



What to Expect in Reception - Summer Term



Prime Areas	Personal, Social and Emotional Development	<p>Making Relationships Your child will be considerate of other people's feelings and will try to help them when they are feeling sad.</p> <p>Self Confidence and Self Awareness They will be able to make their own decisions about when they need help with an activity.</p> <p>Managing Feelings and Behaviour When things change that they weren't expecting, they won't get upset or worried.</p>
	Physical Development	<p>Moving and Handling Expect your child to be able to throw, catch, roll and kick different things like large balls, beanbags etc.</p> <p>Health and Self-care Your child will be able to talk about different ways of keeping healthy.</p>
	Communication and Language	<p>Listening and Attention When sharing a story with your child they will be able to tell you what has happened and what might happen next.</p> <p>Understanding Your child should be able to answer questions using their experience of things they have seen or heard about.</p> <p>Speaking They will be able to recall things in the right order when telling you about something they have done.</p>
	Literacy	<p>Reading Hopefully your child will be able to read short sentences that are made up of simple words by sounding out each word and recognising some tricky words on sight.</p> <p>Writing They should start to write simple words to create a sentence by saying the sounds in each word and then writing down the corresponding letter.</p>
	Maths	<p>Numbers Your child will hopefully be able to add two groups of things together and tell you how many they have got all together.</p> <p>Shape Space and Measure They will be using words like "big", "small", "heavy", "light", "in", "under", "pound", "pence" in their play.</p>

Understanding the World	<p>People and Communities Your child will be able to talk about things that they do that are the same or different to their friends.</p> <p>The World They will be able to talk about the things that plants need to grow and how they change as they grow.</p> <p>Technology They will enjoy exploring and talking about different type of technology they have used like remote control toys, a recordable book, a CD player, camera or computer.</p>
Expressive Arts and Design	<p>Exploring and Using Media and Materials Your child will enjoy using their own ideas to change the words in familiar songs, create dances and use instruments to make music.</p> <p>Being Imaginative To communicate their ideas your child might choose to create a picture, make a model, sing a song, create a dance, dress up or tell stories.</p>