



Reception
Autumn 2018
Celebrations/ Christmas

Literacy -

- Rhyme
- Letters and sounds phase 2
- Writing Santa letter
- Writing Christmas cards
- Name writing
- Wide range of stories/ non-fiction books
- Writing in all areas of the classroom
- Writing for anti-bullying week.

PSED

- Turn taking
- Friendship (worship theme)
- Parachute games (co-operative work)
- Anti- bullying week

EAD

- Christmas cards
- Nativity play
- Christmas songs
- Bonfire night pictures,
- Singing songs,
- Scotland activities (St Andrews Day)

Visits and extracurricular activities

- Amerton Farm
- Stay and play
- Walk to church for Christmas Service.

Maths

- Counting Autumn objects
- 2D/ 3D shape
- One more one less
- Positional language - Christmas tree
- Weight - presents

Physical Development

- Indoor PE - large equipment - jumping on/off
- Outdoor PE - ball skills
- Link between exercise and health.
- Safety in PE
- Funky Fingers
- Write Dance
- Parachute games

RE - Topic

- Why is the word God so important Christians. (Cathy to support)
Link to British values-
Tolerance of those of
different faiths and beliefs

Understanding the World

- Family customs - Christmas
- ICT - ipad- remote control toys,
- St Andrews day activities,
- Amerton Farm (animals)

CL

- Talk tables- taking turns when speaking
- Talk bags - linked to topic
- Story bags - question words, comprehension
- Role play- acting out real and imagined scenarios
- Hot seating- characters from nursery rhymes
- Letters and sounds- Phase 1 activities
- Story time on carpet- questions/ comprehension, re-tell
- Drama activities for anti-bullying week.



Reception Autumn Celebrations/ Christmas

SMSC / British values

- Democracy.
 - choosing books or songs,
- The rule of law.
 - Classroom/ school rules,
- Individual liberty.
 - Choose their activity,
- Mutual respect.
 - Sharing and taking turns,
 - How we speak to one another (manners),
- Tolerance of those of different faiths and beliefs
 - Celebrating everybody's beliefs and identity,

Safety

- End of day routine,
- Classroom rules,
- Fire exits etc,
- Fire drills and invacuation,
- Registers,

Visits, visitors and engagement

- Amerton Farm Christmas visit,
- St Johns Church, Rev Rudd/ Cathy,
- Parents (stay and play)
- Scottish visitor.

Application of Reading, writing and maths

- Stories- wide range of Nonfiction and fiction (in both story corner and story house outside.)
- Sorting, counting, shapes, pattern, addition, subtraction
- Writing opportunities in all areas of the classroom and outside.

PSHE

- Sharing, turn taking,
- Playing gently and carefully,
- Manners,
- Co-operative games (parachute)

Developing aspirations

- Wide range of activities to choose,
- Praise/ stickers,
- Rev Rudd or Cathy to talk about working in the church,
- Local PCSO (Anti-bullying)
- Postman (Christmas)