

## Understanding of the World

To develop our understanding of the world we will be:

- Exploring our surroundings on welly walks!
- Exploring what makes us special.
- Learning about our families.
- Exploring what makes us the same and what makes us different to other people.
- Exploring what Christians believe about Jesus.
- Learning about harvest.
- Learning about the season of autumn and identifying the changes in our surroundings.
- Hunting for various leaves, insects, birds, trees and flowers.

## Physical Development

We will be:

- Developing pencil and scissor skills.
- Using a variety of small tools in art.
- Developing our accuracy.
- Developing our balance.
- Learning to safely navigate space.
- Learning how to gallop, skip, hop and side-step.
- Using equipment to build.

## Mathematics

In Maths this term we will be:

- Counting up to 5 objects.
- Counting to 10.
- Identifying and writing numerals to 5.
- Singing counting rhymes.
- Exploring how to represent numbers 1-5 in different ways.

## Personal, Social & Emotional Development

At the start of the year Owls will learn:

- Our school rules - sharing, being kind, being helpful, listening well, having good manners and tidying up well.
- How to be independent.
- How to be aware of others and their emotions.
- How to try new things.
- How to make positive relationships and manage our feelings and behaviour.

## Owls Class Autumn Term 1



**Amazing Me**  
Why am I amazing?

## Key Information

P.E this term is on **Wednesdays and Thursdays**.  
Children will need P.E kit suitable for outside.

We will be going on Welly Walks every **Friday**.  
Please ensure your child brings wellies and a raincoat on these days, as we will be walking whatever the weather.

Please read **5 times** a week with your child.  
Encourage them to turn the pages themselves.

**Don't forget to check our class page on the website weekly for blog updates and information.**

## Literacy

**In Literacy this term we will be:**

- Teaching letter sounds in phonics sessions.
- Going on sound walks and listening carefully to our environment.
- Singing rhyming songs, nursery rhymes and playing rhyming games.
- Labelling pictures.
- Writing and reading CVC words (Consonant/vowel/consonant).
- Introducing correct letter formation.
- Reading tricky words.

## Communication and language

We will be:

- Reading a variety of stories and listening carefully to them.
- Asking questions to our peers and sharing in topical discussions.
- Communicating our likes and dislikes.
- Following instructions.
- Listening and responding to ideas expressed by others.
- Using talk in our play.

## Expressive arts and design

We will be:

- Using a variety of tools.
- Exploring colour mixing.
- Painting and drawing portraits.
- Creating models from different materials.
- Building structures.
- Exploring textures through a variety of mediums like paint, crayons and collage.



**ROOTS TO GROW, WINGS TO FLY**  
"They will soar on wings like eagles."