



<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Literacy</b></p> <p>This half term your child will be learning to:</p> <p><b>Nursery</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Enjoy listening to longer stories and remember much of what happens</li> <li>Answer simple questions about stories</li> </ul> <p><b>Reception</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understand what non-fiction and fiction means talk about the two text types</li> <li>Use events in a story to suggest what might happen next (with reasonable suggestions being made)</li> </ul> <p><b>How can you help your child at home?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Once you have read a story to your child recap what has happened and encourage them to help retell the story</li> <li>Talk to your child about what non-fiction and fiction means</li> </ul>		<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Mathematics</b></p> <p>This half term your child will be learning to:</p> <p><b>Nursery</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Count and label the numbers 1,2,3</li> <li>Explore position and routes</li> <li>Explore patterns</li> </ul> <p><b>Reception</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Subitise to 5</li> <li>Compare and explore mass, capacity and balance</li> <li>Make pairs</li> <li>Explore doubles</li> </ul> <p><b>How can you help your child at home?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Use language such as on top underneath to describe where something is</li> <li>Use language with your child like heavy and light full and empty when carrying something or playing in the bath</li> </ul>		<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Personal, Social and Emotional Development</b></p> <p>This half term your child will be learning to:</p> <p><b>Nursery</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Talk about my feelings</li> </ul> <p><b>Reception</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Understand who they can talk to when they are upset and begin to know some ways to calm themselves down if needed</li> </ul> <p><b>How can you help your child at home?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Name a range of emotions with your child such as happy, sad, angry and calm. You could also share the Colour Monster story with them <a href="#">THE COLOR MONSTER (ANIMATED)</a> <a href="#">#readaloud for children</a>   <a href="#">#storytime</a>   <a href="#">#animatedstories</a> <a href="#">#kindergarten</a>.</li> <li>Remind your child who they can speak to if they are feeling upset or worried</li> </ul>	
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Understanding of the World</b></p> <p>This half term your child will be learning to:</p> <p><b>Nursery</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explore the changing weather and seasons</li> </ul> <p><b>Reception</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Know the name of the road they live on and the name of the village where school is located</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Expressive Arts &amp; Design</b></p> <p>This half term your child will be learning to:</p> <p><b>Nursery</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Become more confident when drawing e.g. potato people</li> </ul> <p><b>Reception</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>About different songs and dances from around the world</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Physical Development</b></p> <p>This half term your child will be learning to:</p> <p><b>Nursery</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hold a pencil using a pincer grip</li> </ul> <p><b>Reception</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Begin to use scissors and other one handed tools correctly</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>Communication &amp; Language</b></p> <p>This half term your child will be learning to:</p> <p><b>Nursery</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recite a Nursery Rhyme from memory</li> </ul> <p><b>Reception</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Describing things through speech</li> </ul>		
<p><b>Useful Information</b></p> <p>P.E Days are Monday and Friday Forest School is on Tuesdays Reading Books and Library Books to be collected in on a Monday and given back out Friday</p>		<p><b>Useful Dates</b></p> <p>15/01/25- Moo Music Session for children 22/01/25 - Early Years Local Area Walk 27/01/25 - Road Safety Team in school to talk to the children about how to cross the road safely 29/01/25 - Chinese New Year 06/02/25 - Friends Fiesta Disco (a letter from BGF will be sent out about this) 11/12/02/25 Dogs Trust Session for children</p>			