

People who help us

Over this 2 week theme we will be talking about how we are all unique and different. We will celebrate that we all look different and can all do different things! We will be sharing what we want to be when we are older and using the book 'You Choose' for inspiration. We will be discussing people who help us, such as dentist, police and people within our school such as the office staff and premises officer. We will have a dress up day of who we want to be when we are older.

Wider Curriculum

Stunning Start: We will welcome the author 'Helen Baugh' who will be sharing her story "The Spots and The Dots" with the children. The book is an engaging and thought-provoking story which promotes inclusivity and understanding.

Fabulous Finish: We will have a very exciting visit from Worthing Fire Service who will be talking to us about their role as a fire fighter and informing us of ways to stay safe around fire.

Our World

Core Books

My World, Your World.

All Are Welcome

We All Belong

Incredible You!

Hats of Faith

Maths

I am learning to explore number composition to 10 and Count objects, actions and sounds.

In Maths this theme we will be focusing on using and applying our knowledge of numbers within 10 to solve addition and subtraction problems we will be learning how to make and combine two groups. To further develop our understanding of the 'total' amount of a calculation we will be exploring using the 'part, part, whole and using number frames.

I am learning to -Compare length, weight and capacity

We will be looking at length and height of objects and using non-standard units to measure including our outdoor and indoor environment.

Phonics

In Phonics, we will be learning the trigraph 'air' and the digraph 'er' .

We will also be reviewing the digraphs we learnt last term: qu ch, sh, th, ng, nk.

The tricky words we will be learning are: to, into, push and of.

Literacy

I am learning to spell words by identifying the sounds and then writing the sound with letter/s

We will be creating a list of all the ways that we are different and celebrating everything that makes us special. We talking about things and people whom we love and writing a sentence around this. During our writing activity, we will be focusing on hearing the sounds in order in each word, writing the sounds using the correct letter formation and remembering to use finger spaces.

Weekly Handwriting

Over the next two weeks, we will be learning to correctly form the 'down' letters: j, u, y, r, m, n

Communication and Language

I am learning to use new vocabulary in different contexts.

We will be talking about what makes us special, what can we do and are good at. We will be talking about the word 'unique' and what it means. We will be listening to our friends and celebrating what makes them unique. When sharing the book 'You Choose', we will be learning to use a range of connectives when sharing our ideas. For example, "I would choose to live in the igloo *because* I like cold weather."

Understanding the World—Community

I am learning to recognise familiar people around me

We will be thinking about roles in our community that are helpful. We will think about people around us who help when we need it and why they help us.

Physical Development

I am learning to develop strength, control and coordination.

We are working on holding our pen and forming our letters correctly each week with our handwriting.

We are continuing to move in different ways in PE. To stop and start and avoid bumping into obstacles.

We will be exploring ways of how we can jump, land and take off!

Expressive Art and Design

I am learning to create simple beat patterns

We will be exploring the different sounds we can make with our hands. We will be following different rhythms that are fast, slow, quiet and loud.

I am learning to create sounds using different instruments

We will be using different instruments and exploring the sounds they make as well as making our own musical instruments!

Personal Social Emotional Development

I am learning about privacy and how I can keep myself safe.

I am learning to notice differences and similarities between myself and my peers.

We will be looking at the NSPCC 'Pantasarus' song, discussing what privacy means, and how we can keep ourselves safe.

We will read 'The Spots and The Dots' and discuss ways in which we are similar and difference. This will help us to become more understanding and tolerant of others.

Understand the World—RE

I am learning that there are different religious groups in my country.

We will be sharing the book 'Hats of Faith' which will help us to develop understanding and respect different cultures and religions by showcasing various head coverings.

Understanding the World—Computing

I am learning to create and follow an obstacle course.

Using directional language, we are going to be creating and following a class obstacle course.