Reception



Spring 1

Everyday Superheroes

In this topic, children learn about the everyday superheroes in our communities, such as police officers, nurses, dentists, and vets, They explore important ideas like how to get support in emergency situations, an essential skill for their safety. Through these experiences, children develop a deeper understanding of the vital roles and responsibilities within their community.

After learning about themselves and others, children will start exploring the important people around them. This helps them appreciate everyday heroes like teachers, doctors, and postal workers who help make their community a better place.



Autumn 2

Through my Eyes

In this topic, children will learn about different celebrations that they and their friends take part in, including achievements, birthdays from around the world, and celebrations of love. This helps broaden their understanding and appreciation of diversity, while fostering positive attitudes towards individual differences.

After spending time learning about themselves and their own families, the children will begin exploring the many different families and traditions of others



Autumn 1

All About Me

This topic supports children as they settle into their Reception class routines. Through exploring their abilities, preferences, and emotions, and learning about themselves, their families, and making new friendships, children develop a strong sense of identity and independence as they start school.

After discovering the everyday superheroes who help our community, the children will dive into exploring the amazing vehicles they use to carry out their important jobs.

Spring 2

We're on the Move

In this topic, children will explore all kinds of ways to travel—from cars and trains to boats and airplanes! They'll discover why some vehicles are better suited for certain journeys and begin to understand the impact different modes of transport have on our planet. This learning will help them develop a deeper appreciation for the world around them and inspire them to think about how they can help care for it.

After learning about different ways to travel, the children will now learn about their immediate environment and how they can care for it.



Summer 1

Tiny Roots and Mighty Shoots

In this topic, children will become nature explorers as they deepen their understanding of plants, growth, change, and decay over time. They'll also take a closer look at the fascinating insects in their immediate environment. Through hands-on discovery and observation, they'll learn just how important it is to care for and protect the natural world around them.

After exploring their immediate environment, the children will begin learning about a contrasting habitat- the seaside.



Summer 2

At the Seaside

In this topic, children dive into the wonders of ocean life, discovering the amazing animals that call the sea home and learning about the people who sail its waves, fishermen, explorers, and even pirates. Along the way, they'll uncover the impact of plastic pollution and explore simple, powerful ways we can all help protect our precious marine world.



Transition to Year 1