English

Our Little Wandle phonics lessons will continue 4 days a week this term and your child will continue to develop their understanding of sounds through listening activities. This half term we are reading; There's a bear on my chair by Ross Collins, Where's my Teddy by Jez Alborough and That's not my Santa by Fiona Watt. We will explore each text through a range of learning activities.

Please see our reading newsletter for information about our Author of the Month.

Forest School

Forest School will continue this term on Thursday Mornings. Please make sure children have a waterproof coat and wellies to wear as the weather becomes cooler over the next weeks.

Our Theme for this term is "Were Going on a Leaf Hunt".

Expressive arts and design

This term we will be exploring different Nursery Rhymes in Music, exploring modelling with clay using our hands and a wide range of tools in Art. We will also be continuing to explore a range of foods with our senses in Food Technology.

Maths

In Maths this half term we will be focusing on counting, sequencing and ordering numbers using counting songs and a range of activities. We will be exploring different sized and shaped objects.

We will be exploring prepositional language "in" and "on" and will continue to explore spatial awareness in the classroom and elsewhere around school.

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Understanding The World

In Understanding of the World, we will exploring different materials.

We will be exploring different weathers and the observing changes in season from Autumn to Winter, looking at the different clothing we would wear during these seasons.

We will be exploring different cultural events and Special Days such as Remembrance Day, Diwali and Christmas!

Physical Development

This term we will be exploring Gymnastics and Dance; copying actions from adults and our peers, moving to different types of music in a range of ways We will also continue to practise action songs in class daily throughout the day.

Some children will be going swimming on Wednesdays. A note will be put in Communication books if your child needs to bring in swimwear and a swim nappy.

All children will be going to Soft Play this half term.

PSED

In PSED we will be exploring "Celebrations" We will be looking at the different Celebrations at this time of year.

Engagement

Visits into the community continue across the term. We will be using our topic of "Colour and Light" to explore the local environment and identify the different colours and lights associated with different celebrations.

We will also be paying attention to the different weathers we experience on community visits and how we may dress differently to experience them.