

Communication and Language

Daily storytime and rhymetime.

Children will develop an understanding of simple concepts.

Children will begin to use longer sentences of four to six words.

Children will understand simple questions about who, what and where.

Children will have daily opportunities to join in with class discussions.

Key vocab: special, unique, different, similar, autumn, season, family, home, celebration, body, tall, short, Bible, creation, God.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Children will have daily opportunities to get to know their peers and develop positive relationships.

Children will have opportunities to develop their confidence.

Children will learn that we are all individuals and that we are all special.

Children will learn that our bodies were created by God and are good.

Children will learn about different people in their home and school community.

Children will learn about people who can help us.

Physical Development

Daily Dough Disco and fine motor activities.

Children will explore the outdoor area.

Children will start eating independently and learn how to use a knife and fork.

Children will start to use small motor skills to do things independently.

PE: Introduction to PE - running, jumping, throwing, catching, rolling, skipping.

Literacy

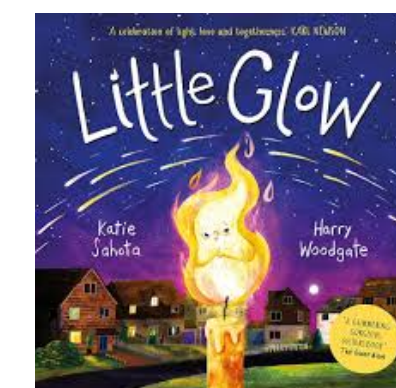
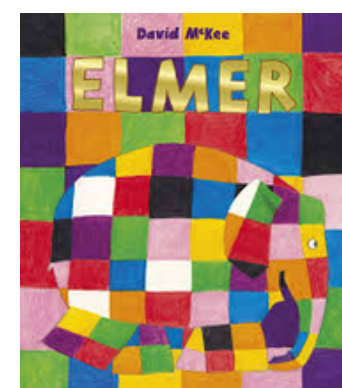
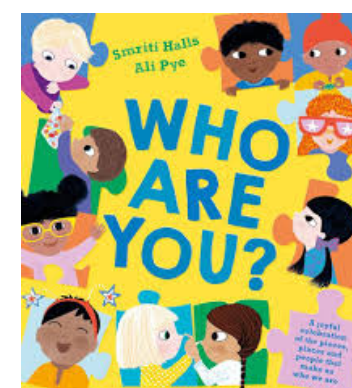
Children will enjoy drawing freely.

Children will give meaning to marks.

Children will start to recognise their name.

Phonics: Phase 1 - developing phonological awareness by tuning in to sounds.

NURSERY AUTUMN 1 TOPIC MAP - HOMES AND COMMUNITIES



Expressive Arts and Design

Children will make marks using different tools.

Children will draw from observation - self-portraits.

Children will use different materials to build houses.

Children will learn and sing nursery rhymes and action songs.

Children will explore sounds using voices and bodies.

Children will use untuned instruments to explore dynamics and tempo.

Children will use props and puppets to retell stories.

Music - Exploring sounds using our voices, bodies and instruments.

Understanding the World

Children will learn about our bodies and body parts.

Children will talk about who they live with and their families.

Children will talk about and explore different houses.

Children will explore our similarities and differences.

Children will learn about autumn seasonal changes.

RE: Creation and Covenant - story of Creation, Sign of the Cross and the Bible.

Mathematics

Children will learn accurate and consistent counting to 5.

Children will understand and use specific attributes to compare height (tall and short).

Children will understand and use simple language of position (in, on, under, next to).

Children will explore rotating and flipping objects to make a match.

Children will sort by colour.