

### Literacy

#### In School:

To give meaning to their marks as they draw, write and paint.

To form recognisable letters in order to write their name.

#### At Home:

To identify recognisable letters in the environment and make links to their own name.

To practise writing their name.

### C and L (Communication and Language)

#### In School:

To develop attention by listening to stories.

To be able to follow simple instructions.

To recount and share own experiences with others.

#### At Home:

Share stories with your child.

Give your child sets of instructions to follow at home, e.g **first** eat your breakfast, **then** brush your teeth.

To share memories of important events at Autumn.

### This half term we are particularly....

**Excited about our different events, keep an eye on the intranet for any upcoming events and what they need to bring.**

### YARDLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL

Harvey Road, Yardley, Birmingham, B26 1TD

Tel: 0121 464 3235 Fax: 0121 464 6647

Email: [enquiry@yardleyschool.com](mailto:enquiry@yardleyschool.com)

### PSED (Personal, Social and Emotional development)

#### In School:

To say when they do or don't need help.

To form good relationships with adults and their peers in school.

#### At Home:

Encourage your child to verbalise their needs and use good manners.

### This half term Reception we will be learning about:

## Starting school

## All about me and Harvest

### Important Information:

**PE/PD:** Please ensure that your child has a P.E kit, a pair of wellies and a water bottle ( don't forget to label them!)

**Homework:** This half term each child will receive a reading diary, please ensure that it is used and brought to school everyday.

### Please can you also make sure that all belongings are clearly labelled with your child's name and class.

#### Important dates:

**Roald Dahl Day (dress up) —Thursday 13th September**

**MacMillan Coffee afternoon—Friday 28th September 1.45pm**

**Individual pupil photos—Wednesday 26th September**

**Weekly merit assembly starts - Thursday 27th September**

**MacMillan Coffee afternoon—Friday 28th September 1.45pm**

**Reading workshop for parents/carers—Monday 15th October**

**Last day of term—Thursday 25th October**

#### Parent consultations:

RAL and RB —Monday 24th September

RD and RN —Tuesday 25th September

**Consultations by appointment only.**



### Maths

#### In School:

To use number names and number language appropriately.

To show an interest in shape and space by playing with shapes or making arrangements with objects.

#### At Home:

Discuss shapes around the home. How many can you find?

Look at numbers in the environment. What number is on your door?

### PD (Physical Development)

#### In School/At Home

To develop pencil skills whilst holding pencil correctly.

To develop independence skills in self care.

Encourage your child to dress independently.

### Understanding of the World

#### In School/At Home:

To talk about special times or events for family or friends.

To encourage children to comment and ask questions about the world around them.

### Expressive Art and Design

#### In School:

Experiment with colour, texture and resources.

To express their feelings through song and dance.

#### At Home:

Role play and build stories around different toys or objects in the home.

Explore rhythm and movements to songs.