

Parent Information
Foundation Stage 2
Autumn Term: All about me/Real life heroes/Diwali

Physical

- Hold a pencil correctly
- Use the pencil with good control
- Travel safely being aware of others around them
- Finding their own space
- Travelling around a space with good control of their body
- Dress / undress independently

Literacy

- Recognise the sounds of the letters of the alphabet
- Segment and blend sounds they hear
- Segment and blend 3 letter sounds to read simple words
- Form letters correctly
- Write their name
- Write some sounds they can hear

Communication and language

- Listen carefully to stories and talk what happens in them
- Taking turns in conversations and listen to what others are saying
- Talk about the changes that happen in Autumn
- Use talk to ask for help or sort a problem out in the classroom e.g. 'Can you play with me?', 'Can you let me have a turn please?' 'Please don't knock my model down'.

Personal, Social and Emotional

- Know and follow the rules and routines of the classroom
- Form different friendships within the classroom
- Keep our classroom tidy and use the classroom equipment with care
- Be kind to each other – using kind words and hands.

**ALL
ABOUT
ME!**



Understanding the world

- Talk about what they have enjoyed experiencing with their families and friends
- Talk about special occasions e.g. birthdays, weddings, holidays
- Find out about the changes that happen in Autumn
- Find out about Diwali and how people celebrate this festival

Mathematics

- Count objects one at a time carefully by counting each one as they say the number
- Recognise numbers 1 to 10
- Count a group of objects and match the number to the amount in the group
- Find 'one more' than when counting objects.
- Recognise a triangle, square, rectangle and circle and say how many sides they have.

Expressive arts and design

- Explore mixing colours together
- Use different materials to make and connect models together
- Learn new songs to sing
- Explore making different sounds with musical instruments
- Use imagination to act out stories or to pretend to be someone else e.g. fire fighters

How you can help at home.....

- Practise learning the 'Learn it's' sent home for home learning
- Talk about what has happened in stories or books of interest once you have read with them
- Help to complete the learning log activities
- Encourage your child to talk about what has happened at school
- Remember to sign the 'Home Reader' book when your child has finished reading it.