

### Literacy

- Introducing Phase 2 phonemes and graphemes.
- Hearing initial sounds in words.
- Begin to use sentence Stems.
- Labelling pictures.
- Begin to identify characters and settings in a story.

**Key Texts:** Once there were Giants, Handa's Surprise, Owl babies, We are going on a leaf hunt and non-fiction texts.

### Maths

- Match and sort amounts
- Compare amounts.
- Compare size, mass and capacity.
- Representing and comparing numbers 1, 2, 3
- Composition of numbers 1, 2, 3.
- Subitising regular and irregular patterns of numbers to 5

### Understanding The World

- Talking about friends and family.
- Learning about Black History Month.
- Talk about how they have changed since they were babies.
- Learning about seasons and seasonal changes.

### Communication and Language

- Greeting people and making friends.
- Talking about our likes and dislikes.
- Listening to and retelling a story.
- Learning the names of everyday objects at school.
- Responding in full sentences and begin to use STEM sentences.

### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Begin to access resources independently.
- Begin to familiarise with the new environment.
- Begin to understand rules of play - share toys and take turns.
- Begin to manage personal needs- dressing, toilet and eating independently.

### Expressive Arts and Design

- Singing songs from Africa.
- Art related to Black History Month.
- Make Self-portraits.
- Make an Autumn tree.
- Box modelling

### Enriching Experiences

- Autumn walk
- Make fruit salad.
- Book Week
- Black History Month (October)

### Physical Development

- Practising getting dressed independently.
- Feeding themselves using cutlery independently.
- Developing fine motor skills and learning how to hold a pencil correctly.
- Use scissors to make snips in paper more confidently.
- Move in a number of ways.

**Reception**  
**Autumn Term 1**  
**Topic- The World Around Me**