

Reception - Summer Term 1

PSED

- Show resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge.
- Discuss why we take turns, wait politely, and tidy up after ourselves.
- Learn how to react and respond to our emotions.
- Think about how to stay healthy.
- Care for our environment and living things.

Big Wide World



King Charles III Coronation



Mathematics

- Count to 20 and beyond!
- Order a given set of numbers.
- Explore 9 and 10.
- Begin to build numbers beyond 10 e.g., 12 - one full ten and 2.
- Adding more. Taking away.
- Estimating.
- Rotating and combining shapes.

Understanding the World

- King Charles III Coronation celebrations.
- The Royal family.
- What is a journey?
- Different ways of travelling.
- Iconic buildings from around the world including London's famous landmarks.
- Animals around the world.
- Maps.
- Wildlife explorer's - Sir David Attenborough and Charles Darwin.
- Caring for our planet.

Communication & Language

- Talk in detail about past and present events.
- Ask and answer 'how' and 'why' questions.
- Draw conclusions.
- Reflect - What went well? What changes would you make?
- Retell stories in our own words.
- Describe the different types of weather.

Literacy

- Key texts:** Yucky Worms, 'Little People, Big Dreams, King Charles', Under the same sky.
- Non-fiction:** Our World: A first book of geography.
- Phonics:** Revise and secure phase 3 phonics. Begin phase 4.
- Learn about alphabetical order.
- Name and sing the letters of the alphabet.
- Capital letters.
- Share stories from other cultures.
- Continue to use Tales Toolkit strategy to create and to write our own stories.
- Identify main characters in a story and say why a character behaves in a certain way.
- Write simple sentences using taught graphemes and tricky words.
- Writing facts about worms!

Physical Development

- PE - fundamental movements & fitness: ABC's - agility, balance & coordination.
- Play team games.
- Learn to challenge themselves when competing against others.
- We will continue to practise letter formation.

Expressive arts and design

- Charanga music topic: Big Bear Funk.**
- African drumming.
- Exploring pattern e.g., Aboriginal art.
- Explore the movement of different animals and create an animal dance.
- Explore the vibrant artwork of Edward Tingatinga.