

F1 Teachers - Mrs Higgs (Monday to Wednesday) Mrs Luchmun (Thursday to Friday)

F2 Teachers - Miss Ainscough

Physical Development

We deliver a dedicated PE lesson twice a week, but also provide opportunities throughout the day for children to develop their gross and fine motor skills through activities such as balancing, dancing, threading, cutting, construction play and mark making, both indoors and outdoors.

Communication and Language

Our foundation children are offered a range of exciting opportunities which aim to develop their communication and language skills. These include a balance of child initiated play and adult-led activities including sharing during circle time and imaginative role-play.

In Autumn term, our main focus is settling the children into foundation. We work on establishing routines and building positive relationships with adults and classmates.

Literacy

We follow the Little Wandle Letters and Sounds phonics programme, which supports the development of early reading and spelling skills. Each week, children are introduced to four new sounds. Initially, our focus is on identifying initial sounds in words and recording these. Children have plenty of opportunities to engage in mark making through drawing, stencilling and painting.



Mathematics

During the Autumn term, children will be introduced to fundamental concepts of numbers and counting, gradually acquiring basic mathematical language. An enthusiasm for mathematics and problem-solving will be fostered through engaging maths games and enjoyable activities. Much of your child's learning will stem from exploring and discussing mathematical concepts within their everyday environment. They will investigate the composition of numbers up to 5, begin comparing sets of objects, and utilise comparative language.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development (PSED)

In PSED, we meet a character called the 'Colour Monster.' He introduces children to the concept of emotions using a fun colour-based system. By linking different feelings with specific colours, the Colour Monster encourages children to explore and understand their own emotions in an engaging way. This helps them learn to identify, express, and manage their feelings, all of which are vital for emotional development.



