

Literacy

Books: Michael Rosen stories (e.g. We're Going On A Bear Hunt)

Comprehension: Talking about characters and events.

Phonics: Recognising new phonemes (to be shared each week). Blending confidently.

Writing: Forming letters accurately. Applying phonics to spelling. Orally rehearsing and then writing a simple sentence.

Communication & Language

Sharing thoughts and feelings. Describing events in detail. Answering 'how?' and 'why?' questions. Listening and responding to the ideas of others.

Physical Development

Gross motor: Improving body strength, coordination and balance.

Fine motor: Using the correct pencil grip. Developing scissor control.

PE days this half term are:

Mondays and **Wednesdays**



Cherry Tree Primary

Class F's Learning Spring 1 2026

Expressive Arts & Design

Art: Finger painting. Making collages. Modelling (using play dough and clay).

Music: Singing well-known nursery rhymes. Using percussion instruments. Keeping a steady beat.

Understanding the World

Science: Seasonal changes. Different animals around the world.

History: How homes have changed.

Geography: Comparing different places / environments.

RE: Special celebrations.

Homework

Reading (at least 3 times per week)

Little Wandle home learning sheet

How You Can Help

Literacy:

Check the LW home learning sheet. Practise the sounds and tricky words with your child. Encourage your child to write/provide them with opportunities (birthday cards, shopping lists, etc).

Maths:

Count objects / sing counting songs. Practise writing the numbers 1-10. Look for different 2D shapes at home / when you are out and about.

Maths

Subitising.

Finding 1 more and 1 less.

Partitioning numbers into two parts.

Understanding the difference between an odd number and an even number.

Combining two groups / finding how many there are altogether.

Comparing mass.

Comparing capacity.

Personal, Social & Emotional Development

Self regulation: Negotiate and solve problems.

Managing self: Be willing to take part in a wide range of activities.

Building relationships: Start conversations.

Important Dates

Tuesday 3rd February:

EYFS trip

Class F and preschool children will spend the day at Imagine That! (Liverpool)