

### English

Throughout the year: speaking and listening; reading and phonics; understanding and responding to texts (Colourful Semantics), Speech and Language Therapies (Attention Bucket, Lego-based).

### Writing

Following a multi sensory approach children will be taught basic size, shape and position concepts by practicing writing in sand, chalk boards (wet and dry methods), white boards, using a variety of writing materials ie. crayons, markers, chunky pencils, triangular short pencils, pencils with and without grips, pens and paintbrushes.

Children will also practice their fine motor skills through using scissors and sensory play

Reading: Picture books (Makaton, PECs to support understanding); children will also be encouraged to read books at home with parent/carer support.

### Science

#### Plants, Living Things and Habitats:

We will be learning the names of plants, animals and other living things. We will learn what plants need to grow by planting seeds and bulbs and then observing them as they grow. We will learn to label their parts and watch how they change. We will also be classifying the different groups of animals and insects, some of their life cycles and looking at their diet and habitats.

### Computing

Children will be learning about safety: (privacy and security) and coding.

## The Orchard — Summer Term — Our topic is Building on an Inclusive World



### PE

We have PE once a week on various days (depending on class). We are focusing on fundamental gross and fine movement skills: rolling, crawling, walking, jumping, running, hopping, skipping and climbing. As well as, refining a range of ball skills including: throwing, catching, kicking, passing, batting, and aiming. Children will develop confidence, competence, precision and accuracy when engaging in activities that involve a ball. We have also returned to swimming lessons at South Norwood Leisure Centre on a weekly basis (Olive and Willows classes alternating).

### Maths

In our maths lessons this term, we will continue learning about and consolidating the following topics:

- Addition and subtraction
- Counting in 2's, 5's and 10's
- Money and time
- Length, height and weight
- Quarters and halves
- Doubles and halves
- 2D and 3D shapes
- Position, direction and movement
- Number bonds within 20.
- Counting to and across 100,

### Theme

Our theme this term is:

#### 'Building on an Inclusive World'

Children will build on their knowledge learnt about their place in the world, concept of the world and scale, basic construct of Earth. They will name, locate, and identify: the 4 countries and capitals within the UK & surrounding seas and the oceans/seas and 7 continents on Earth/. In history, they will learn about the moments and movements that have changed history that are linked to and significant to our British Values and the current time in the world:

Children will also learn and understand about equality and discrimination, different religions and beliefs. And how music an art is used to express and include both our current and past within our global community.