



## Reception (FS2) Weekly Overview – Week Beginning 14 October 2013



Here is an overview of some of the things that the children will be doing next week in small groups and class.

### **This Week at School....**

This week at school, we have been watching the Autumn leaves change colour and fall off the beautiful trees in our school grounds. Next week, the children will be going on some Autumn walks around the school and writing Autumn poems. Please could you help your child collect any Autumn leaves and objects that they may find over the weekend, and bring them into school on Monday. We have a new light box in our Shared Area and the children are looking forward to undertaking some investigations together.

### **All About Me**

Next week in school, the children will be learning a little more about each other during their small group times. We are sending home an 'All About Me' sheet and we ask that you help your child to fill their sheet by sticking on photographs, pictures or drawings that tell us all about themselves. You may include anything you like, photos of family, friends or of what they like doing when they are not at school. Please could you send these sheets back into school on Monday. Throughout next week, we will ask the children to share their ideas with their friends in their family groups.

### **Maths**

Next week we continue to focus on recognising some simple 2D shapes. We will also be looking at numbers and linking these to different quantities, e.g. counting Autumnal objects and finding the right number on the number fan.

### **Read, Write, Inc.**

We will continue to learn our first set of speed sounds and bring our sheets home to practise forming the letters. We will also be practising the sounds that we have learnt so far, and beginning to put these sounds together to make simple words. For example; it, sit, pat, pin, man.

### **The Great Outdoors**

We have exciting new outdoor equipment in our Reception garden which the children have loved exploring. Next week, we will be making musical instruments to hang on the trees in our garden. Please could you ensure that your child has wellington boots in school. Our garden does get very muddy in the winter!

We would be very grateful if you are able to donate any spare children's pants, socks or school uniform (jumpers, trousers and skirts) that you no longer need. Thank you.

We do hope that you have a lovely weekend, The Reception (FS2) Team