



UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD

During our sessions we will

- Play and explore with small world toys and construction materials
- Talk about our environment and family
- Begin to understand the rules and routines of School life
- Begin to observe the signs of Winter and Spring
- Build friendships and develop social skills
- Use ICT to enhance our learning. Children will have access to the interactive whiteboard, computers in the classroom and in the ICT suite
- Sing lots of songs and practice using instruments in different ways
- Look at rhyme and rhythm
- Use instruments and music to help to develop our listening skills
- Engage in a range of role play experiences
- Experiment with a range of construction, art and writing resources and materials
- Explore with a range of media and materials to create and build

WEEKLY ROUTINE

Home school book – given out on a Friday and handed in on a Wednesday.

Reading – Library books will be given out on Friday. Please bring them back by the following Friday so we can change the book.

VIP's- Parents will be told when their child is a VIP.

We will begin weekly Library sessions and ICT with children once they have settled into School routines. We will inform parents when these sessions are beginning.

VIPS

Each term your child will be a VIP. Your children will be observed that week around the classroom. You will be invited in to talk to me about your child's learning and given the opportunity to look at their learning journey. We will inform parents when your child is a VIP.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

School Closes on Friday 15th February for half term and reopens on Tuesday 26th February. We have an inset day on Monday 25th February so school will not be open.

School closes on Friday 5th April for Easter and reopens 23rd April.

Thank you for your continued support, it is very much appreciated.

Miss Marshall

