

Communication & Language

This half term, children will be encouraged to:

- Develop listening and attention skills.
- Develop play skills by playing alongside an adult.
- Listen to stories paying attention to the illustrations.
- Begin to enjoy familiar nursery rhymes.
- Make my needs known by gesture.
- Begin to use simple sentences.
- Recognise and respond to many familiar sounds.

Spring Buds This is me! Autumn 1



Physical Development

Children will be taught to:

- Snip with pre-scissors.
- Move a ride on toy pushing with feet..
- Jump with 2 feet from a low step.
- Walk upstairs independently using a wall or banister for support..
- Bounce and nod to music.
- Build with bricks, knock down and rebuild.
- Squeeze and prod dough.
- To run without bumping into things, starting and stopping easily.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Children will be encouraged to:

- Separate from carer confidently on arrival.
- Build strong bonds with keyworker.
- Follow a simple routine with prompts and encouragement.
- Show an interest in helping with nappy changing routine, e.g. collecting nappy.
- Start to understand when things are mine and other belong to someone else.
- Increasingly able to manage my emotions.

PRIME AREAS

Welcome to Spring Buds!

This half-term we will be spending time making sure your child is happy and settled in their new class. We will help them to learn routines and establish friendships.

Their learning will be developed through play, using a mix of child initiated, small group and adult led activities.