

Celebrations

Reception Autumn Term 2

Communication and Language

Listening to and re- telling stories
Asking and answering questions
Using descriptive language
Making predictions

Knowledge and Understanding of the World

Seasonal Changes in Autumn
Exploring traditional and cultural celebrations
Bonfire Night, Remembrance Day, Birthdays
Hanukkah
The Christmas Story

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Talking to the group
Taking turns
Listening to others
Finding our own resources
Working independently

Literacy

Blending and segmenting simple words and reading captions
Writing birthday invitations and Christmas cards
Drawing and labelling pictures



Expressive Art and Design

Painting Autumn and Firework pictures
Singing songs playing percussion instruments with increasing control
Poppy Arts and crafts
Creating Christmas cards and decorations

Mathematics

Recognising and exploring the composition of numbers 1,2 and 3.
Finding one more or one less
Using mathematical language to describe 2D shapes.
Recognising and creating more complex patterns
Creating symmetrical patterns.

Physical Development

Consolidating our pencil grip
Forming letters correctly
Moving confidently in a range of different ways – running, jumping, skipping climbing
Learning to balance
Keeping warm and safe outside in winter
Healthy Eating

Reminders

Please remember to label all items of uniform and PE kit.
Please read with your child every day.
Water only in named bottles please!

Entry point – Sparklers! Friday 3rd November
Exit point – Christmas craft day, Friday 8th December

If you have any questions or would like some more information about our topic, please message us on Class Dojo.

Adaptable

Communicator

Ethical

Thinker

Empathetic

Respectful

Resilient

Collaborator