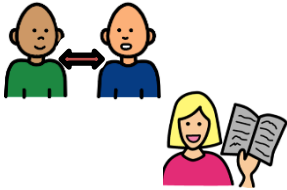

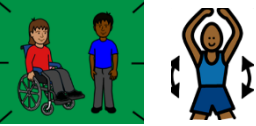







Curriculum information for Parents and Carers



Pandas	Step 3	Summer 1 2022
Gardening		
<p>Communication, Language and Literacy</p> 	<p>Your child will be working on: -</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Developing their communication skills in all lessons • Working on their IEP targets. <p>Reading</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sensory story- the secrets of a vegetable garden- By Carron Brown and Giordano Paloni • Regular one to one reading sessions to explore books/ learn to read. <p>Funky Fingers</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We will be doing a variety of activities to strengthen our fine and gross motor skills including digging, planting and writing in soil. Exploring a black bean planting tray and was washing gardening equipment. 	
<p>Personal, Social and Emotional Development and RE</p> 	<p>Your child will be working on their PSED skills including learning about emotions, and having interactions with others throughout the day. We will be brushing our teeth and will be involved in our personal care routines.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PSED- in PSED we will be learning about our bodies and how they change as we get older. We will be looking at pictures of us as babies and how different we look now. We will also be labelling body parts whilst doing yoga and playing with the MR potato heads. 	
<p>Physical Development</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • PE (team games) we will be playing different sports such as football, Kurling and skittles. Some children will be recording scores and cheerleading while the others are playing. • Cycling- some of us will be going on the cycling on Wednesday mornings. • Swimming- some of us will be going swimming on a Monday morning at Hazel grove swimming pool. <p>Every day we will use a variety of physical equipment during 'ready to learn' and break times to ensure we are meeting everyone's sensory and physical needs.</p>	
<p>Cognition/Mathematics</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All children will work on their number targets throughout the week. • (money) whilst out on our PE trips we will be buying things from shops and using vending machines. We will be practicing using cash and debit cards and some of us will be recognising coins. Back in school we will be role playing a garden centre by taking it in turns to be a shop keeper and a customer. 	
<p>Understanding of the World</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ICT- this half term we are learning about typing, we will be playing different typing games and creating pictures using the chrome books. We will then be printing out our work in the office. • Science- we are exploring plants this half term and will be doing lots of gardening. We are going to look after the sensory garden, plant new things and watch them grow. Some of us will be carrying out experiments to find out if plants grow better in a dark or a light place. 	
<p>Expressive Arts and Design</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Design Technology- Our focus in DT is making structures using natural materials. We will be designing and creating our own dens, making rainmakers using leaves and twigs and decorating our own wooden photo frames. • Music- folk musicians (Billy and Connor) will be joining us on Wednesday afternoons this half term. They will sing with us and play and bring a variety of instruments for us to play. We will be learning all about rhythm in these sessions. 	
<p>Other</p>	<p>We are looking forward to lots of time outside in the sunshine this half term and going on different trips out of school.</p>	