Dear parents,

Hope you had a lovely Summer break. This is the overview of what the children are going to be learning in Autumn term. Please ensure that the home-school communication is filled in every morning before school so we are aware of any changes to routine or dysregulations.

Could I ask that all children have a spare set of clothes in class, a rain coat and a pair of wellies that can be left in school. Please also provide your child with a bottle of water daily and a snack (fruit). We are asking for donations of packs of biscuits to support social skills through our snack times, wet

Many thanks, Berry Team.

wipes and tissues.

History/Geography:

During Autumn 1 we will be exploring life without shops, this includes how food was made (and where it comes from), how they traded their goods and looking at the different transport. For Autumn 2 we will be revisiting 'Improving our school environment' by learning about Recycling, litter picking and helping to keep the school clean we will work closely with the Eco council.

Autumn 2

Personal safety

Danger awareness

Stranger danger

Knowing where to get

help (who helps you)

Road-safety

<u>Life skills</u>

<u>Autumn 1</u> Practical living

- Routines
- Cooking and
- meal times
- Tidying up
- Cleaning
- gardening

<u>English</u>

During English, we will be looking at a variety of text which encourages different vocabulary. We will look at describing settings, appearances and learning how to sequence stories. Alongside this, we will continue with different ability phonics lessons through using little Wandle to encourage reading and comprehension. Books for the Autumn term are: Do you want to be my friend? Rosie's Walk, We're going on a pumpkin hunt, Arghhhhh spider, Goldilocks and the Three Bears and The Jolly Postman

> Berry Class Autumn Term overview School Topic: Little People, Big Dreams

<u>Maths</u>

Throughout Autumn term we will be looking at various areas of maths. This will be taught to the ability of the children. They will be experiencing maths by learning through sensory objects and manipulatives. The areas we will be covering during the Autumn term are: Recapping addition and subtraction to 20, time and place value to 50.

<u>Science</u>

In Autumn 1, the children will be learning all about life cycles. They will be learning about life cycles of caterpillars by observing their own butterfly farm and visiting London Zoo.

For Autumn 2, the children will be learning about: What do we need to keep healthy? This will be done by exploring health living and how exercise is good for us.

<u>Mainstream</u>

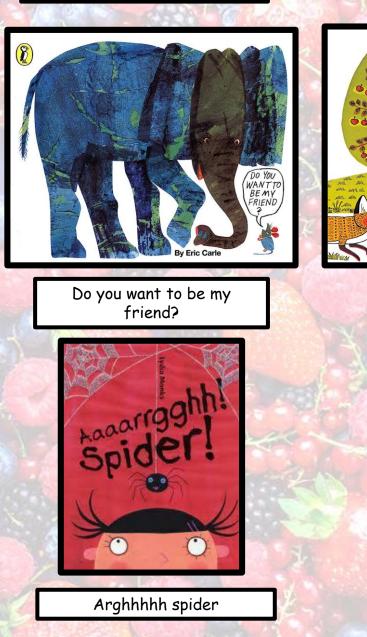
Depending on your child's ability and interests, the children will be spending some time attached to the mainstream class. This will include time for P.E, music, drama or Art. If the children are not in their mainstream classes for this, they will be completing the adapted lessons in Berry class.

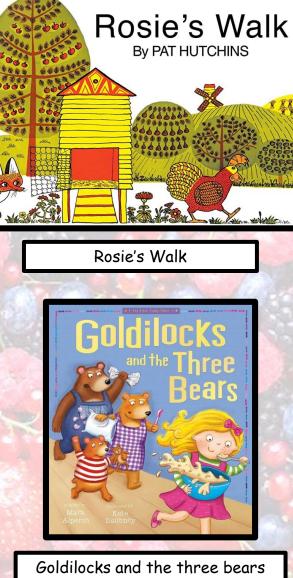
Please be aware that some of the material taught in Berry class maybe subject to change depending on the children and their needs.

Computing:

We will be continuing to learn about coding throughout the term but also learning how to type on a computer and learning about how to be safe when using a computer.

Book list For Autumn Term







<u>Colourful semantics example template</u>

