

Marvellous Me!
Autumn Term 1
2023
Reception



Focus Texts

- Week 1:** Marvellous Me / 'Who are You' by Smriti Halls
- Week 2:** My Family and Friends / 'Families, Families, Families' by Suzanne Lang
- Week 3:** My Feelings / 'The Colour Monster' by Anna Llenas
- Week 4:** My Body / 'Funnybones' by Janet and Allan Ahlberg
- Week 5:** My Eyes / 'Brown Bear, Brown Bear What Can You See?' by Bill Martin Jr. and Eric Carle
- Week 6:** My Ears / 'Polar Bear, Polar Bear What Do You Hear?' by Bill Martin Jr. and Eric Carle
- Week 7:** My Mouth / A letter from the Tooth Fairy

Prime Area Development

(Personal, Social, Emotional, Physical Development/Communication & Language)

We will be learning to:

- Understand, remember and follow routines
- Understand behaviour expectations
- Look after our classroom and toys
- Select activities with confidence
- Talk about what makes use special
- Talk about our feelings
- Look after our teeth and bodies through healthy eating, exercise and more
- Play listening games / Explore sound with musical instruments
- Develop our fine motor skills so that we are ready to write

Literacy

- Phonics:** Read, Write, Inc. Set 1 sounds
- Letter formation
- Opportunities for mark making in provision
- Learning to write our names
- Learning to name parts of the body

Mathematics

- Introducing 'Ten Town' numbers from 0 to 10
- Number recognition and formation
- Matching, Sorting and Comparing
- Talking about Measure and Patterns

Understanding the World

- Going to Forest School
- Talking about our homes and our families
- Understanding how our bodies work and move
- Understanding how we look after our bodies

Expressive Arts & Design

- Painting pictures of ourselves
- Creating our family tree
- Exploring colour
- Role play in our home, the hospital, opticians and dentist
- Harvest artwork and singing