Reception Summer Two Curriculum Map

Wriggle & Crawl

Mathematical development

Maths this half term we will begin to explore addition by using a first, then, now sentence. We will then introduce addition number sentences using visuals to represent each number. The same process will be repeated with subtraction. We will also continue to learn about 2D shapes, identifying them within a picture and recognising shapes at different orientations. There will also be opportunities to revisit and consolidate previously taught mathematical concepts in readiness for Year One.

Reading and writing

In Phonics we will be revisiting previously taught graphemes and focusing on CCC onset, compound, polysyllabic and high frequency words. This half term we will base our writing on two texts, 'Katie and the Sunflowers' by James Mayhew and 'The Proudest Blue' by Ibtihaj Muhammad. We will writing recognisinble letters, spelling words by identifying sounds and writing simple phases and sentences that can be read by others.

Personal, social and emotional development

This half term we will focus on understanding what we can do to have a healthy lifestyle. We will learn about the things needed to have a healthy body, name and talk about foods they like and dislike and understand why exercise is good for our bodies.

Communication and language development
This half term we will be encouraging the children to express their ideas and

feelings about the experiences they have had this year, using full sentences, including the use of the past, present and future tense. We will also further develop their conversational skills, using back and forth exchanges with their teachers and peers.

Expressive arts and design

This half term we will using drawings to tell a story from experience and imagination. We will also be using a range of tools to make coloured marks on paper for our snail spin paintings and constructing our very own bug hotels. Our Music focus this half term is '20th Century Music' where country music, big band music and beatboxing will be explored. The features of music will then inform their own compositions.

Physical development

This half term children will practise a range of skills, learning how to throw, run and jump in different ways.

The children's learning will be linked to a range of Olympic sports and to finish the unit they will take part in an Olympic multi-skills competition. Not forgetting our very own sports afternoon!

Understanding the world

with a focus on minibeasts. We will be classifying them into different groups and learning about the lifecycle of a butterfly. Our R.E. question this half term is, 'Which stories are special and why?' where we will introduce the Christian holy book, the Bible and the Muslim holy book, the Qu'ran.