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 wipes and tissues.

Many thanks, Berry Team.

## History/Geography:

During Autumn 1 we will be exploring life from the Victorian era and beginning to understand how they lived. We will use the key vocabulary past and present to describe the different house types and items. For Autumn 2 we will be learning about different natural disasters and how they can affect our community and

Autumn 2

Personal safety

Danger awareness

Stranger danger

Knowing where to get

help (who helps you)

Road-safety

# Life skills

world.

### Autumn 1 Practical living

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

# Enalish

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: The coloured Monster goes to school, My way to make good choices, The badtempered ladybird, we're going on a ghost hunt, we're going on a present hunt & The Christmas Bear.

> Berry Class Autumn Term overview School Topic: Get up, stand up

### Computing:

This half term we will be learning about multimedia on the iPads and with this, we will be making a 'talking book' using the J2E program.

# Maths

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: Place Value within 100, Time, Money & shapes.

### Science

In Autumn 1, the children will spend time looking at different materials. We will be looking at the different materials in the classroom, what materials float or sink, what materials are waterproof and how different materials are used.

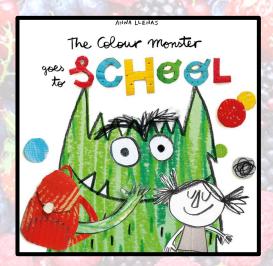
For Autumn 2, the children will be learning about magnets. They will learn what they are, what materials are magnetic and about the strengths of different magnets.

### Mainstream

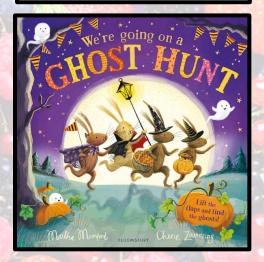
Depending on your child's ability and interests, the children will be spending some time attached to the mainstream class. This will include time for P.E. music, drama or Art. If the children are not in their mainstream classes for this. they will be completing the adapted lessons in Berry class.

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

### Book list For Autumn Term



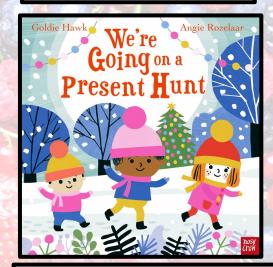
The Colour Monster goes to school.



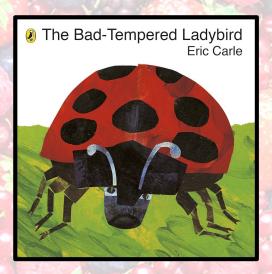
We're going on a Ghost Hunt



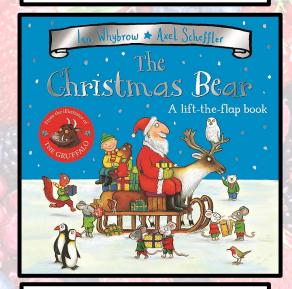
My way to make good choices



We're going on a Present hunt



The Bad Tempered Ladybird



The Christmas Bear

