How can you help?

* Read books about families and parts of the body
* Talk about different hobbies and what you like to do
* Talk about different people who helps us e.g. police, fire service, bin men, hairdressers etc.
* Make sure your child knows what to do in the event of an emergency.
* Talk about your family and your culture at home.
* Look at photographs of your family.
* Talk about your likes and dislikes.
* Sing nursery rhymes with your child, you can find these on YouTube.
* Practise counting from 1-20 and looking out for numbers e.g. on doors, on buses
* Read with your child every night. Don’t forget the words in your envelope!
* Practise writing your child’s name at home.
* Let your child try dressing themselves.
* Looking for a day out? Why not try a new hobby together?

**Autumn 1: Marvellous Me**

We will be learning to:

**Mathematics (M)**

* Sing number rhymes.
* Recognise numbers 1-20.
* Use number rhymes to count on one more.
* Order numbers to 10.
* Count objects by pointing to them/ lining them up.
* Recognise Numicon tiles 1-10.

**Communication and language (C&L)**

* Respond to what we hear in stories, conversations etc and continue conversations on the same theme.
* Answer questions and ask questions about ourselves and others.
* Answer questions and ask questions about superheroes.

 **Personal, social and emotional development (PSED)**

* Feel confident and proud of ourselves.
* Use our words and understanding of feelings to solve problems.
* Talk about our likes and dislikes.
* Talk about our family and home.



**Literacy (L)**

* Listen to stories about people and families.
* Talk about characters, events, settings in stories and use words to explain and question.
* Use our new sounds to make marks and write.
* Write our name, using the correct letter formation.
* Hear sounds in words.

Reminders:

* Please check bags for letters and homework.
* Homework will be sent home on a Friday. Please send it back by Wednesday morning.
* PE is on a Thursday afternoon.
* Please add photographs and comments onto your child’s learning journey
* When you drop off your child please feel free to speak to your child’s teacher about all the fantastic work they have been doing at home. You might even want to bring it in to show the class.
* Please bring in any empty boxes/containers etc. for children to use in our creative area.
* Don’t forget to bring in your reading book every day and put it in either the red or green box.

**Physical Development (PD)**

* Use tools to draw, write, build, and explore play dough.
* Begin to make healthy and safe choices throughout the school day e.g washing hands, going to the toilet. cutting carefully,
* Move safely around the classroom.
* Hold our pencil correctly.
* Begin to form our letters correctly, always starting at the top.

**Expressive Art and Design (EAD)**

* Use our bodies to make sounds.
* Draw portraits of ourselves and other people.
* Learn songs about ourselves.

**Understanding the World (KUW)**

* Use the camera on i-pads.
* Recognise and talk about people who help us.
* Know what to do if there was an emergency.
* Understand how our emergency services help us.