



This Term...

EYFS Curriculum

Welcome to The Abbey Primary School...

This is an exciting term supporting your children with becoming more confident within the setting and developing their relationships even further. We are continuing to teach them our Community Code which teaches children about being helpful, kind and thoughtful at home and at school.

Let's Explore

Here, the children will learn about the differences in their lives and those of the past. In their writing they are now learning sentence structure and using creative language. In maths they are beginning to form their numbers up to ten and comparing quantities up to ten.

Long Ago - Children will explore how people change as they grow and they have changed since they were babies. They will talk about past and present events in their own lives and those who are important to them.

Nursery

In Nursery, the children are focusing on keeping a healthy body and mind, including exercise and healthy eating. They are looking at lots of different fruits and vegetables and have even made a fruit salad to share together during snack time.

The children in nursery have continued to talk about "people who help us" so we have planned in opportunities to develop this interest further. This will include exploring services such as builders and shopkeepers as well as the obvious doctors, policemen and firemen.

Thought of the term...



Be thoughtful and fair
Wisdom and justice

InMAT value: Involvement

Do please see your child's class teacher if you would like help or advice with any aspect of your child's learning.

PE Days for Reception
Thursday and Friday

How I can help my child at home.

Supporting at home...

Storytime - Never underestimate the importance of reading to your children. Every bedtime story you share, develops your child's vocabulary and enhances their imagination.

Maths

Nursery will develop their understanding of numbers looking at numbers to 5 (and beyond if confident.) You could play some board games with your child, counting the dots on the dice or seeing if they recognise an amount without counting it first.

Reception are learning numbers to 10, to recognise numerals and identify small groups by sight. You can support this by talking about how many objects they can see, practise recognising numbers in the environment and counting objects.

Reading

Nursery children are practising orally blending. That means if we say the sounds "c...a...t" they can hear the word cat. You could play games at home to help with this skill. Play "I Spy" but say the sounds rather than the letter or sound out objects in the house and they have to try and find them!

The Reception children will have been taught all their sounds now and are blending simple CVC words. Practising spotting letters in the environment (on signs etc) and saying the sounds or reading basic books together will really help.

Dates for the diary

26th January, 2nd February, 9th February – Nursery Parents' Meetings with Key Worker (Email to follow with details)

11th /12th February – Mental Health Wellbeing Glow Dancing Workshops

16th – 20th February – Half Term

5th March – World Book Day

17th March – Parents' Evening (3.40pm – 5.40pm)

19th March – Parents' Evening (3.40pm – 7.30pm)

20th March – Red Nose Day – Mufti Day

25th March - Reception Easter Party (3.10pm – 4.00pm)

26th March - Friends of The Abbey Primary Easter Disco

27th March- Friends of The Abbey Primary Easter Bonnet Competition

30th March – 10th April
Easter Holidays

Reading Recommendations –

