

## Southill Primary School Reception – Autumn (2) 2021





# Sparkles and Celebrations





We will be exploring many things that sparkle – stars and the moon in the night sky, frost, snow and ice. There will also be many opportunities to experience and find out about ways of celebrating. We will find out about bonfire night, Diwali, Advent and Christmas. Children will continue to learn by playing, exploring, being active and through creative thinking both inside and outside the classroom. Your child will be learning skills, acquiring new knowledge and demonstrating their understanding across different areas of learning and development. Let's all enjoy some sparkle as we celebrate this half term.

#### Communication and Language

Ask questions to find out more and to check they understand what has been said to them.

Develop social phrases

Engage in story times/storytelling sessions.

#### Personal, Social and Emotional

#### **Development**

See themselves as a valuable individual.

Build constructive and respectful relationships.

Express their feelings and consider the feelings of others.

#### Physical Development

Revise and refine the fundamental movement skills they have already acquired: rolling, crawling, walking, jumping, running, hopping, skipping, climbing.

#### Literacy

Blend sounds into words, so that they can read short words made up of known letter-sound correspondences.

#### Maths

Numbers 1, 2 and 3 (representing, comparing and composition)

Circles and triangles. Shapes with 4 sides. Positional language.

Represent numbers to 5.

### **Understanding the World**

Recognise people have different beliefs & celebrate in different ways.

Recognise similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries.

Understand the effect of changing seasons on the natural world around them.

#### **Expressive Arts and Design**

Sing in a group or on their own, increasingly matching the pitch and following the melody.

Explore, use, and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings.