



Year R

Our big question this half term allows us to spend time getting to know one another and make lots of new friends. We talk about our families and homes. We explore our feelings and how to express these using the zones of regulation. We begin exploring our new learning environment and think about what it means to be a 'good learner' using our three learning dinosaurs. We will also begin to think about the season of Autumn.

Key Texts



The Big Question?

Who am I and how do I learn?



Autumn 1

Maths-

Count objects, actions and sounds and recognise small numbers without counting.

Literacy-

Develop their phonological awareness, so that they can: spot and suggest rhymes, recognise words with the same initial sound, such as money and mother.

Begin to recognise and identify letters in their name.

Understanding of the World-

Name and describe people who are familiar to them.

Understand the effect of changing seasons on the natural world around them.

Expressive Art & Design-

Explore colour using a variety of different media. Engage in imaginative play with others.

R.E

Our big question is... Who made the wonderful world? (Creation). We begin to explore and talk about the Bible, the story of Creation, the natural world around us, the church and Harvest festival.

Personal, Social, Emotional Development-

See themselves as a valuable individual.

Express their feelings and consider the feelings of others.

Communication & Language -

Understand how to listen carefully and why listening is important.

Learn rhymes, poems and songs.

Engage in story times.

Physical Development-

Progress towards a more fluent style of moving, with developing control and grace.

Develop their small motor skills so that they can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently.