



Autumn 1st Half Term 2023 will be “Getting to know you!”

The children will be learning about: -

Week commencing:

4 th September	All about me
11 th September	All about me
18 th September	All about me (What do I look like?)
25 th September	All about me (Look at what I can do?)
2 nd October	Me and my family (Who is in my family)
9 th October	Story of “Little Red Hen”
16 th October	Story of “Little Red Hen”
23 th October	Halloween

Things we would like the children to bring, practice or read about, if possible:

w/c 4 th September	Help the children to settle in or back to pre-school
w/c 11 th September	Help the children to settle in or back to pre-school
w/c 18 th September	Discuss with your child about who they look like – mum/dad/sibling
w/c 25 th September	Encourage outdoor play using lots of arm and leg movements
w/c 2 nd October	Send in family photos with names
w/c 9 th October	Donations of materials to make “Little Red Hen” characters (Feathers, Buttons, paper/card, lolly pop sticks)
w/c 16 th October	Donations of different types of bread – for snack time
w/c 23 th October	Donations of spooky materials (black paper/card, sequins, cotton wool, etc)

Large newspapers, pasta, rice, corn flour, shaving foam, bottle tops, buttons, paper, pebbles, shells, envelopes, and other materials are things the children use on a daily basis so they will be much appreciated.

As part of our long-term planning, we will be including and encouraging parents/carers to complete the “50 things to do before you’re five” throughout the year, so please download the app: www.50thingstodo.org if you have not already done so.

If you are unable to download the app please take a poster from the cloakroom.

We plan to share a range of quality texts including traditional stories, non-fiction texts and modern literature with your children throughout the year. We have some, but not all, of the books that we know will support your children’s learning and development across a variety of themes and subjects. We have created a ‘Wishlist’ of these on Amazon, so if you could add a book to your shopping basket this would be wonderful! Our book ‘Wishlist’ link is: <https://www.amazon.co.uk/hz/wishlist/ls/3GPF50MAOZ2AB?ref =wl share>

Thank you

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