

Religious Education

Creation and covenant

- To understand that the bible is a special book
- To recognise and know that God created the world and said 'indeed it is good.'
- To know that I am unique and created with love
- To know that God's gift of creation is a gift of love.
- To know how to be a steward of God's world
- To understand that at baptism we join God's family

Communication and Language

Children will use Talk 4 Writing to listen to, role play, write about and understand the story of '*Handa's surprise, 'The Gruffalo' and 'We're going on a leaf hunt'.*

Children will be given opportunities to share their interests with the class, learn essential listening skills and understand why listening is important.

Personal, Social and Emotional development (including relationship education)

Children will learn that they are special and loved by God. They will explore their own identity, begin to understand and express their emotions, build positive relationships with others, and learn to follow routines and class expectations.

Children will:

- explore their identity, interests, and what makes them unique
- learn to recognise and talk about feelings
- understand that their actions can affect how others feel
- practise daily routines and develop good hygiene habits.

Maths

Reception will be using the 'White Rose' scheme of learning, focussing on:

Match, sort, compare- Children will learn skills in matching images, sorting objects in a variety of ways and comparing quantities.

Measure- Children will be introduced to the concepts of mass, size and capacity and be given several opportunities to consolidate their understanding of these concepts.

Number- Children will develop a deep understanding of numbers to 3.



Reception Autumn 1

All about me



Literacy

Children will participate in the school Read Write Inc. Phonics program each day to develop their reading and writing skills and will take home books to match their phonics knowledge.

Children will be given opportunities to retell stories through role play and props, and be given the skills to follow simple picture recipes.

Children will learn to form their letters accurately and will learn to recognise and practise writing their names.

Understanding the World

Children will begin to develop an understanding of themselves and others through the "All About Me" topic. They will share personal experiences, celebrate differences, and explore their local environment. Outdoor learning will support sensory exploration and provide opportunities for observing the weather, encouraging curiosity and laying the foundations for scientific thinking.

- Explore and talk about families, homes, and what makes us unique
- Recognise similarities and differences between themselves and others
- Develop a sense of identity and belonging through personal experiences
- Engage in outdoor play to explore the natural world using their senses
- Observe and record changes in the weather to build early scientific skills

Physical development

Children will be given opportunities to develop their fine motor skills through continuous provision and handwriting tasks.

Children will participate in weekly Sport sessions with our Fulham football coach to develop gross motor, coordination and strength.

Children will also begin to participate in weekly gymnastics sessions with their class teacher.

Children will also be given opportunities to participate in yoga and supported to develop gross motor, agility and strength skills through play.

Expressive Arts and Design

Children will learn to use a wide provision of tools, learning how to use these safely and for different purposes. They will also be encouraged to explore techniques to express their ideas and creativity. They will have opportunities to experiment with colour, texture, and form through painting, collage, model-making, and drawing.

Opportunities will be given for children to develop their own narrative through role play using our café and bedroom role play areas.

Children will participate in weekly music sessions with Miss Howard to explore body percussion and the many different sounds we can make.