

<p>English</p> <p>Our Little Wandle phonics lessons will continue 4 days a week and your child will continue to develop their listening skills through games, songs, rhymes, and sensory massage. This half term our focus text will be 'About a Bear!' by Holly Surplice We will explore the text through a range of sensory activities.</p> <p>Please see our reading newsletter for information about our Author of the Month.</p>	<p>Maths</p> <p>In Maths this half term we will be using our fine and gross motor skills along with visual and sensory skills to explore objects, space, shape and number.</p> <p>Our number song for January is 'Five Little Penguins'. You can listen and sing along with your child at:</p> <p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=PXf77YM5PrM</p>	<p>Sensory Science</p> <p>We will be exploring 'Light and Dark' in further detail using a range of resources to create different effects. We will continue to explore a range of lights and colours within our Positive Looking environment.</p>
<p>Physio</p> <p>All pupils with a Physio programme will continue to follow these each week.</p> <p>Rebound sessions will take place throughout the week and some pupils will take part in Hydrotherapy sessions on Wednesday mornings.</p>	<p>Curriculum Newsletter</p> <p>Spring Term 2025 First Half</p> <p>Rainbow Class</p>  <p>'Celebration'</p>	<p>PSHE and RE</p> <p>This term we will continue to ask 'What do people Celebrate?' We will look at more festivals including Chinese New Year, Valentine's Day and birthdays.</p>
<p>Sensory Art</p> <p>This term, we will continue to experience and explore sensory art activities using different media associated with the festivals we are learning about. We will look at colours associated with Valentine's Day – red and pink.</p>	<p>Music</p> <p>We will have opportunities to listen to different styles of music including traditional Chinese music, and celebration music. We will also have a go at making our own sounds as music.</p>	<p>Knowledge and Understanding of the world.</p> <p>We will explore shadows through cause & effect, hands-on experiments and investigations.</p> <p>We will learn more about different cultures and things that people celebrate and experience things from different celebrations.</p>
		<p>Sensory Cooking</p> <p>We will explore the kinds of foods people eat to celebrate Chinese New Year and Valentine's Day and have the opportunity to cook a variety of foods.</p>