

COMMUNICATION & LANGUAGE

Children will listen to and talk about selected non-fiction to develop a deep familiarity with new knowledge and vocabulary.

Children will listen to and talk about stories to build familiarity and understanding.

They will articulate their ideas and thoughts in well-formed sentences.

EXPRESSIVE ARTS & DESIGN

Children will begin to develop their colour-mixing techniques to enable them to match the colours they see and want to represent, with step-by-step guidance when appropriate.

Children will develop storylines in their pretend play.

UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD

Children will learn to recognise some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries
We will be learning how to use a map for information.
We will continue to celebrate different festivals such as Mother's Day, Chinese New Year and Easter



Ashtree Primary School & Nursery

Reception

Spring 1

I wonder... where we are?

Spring 2

I wonder... is anywhere different to here?

PSED

Children will continue to develop an understanding of their own feelings as well as considering the feelings and perspective of others around them.

Children will begin to manage their own personal hygiene with independence.

PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

Children will develop their fine motor skills so that they can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently.

Children will develop the foundations of a handwriting style which is fast, accurate and efficient.

LITERACY

Children will read simple phrases and sentences made up of words with known sounds and 'tricky words'.

Children will spell words and simple sentences using their phonic knowledge.

Children will read books to build up their confidence in: word reading, fluency, their understanding and enjoyment.

MATHS

Children will learn to:
Recognise, create and describe patterns.
Compare and classify objects using given criteria and own ideas.
Accurately count a set of items, give the value of the set and be able to compare this to the amounts in other sets.
Using quantities and objects, add and subtract two single-digit numbers and count on or back to find the answer

This term's values:
Pride
Community
Resilience

How you can help your child at home?

Read with your child at home, both their home reading book and library book.
Continue to support their independent skills such as zipping up their coats and washing their hands after the toilet.