

Autumn Term 1 2024 Marvellous Me

Key texts this half term

Focus Songs and Nursery Rhymes

Hush little baby

- There were 5 in the bed
 - Rock a-bye Baby
- Heads, shoulders, knees and toes
- Hush little baby don't you cry
 - Miss Polly had a Dolly

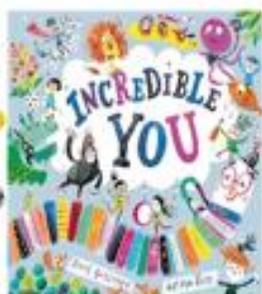
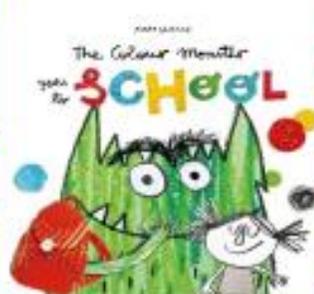
PSED – settling into school life, following rules and routines, managing own hygiene and establishing relationships with others.

C&L – listening and responding, making comments, participating in small group discussions, taking turns in discussions

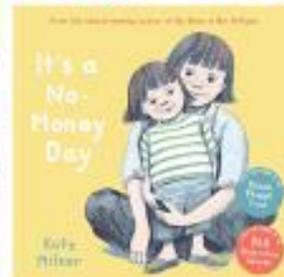
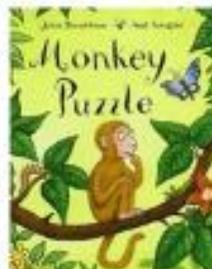
PD – Moving energetically – running, jumping, hopping, skipping. Using small tools such as scissors, paint brushes and cutlery.

UTW – Families/ celebrations and learning about the world around us. How do our families differ?

EAD – Mackenzie Thorpe (Artist of the half term), self portraits, drawing our families colour mixing, listening to 'Queen' – our music artists of the half term.



Across the half term, we will be focussing on families; Looking at how families have similarities and differences. How do families help us? What does it mean to be part of a family? Who lives in your house? What do you like to do with your family? How do I know I am loved?



Mathematics

Weeks 1 and 2 – Number songs, counting, number activities inside and outdoors

Week 3 – 0 and 1 – recognising the digits, looking at different representations e.g. Numicon, number lines

Week 4 – Number 2 – subitising, part/whole models, number formation – introduction of semi-circle

Weeks 5 – Number 3 – Numicon representation, subitising, part/whole models, triangles

Week 6/7 – Number 4 – representations of 4, Numicon, subitising, number bonds

Week 8 – Positional Language

Key vocabulary

Family, relatives, parents, siblings, cousins, friends, auntie, uncle, mum, dad, step – family, related, similar, different, belonging, relationships, safe, secure. Celebration, festival, religion, tradition, belief, culture, faith

World/ National Key dates to discuss:

22nd September – First Day of Autumn

October- Black History Month

2nd – 4th October – Rosh Hashanah

3rd October – National Poetry Day

4th October-World Smile Day

5th October- World Teachers' Day

6th October- Grandparents' Day and Harvest Festival

7th October – World Smile Day

Festivals/ Celebrations

Harvest – Sunday 6th
Halloween- 31st October

All school dates for school events and Stay and Play sessions please see the school newsletter

Artist of the half term – MacKenzie Thorpe

Musicians of the half term - Queen