

Spring 2 2026

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- SCARF sessions – Rights and Respect
- Continuing Champion Awards
- Demonstrating values in our play
- Child of the week
- Independence award



Communication and language

- Learning new songs and rhymes
 - Daily story times
 - Circle times - Sharing our ideas in a group or class situation
- Sharing our learning with others by talking in full sentences and explaining what we did.



Physical Development

- Continuing with handwriting families
- Weekly PE with Mr Moores
- Developing gross motor skills outside – focus on control
- Strengthening our fine motor skills and pencil grip through daily morning jobs
- Developing our scissor skills



Literacy

- Drawing Club sessions with a different weekly book/tale
- Recording cvc words and short captions
- Daily phonic sessions – Level 3
- World Book Day
- Billy Bear Book bags to be sent home
- Daily story time
- Exploring the writing area and book corners in class
- Visiting the library



Mathematics

- Developing our knowledge of bonds to 5
- Exploring composition of numbers 6-10
- Recognising numbers 1-10 on five frames
- Recognising numerals 1-10
- Exploring length
- Singing number songs



Understanding the World

- Cooking – Making pizza
- People who help us visitor – Firefighter
- Science - Exploring seasonal changes with a focus on Spring
- RE – Visit to local church
- Woodland Wednesday activities
- Computing - Using computers and iPads to enrich our learning.



Expressive Arts and Design

- Art – Go Draw project
- D&T – Junk modelling
- Music – Listening to different styles of music and discussing our likes and dislikes.
- Music – Weekly percussion sessions exploring pitch, tempo, duration and dynamics
- Daily singing
- Role play both inside and outside



How to help at home

- Ensure your child has a waterproof coat in school every day (and that it is named!).
- Hear your child read **five** times a week and record each time you do in the reading record.
- Access the weekly phonic home learning emails and Twinkl Learn App and support your child to consolidate their phonic learning at home.
- Support your child in working towards their independence award.
- Read the fortnightly newsletter to keep up-to-date with school news.
- Help your child to choose their school dinner options at home each morning before coming to school. **Make sure you have the new menu.**



Useful websites to support your child's development

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/tiny-happy-people>

CBeebies PARENTING

BBC – Tiny Happy People

A useful website with lots of advice, guidance and ideas for activities.