PSHE

This half term we will be thinking about our dreams and goals. This will include

- What is a challenge and how does it make me feel?
- Never giving up and activities that you would like to improve on.
- Setting a goal and thinking about how they will achieve this.
- Obstacles and support Who can help you?
- Flight to the future What job would I like to do?

In RE, we will learn about celebrations such as Chinese New Year, Nowruz and Holi.

Maths

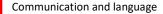
This half term we will be immersing the children in the numbers 1-5. We will be delving deep and ensuring that the children fully understand the value of the numbers. We will look at number lines, rote counting, counting objects, subitising, counting on fingers and practicing number formation.

Literacy

This half terms focus text is 'The Three little pigs'. We will be learning some new vocab linked to the story. We will then be focusing on sequencing the story and creating a story mountain. We will then encourage the children to verbalise the story. Our writing focus will be labelling. We will be labelling the different materials on a house.

Understanding the world

The children will be learning about a variety of different materials. We will be exploring different materials and talking about how they feel/look. We will be learning about natural and man-made materials. We will also look at materials for different purposes. We will have also conduct a series of science experiments.



- Circle times focusing on the children using a big voice.
- Singing nursery rhymes for the children to join in and use the actions.
- Encourage children to join in with repeated refrains during story time.

Music

The children will focus on sounds and develop their listening skills. They will also explore sounds and how to change instrument dynamics: loud, quiet Tempo: fast, slow. To understand that sounds can be long and short and to begin to make patterns with sound.

Physical Development

This half term we will be focusing on our fine and gross motor skills. For our gross motor we will be

 Judging our body space in relation to spaces available when negotiating openings and boundaries

For our fine motor skills, we are going to have a key focus on pencil grip and cutting skills.

Expressive Arts and Design

This half term we will be focusing on the colour wheel and naming the colours. We are then going to look at primary colours and colour mixing. The children will have plenty of opportunities to experiment with colour and making different colours.

We will also study the famous artist Piet Mondrian

