

# Nursery Autumn Overview 2021-22

## Characteristics of Effective Learning

**Playing and exploring:** - Children investigate and experience things, and 'have a go'. Children who actively participate in their own play develop a larger store of information and experiences to draw on which positively supports their learning

**Active learning:** - Children concentrate and keep on trying if they encounter difficulties. They are proud of their own achievements. For children to develop into self-regulating, lifelong learners they are required to take ownership, accept challenges and learn persistence.

**Creating and thinking critically:** - Children develop their own ideas and make links between these ideas. They think flexibly and rationally, drawing on previous experiences which help them to solve problems and reach conclusions.



**Play:** At Langley First School, we believe that learning through play is key to the development of our young children. We provide meaningful, relevant and engaging activities that will engage your child. We plan a balanced curriculum, both indoors and outdoors, offering the children learning opportunities based on new experiences as well as those based on the children's individual interests.



## Parental Involvement

Guided Tour - Stay & Play

Parent's Evening

Surprise Readers x 4 (sign-up sheet and further information on Seesaw soon)

Parent Show&Tell (further information on Seesaw soon)

Parent Helpers for Postbox walk (more information to follow in Autumn 2)

## What will we learn?

*N.B These are the overarching intentions for Autumn term. These may change depending on the childrens starting points. You will receive weekly updates on Seesaw about what we will/have been learning that week.*

Starting Nursery and routines

Self-care including breathing exercises

Naming emotions



Talking about our families and how we are the same or different



Environmental sounds

Colours



Matching objects and sorting objects

Nursery Rhymes and Poems

Autumn



Gross motor movements

Selecting and using resources for creative activities



## Over & Over Texts

Shark in the Park  
The Tiger Who Came to Tea  
Giraffe's Can't Dance  
The Gingerbread Man  
Spooky Spooky Spooky

## Key Texts

Brown Bear, Brown Bear What Do You See?  
Rosie's Walk  
The Colour Monster  
Pete the Cat – I love my White Shoes

## Enrichment, Party Starters and Celebrations

*NB: These may be adapted or changed to allow for children's interests.*

Autumn Walk  
Harvest Time & Songs  
Birthdays  
Surprise Readers  
Circus Skills Show  
Halloween  
Bonfire Night  
Safe to be Me Week  
Cooking  
Walk to Postbox  
Christmas