

Penguins Curriculum Map

Communication and Language

We will be developing children's confidence to talk about themselves, their school and their families, while learning to listen and respond to others. We will develop these skills through songs, circle times, stories, conversations and play, introducing new vocabulary and encouraging children to share their ideas and experiences.



Literacy

We will be developing a love of books and stories, talking about characters and events and encouraging children to share their ideas. Children will begin their Read Write Inc. Phonics journey, recognise their own names and develop early mark-making skills, using drawings and marks to communicate meaning.



Term 1

Learning Journey

Understanding the World

We will explore ourselves, our families, our school and the world around us.

Expressive Arts & Design

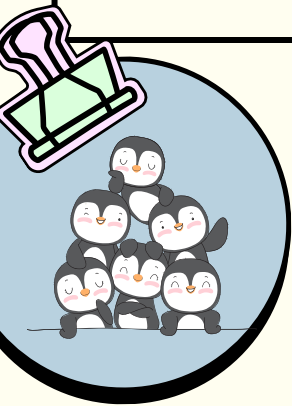
We will explore different materials, sounds and creative techniques through art, music, songs and role play.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

We will focus on settling, building relationships, understanding feelings and developing independence.

Maths

We will be developing children's understanding of numbers to 5, with a particular focus on subitising, counting, making and comparing quantities. Children will also explore colour and simple repeating patterns through practical activities, songs, games and play.



Physical Development

We will be developing children's fine and gross motor skills, building hand and finger strength and improving control through mark-making, cutting and a range of fine motor activities. Children will also develop their physical confidence and independence, including managing coats and shoes, moving safely and following simple instructions. In PE, we will focus on fundamental movement skills such as balancing, travelling and following instructions.

