Autumn Term 1 – Reception
Tell me a story

Prime Areas

Communication & Language:
We will be learning to:
- listen to each other one to one or in small groups
- remember each other's names and follow instructions
- retell familiar stories using story language.

Personal, Social and Emotional development:
We will be learning to:
- use and share equipment
- follow the golden rules and learn about being a good friend
- share and take turns and learn class routines
- use the toilets independently

Physical development:
We will be learning to:
- hold a pencil correctly, experiment with mark making and begin to write their names
- use control and co-ordination in large and small movements
- move confidently in a range of ways, safely negotiating space

Specific Areas

Literacy:
We will be:
- listening to and learning about different familiar stories
- encouraged to join in with these stories through role play, using puppets and story sacks, by sequencing stories and making their own story maps
- learning how to recognise their names
- learning some letter sounds

Maths:
We will be:
- learning to count with one to one correspondence
- sorting objects into a range of groups and talk about how they have grouped them
- learning number rhymes
- exploring the numbers 1, 2 and 3
- learning about shapes and looking for these in the local environment.



Understanding the World:
We will be:
- exploring our school and learning about who helps us
- discussing the similarities and differences between our families, home lives and cultures
- looking for signs of Autumn

Expressive Arts and Design:
We will be:
- making self-portraits
- drawing and painting
- singing and dancing to familiar songs and performing our favourite stories and nursery rhymes to our friends