

### Communication and Language

This term we will be developing our questioning skills. We will think about what a question is, how to phrase one and the difference between a question and a statement. We will practise speaking to a range of people and think about how our questions change based on our audience.

Some of the books we will look at this term are:

- Jaspers Beanstalk
- Jack and the Beanstalk
- All Through the Night
- Monkey Puzzle

### Physical Development

We will continue to develop our fine motor skills and work discreetly on our letter formation. We begin to use smaller lines and practise starting and ending our letters in the correct place.

Our PE sessions with GoForGoals will challenge us to develop our coordination, balance and strength.

### Personal Social Emotional Development

We will learn about the importance of caring for our body and mind through exercise, healthy eating, sleep and friendships.

We will also learn that our differences are what make us all special and we all belong to a group. We will know the importance of speaking up when something doesn't feel right and identify adults in school that we can talk to.

## Reception Spring Term

People Who  
Help Us



What's  
Growing?

### Understanding of the World

We will learn about the different roles people play in society and the importance of how jobs that we don't see keep our lives moving easily.

We will learn how seeds grow, what plants need to stay alive and the importance of plants in our world.

### Expressive Art and Design

We will continue to experiment and create with a range of materials and mediums. We will work towards creating accurate observational drawings of flowers and plants.

We will spend lots of time engaging with a range of roleplay activities based on the jobs we learn about that help us.

### Literacy

We will use all the learnt skills so far to begin writing longer sentences. We will write for a range of purposes and begin to use capital letters, finger spaces and full stops.

By the end of this term, we will have learnt all the phonemes for Reception. We will learn to look for digraphs and trigraphs when reading. We will continue to learn new tricky words and embed these in our writing.

### Maths

We will learn about the composition of numbers 5 to 10 and how to write number sentences. We will continue to use our subitising and number knowledge for this. For measurements we will learn that capacity is how much a container can hold and experiment with different shapes and sizes in addition to measuring the length and height of objects. We will learn about odds, evens and doubles.