

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Separate from parents/carers
- Learn nursery routines
- Following class rules
- Select resources independently
- Try new activities
- Make new friendships
- Build relationships with adults



Nursery

Autumn Curriculum Overview

Communication and Language

- Listen for short periods of time
- Answer simple questions
- Communicate during role play

Literacy

- Recognise own name
- Self-registration / find coat peg/ tray
- Listen to a story
- Make marks and talk about their picture
- Fine motor skills

Theme:

Autumn 1 - Animals & Fairy tales

Autumn 2 - Celebrations

Mathematics

- Sing number rhymes
- Count to 10 saying numbers in order
- To compare big and small objects
- To begin to explore simple 2-D shapes

Understanding the World

- Talk about family
- Talk about interests
- Join in with celebrations eg Diwali, Christmas
- Naming and sorting animals

Physical Development

- Begin to use the toilet independently
- Wash hands
- Put coats on
- Gross motor movements
- Begin to use tools such as scissors
- Begin to use mark making tools effectively
- Have the opportunity to explore malleable and sensory materials

Expressive Art and Design

- Sing a variety of songs
- Move to music
- Opportunities to paint/ print
- Learn colour names
- Role play opportunities