

# **Curriculum Letter**

Year Reception Summer 2 June 2023

# Learning Hand in Hand, Together with God

### All Saints' is a:

<u>H</u>opeful school through honesty, forgiveness and trust <u>A</u>chieving school through resilience, respect and ambition <u>N</u>urturing school through care, compassion and friendships Developing school through wisdom, faith and fun

Current focus: 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)

## **Children's Interests**

We will continue following the children's interests and ensure they are engaged and excited about their learning.

Encourage independent learning.

#### PΕ

This half term we will be spending time practising for our sports day, which we are really excited about. We will be playing running games and working in small teams to compete against one another!

#### **Phonics**

- We have now finished learning all the phonemes in reception. Yippee!
- We have now finished learning all the tricky words in reception Yippee!
- We are learning about chunking words to help read and write {e.g. jump-ing} We are doing lots of segmenting and blending much longer words!

#### Maths

- We will continue to look at number patterns including doubles.
- Develop their confidence in grouping objects together and adding 2 groups together.
- Explore the composition of making 10 in different ways.

## **Religious Education**

- We will be talking about special places to us our homes, schools, Grandparents houses, churches, hugs in bed etc.
- Some of us may go to church or a mosque, so we will discuss this in our sessions.

#### **Focussed Activities**

Instead of choosing focussed children this half term, we will ensure that all children complete some activities in the classroom {both writing and maths learning}

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## **PSHE**

We are near the end of the year in reception. We will spend a little bit of time discussing the transition in to their year 1 class – having stories with their new teacher and having break times in KS1.

Change and growing will be topics we will discuss.

# Knowledge & Understanding of the World.

- We are going on a visit to Nell Bank on Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> June

   next week! We will be learning about the Bear Hunt story.
- Forest Schools- All the children will get the opportunity to visit All Saints Pre school in the woods for some exciting forest school activities. You will receive a letter regarding when your child will be attending this activity.

# **Outdoors**

- We will be painting the tyres ready for planting of lavender, herbs and all the lovely smelly plants!
- We will be changing our gravel pit in to a large sand pit ready for the last few weeks in the glorious sunshine!
  - There is always plant of weeding to do in the early years if anyone is interested in helping us?

# **Expressive Arts & Design**

- Painting outside
- Building with the large construction.
- Performing fairy tale stories with their friends on the stage.
- Using lots of materials to create amazing designs and pictures!

# How parents/carers could help

• A handwriting booklet will be sent home for all the children to practise correct letter formation.

#### Visits

Nell bank visit to look at the flora and fauna in the outside world. **{Friday 23**<sup>rd</sup> **June} We will be going on a bear hunt**