

## Literacy

This term our literacy is linked with our current theme 'All about me'. We will begin by learning each other's names and writing our own. We will soon begin to learn our sounds and blending simple CVC words together. We will also learn how to form these sounds correctly in our writing. Children will begin taking reading books home from the 25th September.



## Personal, Social and Emotional Development

This term we will be thinking about our school rules and how our behaviour and actions could affect others. We will be looking at 'feelings', thinking about when and why we feel certain emotions. This will be taught through discussion during circle time and the use of books and puppets.



## Understanding the World

This term we want to find out and get to know the children in Walsingham. We will be encouraging them to talk about their home and community life. If you have any photographs that would support this then feel free to bring them in, it would be lovely for the other children to see! We will also be thinking about how we look after and care for our surrounding environment.



## Mathematics

In Maths this term we will begin by focusing on counting reliably up to 10 (and beyond) and working on recognising numerals 0-10 (and beyond) in and around the environment. Children will be using the vocabulary of 'more' and 'less' than and using their 'number brains' to find out the answers in practical ways.

We will also be looking at different 2D shapes in our environment and begin to think about ways to describe them.



## Communication and Language

This term the children will be working on their listening and attention, learning how important it is to listen! We will be doing this through circle time sessions, stories and puppets. Children will be working on extending their vocabulary through indoor/outdoor play, using their fantastic imaginations with new friends.



## Expressive Art and Design

Our expressive arts and design will be linked closely to our topic. First, we will be drawing portraits of ourselves and thinking about the colours we need to use. We will be making links with Harvest by using fruit and vegetables in our art work. As well as this we will be looking in our surrounding environment to explore and use media and materials to create some excellent masterpieces to display in the classroom and be proud of.

