PROJECT: Ourselves TERM: Autumn 2025 CLASS: Reception D/Reception F

Please note that the below may be subject to change as we assess the children on their return to school.

PERSONAL, SOCIAL and EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Children:

- see themselves as valuable individuals.
- build constructive and respectful relationships.
- express their feelings and consider the feelings of others.
- show resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge.
- identify and moderate their own feelings socially and emotionally.
- think about the perspectives of others.
- manage their own needs.

PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

Children:

- can revise and refine the fundamental movement skills they have already acquired e.g. rolling, crawling, jumping, running, climbing.
- develop their small motor skills so that they can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently.
- use their core muscle strength to achieve a good posture when sitting at a table or on the floor.
- know and talk about the different factors that support their overall health and wellbeing such as: regular physical activity, toothbrushing, healthy eating.
- further develop the skills they need to manage the school day successfully: lining up and queuing, mealtimes, personal hygiene.

COMMUNICATION and LANGUAGE

Children:

- understand how to listen carefully and why listening is important.
- learn new vocabulary and use it through the day.
- can describe events in some detail.
- develop social phrases.
- engage in story-times and reading of nonfiction books.

UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD

Children:

- can talk about members of their immediate family and community.
- understand that some places are special to members of their community.
- recognise that people have different beliefs and celebrate special times in different ways.
- explore the natural world around them.
- describe what they see, hear and feel whilst outside.

EXPRESSIVE ART and DESIGN

Children:

- explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings.
- listen attentively, move to and talk about music, expressing their feelings and responses.
- watch and talk about dance and performance art, expressing their feelings and responses.

LITERACY

Children:

- can read individual letters by saying the sounds for them.
- can blend sounds into words so that they can read short words.
- can form lower-case and capital letters correctly.
- can spell words by identifying the sounds and then writing the sound with letters.

MATHEMATICS

Children:

- count objects, actions and sounds.
- link the number symbol (numeral) with its cardinal number value.
- compare numbers.
- select, rotate and manipulate shapes in order to develop spatial reasoning skills.
- continue, copy and create repeating patterns.