We will be painting self-portraits and begin to paint and look at colour mixing. We will experiment with colours, patterns and shapes in our immediate environment.

#### <u>Understanding the World:</u>

We will be exploring our new environment and looking at changes as Autumn approaches. We will also learn about the festival of Harvest and participate in a fruit and vegetable collection.

## Key Dates:

End of Term 1

Monday 8<sup>th</sup> September:
All EYFS children in full time
Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> September:
Meet the Teacher in the Hall
Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> October:
Harvest Festival Parent Share
(More details to follow)
Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October: