

# RECEPTION - SUMMER 1

## Come Outside!

Reading focus: This term we will be exploring fiction and non-fiction texts that will support our learning about seasons, life cycles and plants. I have added some recommended reads to our knowledge organiser.

*Seeking to nurture..*

*Self-belief CourAge Resilience AmbiTion Harmony*

### Learning to Learn!

We will develop our abilities to:

#### Playing and Exploring

Investigate  
Experience things  
'Have a go'

#### Active Learning

Concentrate  
Keep trying  
Enjoy achieving

#### Creating and Thinking

Critically  
Have our own ideas  
Make links  
Develop strategies

### English...

We will recap all taught sounds and continue to learn Set 2 sounds. We will perfect our letter formation and work on positioning letters correctly on a line.

We will continue working on becoming fluent, accurate and confident readers. We will explore the features of fiction and non-fiction texts.

We will compose our own sentences using our phonic knowledge. We will use finger spaces, full stops, red words and begin to use capital letters in our writing.

### Maths...

We will continue working on composition of numbers, learning to automatically recall number bonds to 5.

We will compare numbers and learn what happens when we add more and take away.

We will develop our spatial awareness, matching, rotating, manipulating, composing and decomposing shapes.

### Communication and Language...

We will explore past, present and future tenses and use lots of new vocabulary.

### Personal, Social and Emotional Development...

We will take on new challenges and show resilience when doing so. We will work on developing our independence.

### Physical Development...

We will continue to explore different ways of moving and we will build skills in manipulating different objects like balls. We will develop our cutting, drawing, handwriting and painting skills.

### Understanding the World...

We will learn about the changing seasons. We will experience the life cycle of a butterfly. We will explore plants and watch them grow and change.

### Expressive Arts and Design...

We will explore colour. We will learn to draw with precision and detail.

### RE...

We will learn about stories of friendships. We will learn about and compare special places.

### Early Computing...

We will use iPads to take photographs and videos as well as engaging with games and activities on them.

*"Stand firm... be courageous" 1 Cor 16:13*