

In Maths...

Counting to 20
Recognising numerals to 20
Naming and describing shapes
Repeating patterns
Positional Language
Exploring the properties of 2D and 3D shapes
Begin to use a range of everyday language to discuss time, distance, capacity and money



In Understanding the World...

Exploring ice and melting
Dinosaurs
Chinese New Year



We may make...

Biscuits
Soup
Pancakes
Noodles
Paintings



We may visit...

Canvey Lake
And take a local walk to the library

In Reception our themes for the Spring term are...

Brrrrr! And Raarrrrrrr!
(Winter and Dinosaurs)

Food, glorious food from around the world



In Communication, Language and Literacy...

Name writing
Continuing to learn letter names and sounds, including digraphs and trigraphs
Using phonics to read words
Helicopter story writing
Talking and Listening
Storytelling
Write some graphemes correctly to make simple words

Our homework is to...

Read for five minutes a day at least five times a week
To learn our letter sounds, names and tricky words
To begin to write our names independently
To complete additional homework when set

For Physical development ...

Balancing and jumping off objects and landing appropriately
Rolls
Throwing and catching
Using tools safely eg scissors
Forming letters accurately