COME FLY WITH ME AND CELEBRATIONS

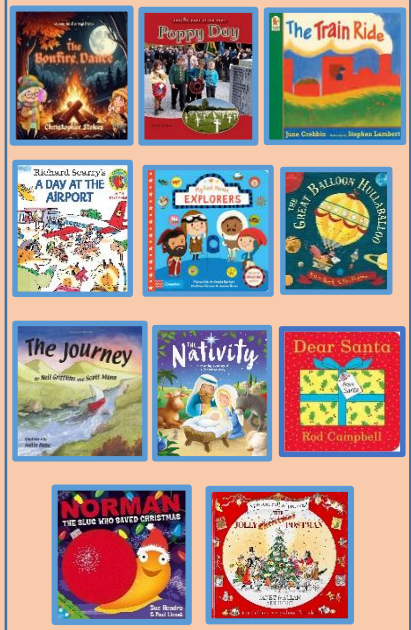


Reception – Autumn 2



Look at the fun activities we will be joining in with this half term

Key Text



Literacy

- Learning letter sounds each day.
- Practising writing the letter sounds that we have learned.
- Practising tracing, copying and writing our first names.
- Writing the initial and other sounds in words to label pictures.
- Drawing and writing about what we would like for Christmas.



Understanding the World



- Learn about Bonfire Night
- Fizzy firework experiment
- Learning about Remembrance Day
- Learning about famous explorers
- Talking about and comparing places such as airports, motorways and train stations
- Exploring which materials are best when creating a boat
- Exploring floating and sinking
- Learning the Christmas Story

Rhymes and Songs

- Bonfire Night
- The wheels on the bus
- Twinkle Twinkle little star
- The big ship sails…
- We wish you a Merry Christmas
- Nativity songs



Poems

- Brilliant things
- Grey wet play day
- Whizz around the playground
- Brum Brum
- Planes



Maths

- Learning about circles, triangles, squares and rectangles
- Understanding and describing positions
- Learning all about 4, 5 – recognizing it, representing it with items, showing them in different ways, compaing the amounts
- Understanding day and night
- Comparing mass and capacity
- Using Numberblocks and Ten Town characters to help us



Physical Development



- PE - Fundamentals
- Learning to balance
- To develop running and stopping safely
- To develop changing directions
- To develop safe jumping and hopping
- To explore different ways of moving when using equipment
- Fine motor skills - threading, scissor skills and learning how to hold our pencil correctly using a tripod hold.



Expressive Arts and Design

- Creating firework scenes
- Creating poppies using different materials
- Painting pictures of different types of vehicles
- Collaging a hot air balloon as a group
- Creating model aeroplanes
- Creating a calendar
- Creating cards
- Baking Christmas themed cakes





Communication and Language

We have plenty of opportunity to talk

- Talking about ourselves and our family
- Circle time
- Word of the week
- Once upon a picture
- Snack time
- Continuous provision
- Planned activities - key vocabulary
- Story time

