

Enfield Heights Academy Learning Web – Reception Spring 1

Amazing people

Force for positive change: This half term we will be creating posters and fundraising for a new reading shed in school. This will support our school driver of Reading – which we believe opens the gateway to all learning and so supports all children fulfil their full potential.

Key dates:

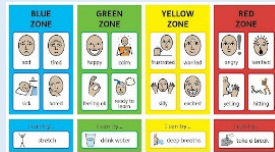
Online safety - 9th February
Inset day – 13th February

Communication and Language:

During this half term, we will hold circle time discussions focused on treating people fairly, exploring individuals from the past, and ways we can help others. The children will be given the opportunity to share their thoughts and experiences, fostering a supportive environment for learning and growth. Together, we will inspire kindness and understanding in our community.



We will continue to support our emotional awareness, and feelings using the Zones of Regulation.



Personal, Social Emotional Development:

Self-Regulation - Show an understanding of their own feelings and those of others, and begin to regulate their behaviour accordingly.

Managing Self - Be confident to try new activities and show independence, resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge.

Building Relationships - Work and play cooperatively and take turns with others. Beginning to form positive attachments with peers around them.

Showing resilience is essential; for example, I can complete the daily challenge of putting my shoes on.

Physical Development:

The children will be learning about different ways to travel and move in PE this half term.



They will be performing movement to music such as creative dance, stretching, climbing, jumping and jogging.

In class they will also focus on using pipettes and scissors. The children will also use tweezers, weaving and threading. We will continue with dough disco.

Literacy

This half term in Literacy the children will be looking at fiction books.



We will start our new topic, 'Once Upon a Time', where we will visit the faraway lands of some traditional fairy tales.

The story of 'The Gingerbread Man' will be one of our focus books for the term. We will be thinking about the main events in the story and, in particular, what the characters are thinking and saying. The children will rehearse the story in 5 parts 'once upon a time, one day, unfortunately, luckily and eventually'.

Maths

In numeracy, we will continue to secure counting and number skills. This half term we will encourage children to practice counting, ordering and subitising. We will also be securing number bonds to 5 and exploring 1 more than of numbers up to 10.



Expressive Art and Design

In art, children will learn to mixing primary colours. They will also learn to use the technique of collage to create scene of transport.



Music

This half term the children will explore listening to familiar nursery rhymes. To listen with intent, to sing clearly and to perform songs with actions.

Understanding the World: Amazing people

This half term, our learning journey is titled "Amazing People." We will explore the remarkable individuals in our world and how their actions have inspired us.

Additionally, we will have circle time discussions about different modes of transport, including aeroplanes, boats, buses, and cars.



Spanish

The children will be learning and exploring the Spanish Language each week. They will learn – to say their colours and count up to 5 in Spanish). As well as sing songs.



