



## Preston C of E Primary School Curriculum Information

**Year**

**Reception**

**Term**

**Autumn 2023**

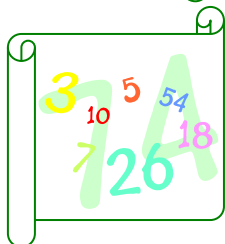
**Dear Parents**

**This letter is designed to provide key information about learning this term.**

SUBJECT	CONTENT
<b>English</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◆ To introduce phonic skills through the 'Letters and Sounds' programme supplemented with Espresso and Jolly Phonic songs.</li><li>◆ To encourage the development of independent writing and encourage good letter formation.</li><li>◆ To develop sight vocabulary and introduce reading books.</li><li>◆ To encourage children to speak confidently.</li></ul>
<b>Mathematics</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◆ To introduce the numbers 0-10 and to develop confidence in practical activities e.g. sorting, matching and number games.</li><li>◆ To develop knowledge of shape and pattern.</li></ul>
<b>Understanding of the World</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◆ The subject areas covered are Science, History, Geography, PSHE, RE and ICT.</li><li>◆ The curriculum areas will be delivered through the following topics: Magical Me and Celebrations.</li><li>◆ To explore the local environment through 'Welly Walks'.</li><li>◆ To develop computing skills.</li></ul>
<b>Expressive Art and Design</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◆ To develop drawing skills through observational drawing.</li><li>◆ To improve fine motor skills through cutting, sticking and other craft.</li><li>◆ To develop a range of painting skills e.g. printing.</li><li>◆ To develop the children's enjoyment of music through singing and listening to different kinds of music and rhymes.</li></ul>
<b>Physical Development</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>◆ To introduce team games, incorporating ball skills and the use of small apparatus.</li><li>◆ To improve co-ordination through dance and movement.</li></ul>

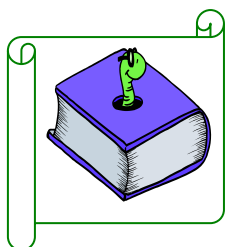
Collective Worship takes place daily for the children to explore our Christian values. When the children are in full time, we will have a class assembly on a **Wednesday** and **Friday**.

# Homework



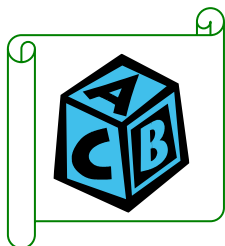
## NUMERACY

Counting and number formation practise at home.



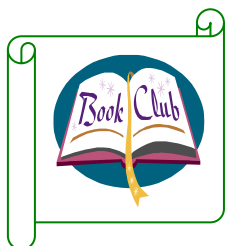
## LITERACY

The children should continue to practise writing their name.



## SPELLING

Word walls for spellings will be given to the children before Christmas.



## READING

Reading daily at home using school reading book.

Phonics books, word walls and flashcards.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

- ◆ Please return word walls/reading books each day.
- ◆ Please sign your child's reading record each time you hear them read.
- ◆ If your child is absent from school or late due to an appointment then please telephone the school ASAP.
- ◆ Please ensure your child has named PE kits and wellington boots which can be left at school.
- ◆ Please provide a named snack and water bottle each day.