

Mathematics

We will be practising counting up to 20 as well as recognising, matching and ordering these numbers. We will begin to think about patterns through the use of simple images and shapes.

Communication and Language

We will be building our confidence to speak in front of our new friends and developing our listening skills. Throughout the year we will each have a turn at taking our class teddy home. We can then share our adventures and stories with the rest of the class.

Physical Development

We will be doing lots of activities to prepare ourselves for writing such as 'Dough Gym' and 'Squiggle while you Wiggle'. In P.E we will be practising getting changed independently and exploring different ways of moving.

Literacy

We will be working on our early writing skills by free mark-making activities making sure we're holding the pencil correctly. In phonics we will be reading, writing and hearing initial sounds.

**Context for
Learning / Theme:**
**What Makes You
Super**

**Welcome to
Woodstone!**

Understanding the World

During the first half of the term we will be learning about ourselves and what makes us super. We will also be thinking about our families and who lives in our house. We will also be starting our weekly Forest School sessions.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

During the first half of the term we will be settling into school and thinking about making new friends and what makes a good friend. We will be introduced to the school rules and our class behaviour chart and rewards systems.

Expressive Arts and Design

We will be painting self-portraits as well as portraits of our families. We will also be thinking about and drawing picture of people who help us. Throughout the term we will also be sharing our favourite songs and rhymes from pre-school with our classmates.