



RECEPTION SPRING ONE – WHAT WILL YOUR CHILD LEARN THIS HALF TERM?

Topic: Let's be healthy Key Question: How do we learn through play?



LITERACY

MATHEMATICS

UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD

EXPRESSIVE ARTS & DESIGN

Focus will be placed on:

Reading for comprehension, understanding a story and what the children are reading. How to answer questions based on a story and think about what is being read not just reading the words. Unjumbling sentences to understand how a sentence is formed.

Topics based on: winter, snow, ice and dark nights, food and cooking instructions and recipes.

Focus will be placed on:

Children will start to look at some simple addition and subtraction through various methods including songs, rhymes and practical activities before writing a sum and looking at how it is formed.

Pupils will be engaged in:

Discussing what they may have done over the holidays and where they like to travel to. Children will also look at various celebrations including Chinese new year.

Children will look at foods from around the world and what grows around this time of year, as well as

planting some vegetables of their own

and watching the process from seed

to plant.

Pupils will be:

Making a plate of healthy food Making lanterns/dragons for Chinese new year Drawing and cleaning germs/teeth Valentine's day crafts

PERSONAL SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Children will be developing skills in:

Resolving conflicts in a positive manner and using the zones of regulation to help explain and understand their thoughts and feelings. They will continue to look at sharing and taking turns within their play and how they can help others who are finding it difficult to follow the rules.

We will also do a lot of discussion about healthy and unhealthy foods as well as the importance of keeping healthy through exercise, dental hygiene and general health such as going to the doctors.

PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

Pupils will be engaged in:

Practising their letter formation through various forms of writing, moving in various ways during P.E and taking part in some team games and looking importance of listening and following instructions. at the o Healthy habits such as exercise, cleaning our teeth, regular check-ups at the doctors and putting coats on/off independently.

COMMUNICATION & LANGUAGE

Focus will be placed on:

Talking to our friends and using language to help solve conflicts, using kind language. Relevent topic words and vocabulary to help broaden the children's knowledge with history, geography and science.

PHONICS SOUNDS & TRICKY WORDS

Focus will be placed on:

Initial sounds: J, B, W, X, Z.

High frequency words: it, is, on, in. Tricky words: to, go, he, she, the.

Digraph: sh and ch.

Looking at sentence formation (capital letters and full stops) and segmenting sounds to write regular words.