Topic

Our starting interest this half term is **Colour and Growing**

This half term Reception will be learning to . . .

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COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE

- Give attention to what others say and respond appropriately
- Listen and respond to ideas expressed by others
- Answer how and why questions
- Extend vocabulary (linked to our topic)

Vocabulary: who, how, when , what, where, attention, why

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PERSONAL SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Rights and Respect:

- Looking after my special people
- Looking after my friends
- Being helpful at home and caring for our classroom
- Caring for our world

Vocabulary: Kind, share, support, help, care, selfish, friend, mum, da, sister, brother, cousin, environment, litter, respect

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PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

NUFC will be taking PE Lessons Each Tuesday

- Follow simple rules
- Learn games
- Understand the need for safety
- Use a pencil to correctly form letters

Vocabulary: Travel, quick, slow, throw, catch, kick, bat, hit, target, zone

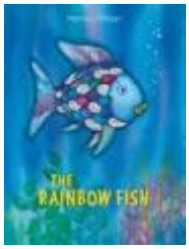
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LITERACY

- Know that information can be retrieved from books and computers
- Demonstrate understanding about what they have read
- Write short sentences in meaningful contexts
- Write instructions
- Write irregular common words

Vocabulary: kind, share, colourful, shiny, metallic, energetic, lonely, upset, delighted, chattering, slithering, stomping, swimming, climbing

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Other Themes will be developed as we follow the children's interests

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MATHEMATICS

- Notice patterns to subitise doubles
- Explore the composition of odd and even numbers
- Begin to link even number to doubles
- Begin to explore the composition of numbers to 10
- Time

Vocabulary: double, odd, even, whole, part, subitse, add, and, make, total, full, half full, empty, capacity, same as

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UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD

- Plant seeds
- Care for plants
- Life cycle of a plant
- Observe and draw plants
- Explore the design and colour of the windows in church.

Vocabulary: Plant, leaf, tree, bark, branches trunk, soil, water, grow, seeds, bulbs. Buds, shoot

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EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGN

- Experiment with mixing different colours
- Explore a variety of materials and techniques
- Flanges and Paper fasteners
- Sing songs and play instruments
- Change sounds on instruments
- Make models
- Drama

Vocabulary: colour, mix, change, material, fasten, observe, detail, connect.

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CORE VALUE

Forgiveness

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Salvation

- Easter Story
- Palm Sunday
- Good Friday and Easter Sunday
- Symbols of Easter
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Vocabulary: Easter, Bible, Palm Sunday, Good Friday, Easter Sunday, Cross, Spring, Hot Cross Bun, buds,

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You can help at home by

- Making a rainbow fish (in any way you choose) and upload it to Tapestry
- Talk about Friendship and how you can be a good friend.
- Looking at art and artists that explore colour or flowers.