

Welcome to the Reception Class

'Be the best you can be; together we grow from acorns to oaks, flourishing in God's love'.

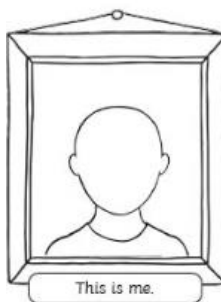
Our class theme this term is 'All About Me'. The curriculum map below shows an overview of some of the areas we will be looking at and learning about over the term. Our Christian Value for the term is **forgiveness**.

Communication and Language/Literacy

- We will listen to, join in and talk about stories and rhymes.
- We will engage in role-play activities, small world and storytelling - linked to both home and their own interests.
- We will listen to helicopter stories - we will be able to orally create our own story for our peers to act out.
- We will be learning to write our names.
- We will be learning to form the new graphemes correctly in phonics.

Expressive Arts and Design

- We will be singing familiar songs and learning new ones.
- We will be painting and drawing a range of self-portraits.
- We will be performing a Christmas Nativity.



Physical Development

- We will be moving with confidence in different ways.
- We will be negotiating space and adjusting speed (traffic lights, stuck in the mud, follow the leader).
- We will be travelling on, over, around and under balancing equipment in different ways.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- We will be following the SCARF curriculum which will focus on rules and routines.
- We will be following our classroom and school rules and values.
- We will be working on playing with others kindly and considerately.
- We will be considering and talking about our own feelings and those of others.
- We will be developing independence and confidence, in both our work and areas such as changing for PE.

Mathematics

- We will be learning number songs and rhymes.
- We will be matching, sorting and comparing objects and numbers.
- We will be mastering basic number understanding (numbers to 4, and their number bonds - being able to recall these and subitise them).
- White Rose Maths - we will be focussing on the numbers: 1, 2, 3 & 4!

Understanding the world

- We are Scientists - we will learn about different seasons and what autumn looks like.
- RE - Who is special to me?
- We are Technicians - we will explore being safe with technology.
- We are Geographers - we will use basic mapping skills to understand where we live.
- We are historians - what has changed since I was a baby?