Communication and Language

- Listening to stories The squirrels who squabbled, we're going on a bear hunt, Where's Spot and information text about autumn and explorers.
- Developing narratives in their play
- Learning new vocabulary and facts about autumn

Physical Development

- P.E. lesson learning about games, space, direction and movement
- Recognising names and writing them independently, pencil control practices.
- Developing fine motor skills through everyday play activities

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Jigsaw PHSE lessons, Stormbreak and Kipsy
- Learning to share, taking turns and working together in a range of situations
- Learning to always have a go and try new tasks
- Getting to know their new environment and daily transitions

Let's Explore the Autumn

Expressive Arts and Design

- Developing cutting skills through various autumn based activities.
- Craft activities linked to autumn
- Looking at different artists and pictures of autumn
- Painting class flowers

Literacy

- Listening to stories The squirrels who squabbled, we're going on a bear hunt, Where's Spot and information text about autumn and explorers.
- Talking about different books and what makes a book fiction or non-fiction
- Independent letter formation activities, learning to recognise phase 2 phonic sounds
- Developing phonic knowledge for reading and talking about stories

Understanding the World

- Discussions about the autumn time, what happens to animals and the weather
- Science investigations floating and sinking
- Looking at explorers from the past
- Talking about the differences between their time in nursery and now in reception – similarities and differences

Maths

- Looking at numbers 1-5
- Learning to subitise.
- Looking to count
- Spatial Reasoning using shapes and looking at creating patterns.