



Southill Primary School

Reception - Spring (2) 2020

Prime Areas:


Using talk to organise, sequence and clarify thinking, ideas, feelings and events. Use language to imagine and recreate roles and experiences in play. Show confidence to try new activities and talk about likes and dislikes. Handle equipment and tools effectively, including pencils for writing. Play cooperatively as part of a group.

Literacy and Maths:

Write name, labels and captions as well as simple sentences in meaningful contexts. Read and understand simple sentences in meaningful contexts. Understand how numbers can be made by combining smaller numbers, including zero. Use real-life objects and familiar contexts to explore composition of numbers to 10. Use everyday language to talk about position. Explore characteristics of everyday objects and shapes.

Expressive arts and Design/Understanding the World:

Construct with a purpose in mind, using a variety of resources. Manipulate materials. Introduce a storyline into their play. Look closely at similarities, differences patterns and change. Talk about present/past events in own lives and lives of family members.



Explore worlds of castles, dragons, magic, minibeasts, animals and the ocean through the stories of Julia Donaldson. Titles include Zog, The Princess and the Wizard, Superworm, Room on the Broom and The Highway Rat. Experiences could include construction challenges, exploring shape, colour mixing, making wands, large artwork and creating story scenes. We will find out about Julia as an author and watch video clips of her reading stories and singing songs. We will also find out about Axel Scheffler as an illustrator. Let's see where our adventures take us!