

### In Literacy we will:

- recap phase 2 and 3 single sounds.
- learn to segment and blend words for reading.
- begin to write sentences using sounds we can hear in words.
- read books by familiar authors.
- learn tricky words weekly.
- start to create a bank of high frequency words to help with our reading and writing.



### In Maths we will:

- identify coins and understand their value.
- use coins to purchase items.
- practise counting to 100.
- order numbers to 20.
- explore patterns including symmetry.
- recognise odd and even numbers.
- begin to look at addition and the language used such as addition, more than, equals.
- learn how to time events.
- learn 3D shapes, their names and their properties.



### When learning about the world we will:

- learn about winter and the effects it has on the world.
- learn about animals in cold places.
- learn about cold countries.
- look at Chinese New Year.
- complete investigations looking at ice.
- look at recycling and the effects on the planet.



# Spring 1 Learning in Reception:

## Winter and Cold Places!



Homework will be sent out on a Friday. Please return by the following Wednesday.

### As members of our community we will:

- look at different celebrations which happen within the community (Chinese New Year).
- broaden our circle of friends to play with others we haven't played with before.
- meet the other Reception class and make new friends.
- practise crossing roads safely.

### In PE we will:

- develop ball handling skills.
- work on our aiming and throwing skills.
- develop our balancing skills.
- learn how to negotiate spaces and develop different ways of moving.
- learn how to use large apparatus.
- develop our team work skills.
- develop our listening skills to follow 2 step instructions.



### In Music we will:

- learn to sing simple songs.
- play percussion instruments in time with the beat of the music.
- think up actions for the songs and perform them.
- make up new verses and sound effects for the songs.
- sing loudly/softly, stop/start together.



### In Art and Design we will:

- look at light and dark and what happens when we add white or black to paints.
- use a range of materials with different textures to create winter landscapes.
- complete large art projects outdoors.
- make models using a range of recycled materials.