

### Characteristics of Learning

#### **Playing and exploring - engagement**

Finding out and exploring.  
Playing with what they know.  
Being willing to 'have a go'.

#### **Active learning - motivation**

Being involved and concentrating.  
Keeping trying.  
Enjoying achieving what they set out to do.

#### **Creating and thinking critically - thinking**

Having their own ideas.  
Making links.  
Choosing ways to do things.

### Communication and Language

I will be learning to talk about myself using describing words such as tall, short.

I will be imagining and recreating roles in real life family situations and fictional stories.

I will be asking questions to get to know my friends in my class.

I will be talking about my family.

I will be thinking about sequence of events in stories and saying what happened in the beginning, middle and end.

### Literacy

I will be learning to recognise and write my name.

I will be reading a range of fiction books.

I will be learning different sounds that letters make. (phonics)

I will be learning to write familiar words such as mum, dad. I will be writing about my family.

I will be learning to write for a purpose e.g. making lists, labelling pictures.

#### **Books**

- Titch
- Peace at Last
- Funnybones
- Favourite nursery rhymes
- Only one you
- All are welcome

### Expressive Arts and Design

I will be drawing pictures of myself using mirrors.

I will be drawing pictures of my family.

I will be thinking about colours and using them appropriately in my pictures.

I will be using a range of objects to print with e.g. shoes, hands.

I will be learning new songs to help me in my learning.

I will be roleplaying in the mud kitchen.

I will be acting out stories with puppets.

I will be using a range of materials to make collages and models.



# This is Me!



### Understanding of the World

I will be learning about where I live - England.

I will be using ipads to help me in my learning.

I will be using all five senses to investigate the world around me.

I will be recognising similarities and differences between myself and others.

I will be learning about Autumn.

I will be going on walks around the school to observe seasonal change.

I will be learning about different parts of the body.

### Mathematics

I will be learning to count, recognise and order numbers to 5 then above to 10.

I will be learning to match numbers to quantities of groups to at least 5 and beyond.

I will be learning to say the number one more/less than a given number up to 5.

I will be learning to relate addition to combining two or more groups of objects.

I will be learning to name and describe simple 2D.

I will be learning to create repeating patterns.

### Personal, Social & Emotional Development

I will be creating class rules with my friends.

I will be participating in turn taking games.

I will be trying out new activities independently and select resources independently.

I will be learning routines of the school day.

I will be learning to think about the feelings of others.

I will be learning and talking about my family and other people who are important to me.

I will be thinking about occasions/events special to themselves and other.

### Physical Development

I will be using tools safely.

I will be learning about how to be healthy.

I will be describing the changes my body after being active.

I will be moving with control and co-ordination over, under, through various small apparatus.

I will be using a range of small and large equipment.

I will be using a range of malleable materials in my play.

I will be preparing a range of healthy snacks using good hygiene.