



# Reception

## AUTUMN 2

Cottingley  
Village  
Primary School

### Why is autumn awesome?



#### Literacy

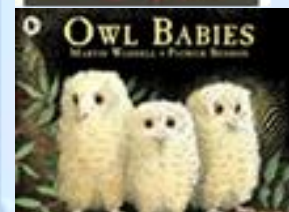
The children will learn:

**As readers,** we will continue to learn good book behaviours like talking about the front cover, turning the pages one by one and talk about the pictures. In reading enrichment, we will learn how to read fiction and non-fiction books to further develop our early vocabulary skills.

**As writers,** we will continue to practice writing our names using good pencil grip and letter formation. We will also start to use our phonics skills to write simple labels and phrases.

#### Key text this half term

The children will read...



#### Maths



The children will learn:

**As mathematicians,** we will continue to focus on developing a strong sense of numbers 0-5. We will be finding ways to make a given number and find a matching number. We will also learn to count confidently using 1-1 correspondence, represent numbers in different ways and subitise numbers. We will learn the properties of shapes as we explore 2D shapes. We will also compose and decompose using 2D shapes to make pictures.

#### Phonics

The children will learn:

**As readers,** we will learn continue to learn sounds from Phase 2 of 'Little Wandle, Letters and Sounds ff ll ss j v w x y z zz qu ch sh th ng nk

- words with -s /s/ added at the end (hats sits)
- words ending in s /z/ (his) and with -s /z/ added at the end (bags sings)

**Tricky Words** - as and has his her go no into she he of we me be

## Other Areas of Learning



The children will learn:

**Communication and Language - As attentive people**, we will listen carefully to a range of stories and non-fiction texts, exploring new vocabulary around Autumn. **As speakers**, we will talk in sentences to express our own views, re-tell familiar stories, and predict what might happen next.

**Understanding the World - As good citizens**, we will focus on how people celebrate special times, such as Bonfire Night and Christmas. We will learn about firework safety and mark Remembrance Day, thinking about the people who help to keep our country safe. **As scientists** we will observe changes in nature and talk about the changing season. **As historians** we will learn about Guy Fawkes and talk about significant events in our own families. **As Gardeners** we will be planting daffodil bulbs.

**Expressive Arts and Design - As creative people**, we will use different drawing, painting, sculpture to represent the natural world. Through music and dance we will respond to the sights, sounds and stories of Bonfire Night. **As imaginative people**, we will enact our own stories in small world and through role play and drama. **As performers** we will learn and perform a range of Autumn and Christmas themed poems and songs.



## PSHE - SCARF Including Online Safety

The children will learn:

**Personal, Social and Emotional Development- As friendly people**, we will focus on building relationships with our peers through circle time. **As confident people**, we will continue to build our independence as we follow rules and routines.

## Reminders

The children have PE every **Wednesday** morning. Please send them in PE kit on this day.

## Dates for your diary

**WOW DAY** - autumn walk

**Visit the School Library** – Every Friday (*please remember to bring your library book to school*)

**Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> November** – Michael Rosen Day

**Friday 21<sup>st</sup> November** - Forest School (autumn sculptures)

**Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> December** – EYFS Nativity