




Curriculum Letter
 Year Reception
 Autumn 1
 September 2021

Learning Hand in Hand, Together with God

All Saints' is a:

- Hopeful school through honesty, forgiveness and trust**
- Achieving school through resilience, respect and ambition**
- Nurturing school through care, compassion and friendships**
- Developing school through wisdom, faith and fun**
- Sharing school through kindness, celebration and love**

"Whatever you do, whether in word or deed, do it all in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him" (Colossians 3:17)

<p style="text-align: center;">Me and My Relationships</p> <p>Getting used to the school day and their first time in reception class. Forming new and loving friendships with other children. Playing and exploring together and having fun.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">PE</p> <p>Spiral curriculum based on key skills taught through a range of sports; PE days are Wednesday and Thursday.</p>		
<p style="text-align: center;">Phonics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Begin to learn their first phonemes. • Begin to segment and blend simple 3 letter words. • Begin to write some phonemes and remember the correct formation. • Sound books will be sent home to learn these phonemes. 	<p style="text-align: center;">Maths</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Getting to know each other and similarities and differences. • Looking at times and routines of the day • Positional language {on top, next to, beside} • Matching and sorting objects around them. • Comparing size and capacity and looking at pattern. 	<p style="text-align: center;">Religious Education</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 'Looking at 'How people celebrate autumn festivals' • 'Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter garden?' 	
<p style="text-align: center;">Children's Interests</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talking about their summer holidays. • Supporting friendships and developing new friendships. • Looking at using the outdoor space. • Promoting sharing, caring and kindness. 	<p style="text-align: center;">FIRST TERM IN RECEPTION!</p> 		<p style="text-align: center;">PSHE</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SCARF lessons in PSHE (Personal, Social, Health and Economic Education) • Transition in to a 'big school'. • Families and friends. • Looking after our friends and families.
<p style="text-align: center;">Knowledge & Understanding of the World</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Changes in the weather in to Autumn • Observing leaves and changes in the natural world. 	<p style="text-align: center;">Outdoors</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Enjoying our new outdoor space and getting used to the learning areas. Planting bulbs. • Being responsible for tidying away and caring for our outdoors. 	<p style="text-align: center;">Expressive Arts & Design</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Designing a frame for their photographs. • Enjoying mark making and exploring materials in the creative areas. • Drawing families and discussing their families. 	
<p style="text-align: center;">Homework overview/reminders</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sound books and word books will be sent out in the next few weeks. • Reading books will be given when the children are ready. 	<p style="text-align: center;">Enrichment opportunities</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • This half term will be essentially ensuring the children are happy and enjoying school! 	<p style="text-align: center;">How parents/carers could help</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practise the new phonemes regularly. • Attend the phonics / maths talk held by Mrs Atkinson. 	