

Communication and Language

Key vocabulary: doctor, nurse, firefighter, police officer, dentist, paramedic, Talk to your child about the words above and what they mean. Discuss with your child the different jobs people do and the people who help us in our lives, such as doctors, and teachers. Talk about the future, including their next step at school and what they might like to be when they grow up.

When I grow up...

Key questions: How do people help us? Who has helped me? What could I be when I grow up?

Literacy - Our Key texts this half term will be: **I Am Brown - Real Super Heroes - A Super Hero Like You.**

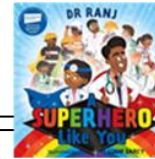
Reading to your child is so important. Sharing stories and talking about what has happened in the story and what they can see in the pictures will support their learning.

Hooks/ Special Events

Visit from the **Police, The dentist, The fire services**

Transition Day

Celebration of the Year - **Stay and Play**



Personal, Social, Emotional Development

We will be learning about ourselves and who we are, what makes us special. How we are different and how we are similar to each other? We will be talking about when we were babies and how we have changed.

Math's We will be: comparing more and less, counting amounts, ordering numerals to 5, and building and splitting numbers in different ways. We will also be developing an in-depth understanding of which number comes next and which number comes before 1-5.

Please practice recognizing numbers to 5 at home. You can talk to your child about **more and less** by using small toys and objects?

Physical Development

We will continue to develop our fine and gross motor skills indoors and outdoors. We will explore activities to help develop our fine-motor muscles in our fingers to help support our pencil grip. We will also develop our confidence in moving our bodies in variety of different ways.

At home, you could encourage your child to become more independent with toileting and handwashing, as well as practising putting on and fastening their own shoes and coats.

My Happy Minds – Engage

The children will be learning how to manage their feelings and behaviour. They will be encouraged to keep trying and not give up when they find something difficult. We will also be talking about starting their new Reception class, the changes this will bring, and how these changes may make them feel.

Understanding The World

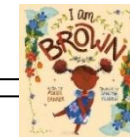
People, Culture and Communities- We will be learning about people who help us in the community such as Doctors, Firefighters and Paramedics. We will learn about how everyone is different and special.

Past and present- We will be reflecting on changes in our lifetime, such as how we used to be a baby as well as events in our school year so far.

The Natural World- We will learn about our bodies and caring for our teeth. We will learn about our senses. We will continue to notice changes in the season as we head into Summer.

Expressive arts:

The children will be encouraged to develop their cutting skills, create their own ideas, build with different materials, use sticking tools independently, and identify more colours. They will also be encouraged to make up stories in their play, act out stories with small world toys, and to perform songs and dances. Our Artist Inspiration this half term is Claud Monet. Sing or listen to nursery rhymes with your child and ask them to do the actions.



How can you help at home?

- Read- Chat- Play - The best way to help your child with their learning is to read to them, talk to them (about everything you are doing and things around them) and play with them as much as you can. You could plant a seed, water it every day and watch it grow.
 - As always, we will share pictures on dojo of our learning. Please add pictures to dojo. 5 Dojo points will be awarded for all pictures sent. We would love to hear about your child's 'Wow' moments at home. We will be creating a special 'At Home' display to celebrate our home learning.