



Respect Resilience Responsibility

Curriculum Information for Reception

This half term we will...

At Highcliffe Primary we believe a child learns best through child initiated play where they can build important life skills such as curiosity, concentration, creativity, problem-solving, use of their imagination and persistence through purposeful play experiences. Although we follow the child's lead and recognise each child's different starting points, below are some of the key aspects of a child's development we will be encouraging through play this half term.

We hope our curriculum information supports you in encouraging your child's development at home. Although we have shared this information this half term, I am sure you would understand the above would continue through the year.

Thank you for your continued support,
The EYFS Team



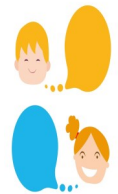
Communication and Language

Learn to:

- Use the correct tense and use conjunctions to connect ideas.

Practise:

- Listening carefully and responding to questions with comments and actions
- Asking questions to help me understand.



Physical Development

Learn to:

- Draw with accuracy using different materials and tools.

Practise:

- Showing co-ordination when moving in different ways.
- Forming letters correctly.



Personal Social and Emotional Development



Learn to:

- Explain which foods are healthy and understand a balanced diet.

Practise:

- Trying new things, keeping going when things get difficult and showing resilience.
- Taking turns and sharing with others.

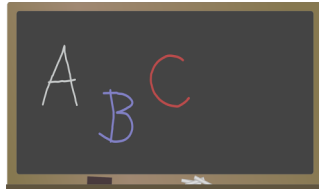
Literacy

Learn to:

- Read high frequency words in texts.
- Re-read my work to others and spot mistakes.
- Use new and exciting vocabulary in both play and writing.

Practise:

- Matching sounds up to unit 11 of Sounds Write, and begin identifying di-graphs.



Mathematics

Learn to:

- Count beyond 20, and compare quantities using the language of greater and fewer.
- Recall doubles up to 10.
- Share amounts equally.

Practise:

- Recalling number bonds to 10.
- Subitising to 5 and beyond.
- Recalling odd and even numbers.



Understanding of the World

Learn to:

- Compare the natural world around me to different environments.
- Make observations to draw pictures of plants and nature.
- Contrast the natural world around me to different environments, talk about changes in the natural world.



Expressive Arts and Design

Learn to:

- Design products and explain what it is and how I have completed my design.

Practise:

- Using a range of tools safely.
- Moving in time to the music.
- Performing songs and rhymes with others.
- Inventing my own stories.

