





<p>The second half of the Autumn term is always a special time in Reception. We continue with adult-led daily sessions in literacy, maths and phonics as well as continuing our learning independently in free-flow provision. There are several visitors this half term, as well as exciting sequences of learning planned by our teachers. Read below for the outline of our curriculum plans and please check tapestry to see the photos. We warmly invite you to join us for our EYFS Nativity on December 8th. Tickets will be available nearer the time.</p>			
English Key texts	<p>In STEM week, we will explore a range of texts to help deepen our understanding of nocturnal animals.</p>	 <p>Anansi the Spider by Gerald McDermott</p>	 <p>Send for a Superhero by Michael Rosen & Katharine McEwan</p>
Maths	<p>Representing, comparing and composition of 1,2,3 Circles and triangles Positional language Representing numbers to 5 One more and one less Shapes with 4 sides</p>		
Personal, Social and Emotional Development <i>Prime area</i>	<p>Jigsaw 2.Celebrating Difference This unit emphasises the importance of respecting ourselves and others. We will be exploring similarities between us, and the qualities that make us unique.</p>		
Communication and Language <i>Prime area</i>	<p>Talking about themselves Maintaining attention Listening to others</p>		
Physical Development <i>Prime area</i>	<p>Gymnastics 1 Fundamentals 1</p>		
Knowledge and understanding of the world	Past and Present	<p>Can I talk about past and present events?</p>	
	People, Culture and Communities	<p>RE: Special Times 1 Bonfire Night, Remembrance Sunday, Diwali, Christmas</p>	
	The Natural World	<p>Using our senses STEM week nocturnal animals</p>	
	<i>Geography link</i>	<p>What's it like where I live? What is a map?</p>	
	Computing and Technology	<p>Awesome Autumn- Leaf Garlands</p>	
Expressive Arts and Design	<p>Art and Design-Painting and Colour Focus Artist: Judith Ann Braun Design Technology- Craft a card Charanga Music- My Stories</p>		
Visits and Trips	<p>Avtar Indian Dance Workshop RSPCA Hedgehog workshop</p>		
Ideas for families to add to Tapestry	<p><i>Record your child reciting a rhyme they know.</i> <i>Add a photo of a different place they have visited. (e.g. city, seaside, forest)</i></p>		
Parents and Carers	<p>Please come and watch our Christmas Nativity. Reception and Nursery Nativity Friday 8th December 2.15pm</p>		