

St Margaret's Church of England Primary - Curriculum Overview - Autumn Term 1st half

Marvellous Me!

Communication and Language	Physical Development	Personal, Social and Emotional Development
<p>Children will draw pictures of interest and talk about what they have drawn. They will discuss their favourite things and play games that encourage them to describe each other's features, characteristics, qualities and what makes them special.</p>	<p>The focus this term will be on the children's fine motor skills; holding a pen/pencil correctly and starting to form recognisable letters and understand the importance of looking after themselves and keeping fit and healthy.</p>	<p>In PSED we will be focusing on settling into school, forming new friendships and knowing and understanding the school expectations and routines. We will explore and discuss different feelings and emotions.</p>
Literacy	Mathematics	Understanding the World
<p>This term we will be doing lots of oral storytelling, role play and discussing story structures. Children will begin to learn about story maps and will enjoy learning about rhyme and rhythm in stories. Children will have opportunities to 'hot seat' characters from stories.</p>	<p>The focus for maths this term will be number recognition, number counting and shape. Children will play ordering, matching and missing number games with numbers 0-10. We will continue to explore Ten Town Maths to help us with our learning.</p>	<p>We will look at maps of the local area and identify our school in relation to their home. Carry out surveys and sort physical features into categories and present information in tables and charts. Children will learn about the human body and skeleton and label the different parts.</p>
Expressive Arts and Design	Religious Education	Other key information
<p>We will learn a variety of songs linked to our topic 'Marvellous Me' and use musical instruments as an accompaniment to the song. Children will create portraits and collages using a range of media.</p>	<p>This half term in R.E the children will be learning all about the festival of harvest and 'I am Special.' We will be learning all about the importance of being kind and thoughtful towards others.</p>	<p>There is a 'voluntary' donation of £1.00 each week. This helps towards providing extra resources such as ingredients for playdough, baking and to follow the children's interests. Please ensure that your child's name is on all their uniform/belongings.</p>

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