Literacy

Here Comes Jack Frost / Lost & Found

We will be using our phonics to write our wishes, label a picture, write facts and cards. We shall also learn about non-fiction books, understanding that non-fiction provides factual information with real photos.





Understanding the World

Climate and Animals

We shall be exploring frost, ice and maybe snow! As well as learning about places in the world that are also cold and the animals that live there.



Communication and Language

We will learn the importance of careful listening, ask questions for more information, discuss stories for better understanding and retell them using sequence-related words like 'first' and 'next'.

Expressive Arts and Design

Winter and Chinese New Year

We will engage in art projects inspired by Winter as well as Chinese New Year traditions like painting dragons, making lanterns and crafting red envelopes.



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Reception Curriculum

Spring 1

This half term
our topic is:
Winter & Arctic
Animals

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Dreams and Goals

We will be setting goals and identifying successes and achievements. We shall be developing independence in our play and learning and also practise putting on socks, tights and shoes correctly.

Support your child at home:

Why not create a mask of an arctic animal using a paper plate, paint and collage materials? You could also read stories about Winter together.

Enrichment

Shrove Tuesday

We shall be making pancakes for Shrove Tuesday!

Maths

Number / Mass & Capacity / Length, Height & Time

Alive is 5: Introducing zero.

Mass & Capacity: Comparing mass and capacity

Growing 6, 7, 8: Finding, representing, and understanding 6, 7, and 8, along with 1 more/1 less, composition, and pairing odd/even numbers, as well as doubling and combining groups.

Length, Height & Time: Exploring, comparing, and talking about length and height, and ordering and sequencing time.



Physical Education

Dance

We will develop spatial awareness, navigate safely around others and equipment.

