Topic

Our starting interest this half term is **Space**This half term Reception will be learning to . . .

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)

PERSONAL SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- Take account of one another's ideas
- Talk about how they and others show feelings
- Show sensitivity to others needs and feelings
- Talk about behaviour and its consequences
- Become 'Active Learners' and try to persevere.

PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

- Travel with confidence in a range of ways negotiating space.
- Balancing skills (yoga)
- Use a pencil and hold it effectively to correctly form most letters
- Understand the need for safety

LITERACY

- Know that information can be retrieved from books and computers
- Demonstrate understanding about what they have read
- Write short sentences in meaningful contexts
- Read and write tricky words
- T4W Whatever Next

Space

MATHEMATICS

- Recognise and order numbers to 20 and beyond
- Recognise and use 'teen' numbers.
- Solve number problems
- Understand addition and subtraction
- Understand doubling, halving and sharing

UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD

- Talk about similarities and differences between environments and living things
- Make observations of the world around them and talk about changes
- Use computers in the ICT Suite

EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGN

- Experiment with different textures
- Explore a variety of materials and techniques,
- Design and make 3D models
- Listen to different styles of music
- Change sounds on instruments

CORE VALUE

Justice

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Stories Jesus told.

- The Lost Sheep
- The Good Samaritan
- The Prodigal Son
- The Two Builders

Easter story and service

You can help at home by

- Finding out about Space using books and computers
- Talking about what they observe around them eg. changes in nature
- Visiting museums and science centres