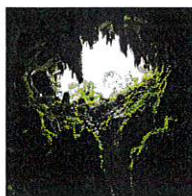


ACORNS CLASS—AUTUMN ONE

Let's Explore



Build It Up



Driver Area:

Understanding the World

- We will learn about the environments that we share with others, including our homes, school and places in the local community.
- We will learn about structures and materials. Children will have opportunity to work in groups to create collaborative structures.

Memorable experience:

Village walk with our Year 5/6 buddies.

Personal, social and emotional development:

We will spend time getting to know one another, forming new friendships and adjusting to new routines. Children will take part in lots of team building and collaborative games where skills like sharing and listening to others will be discussed.

Maths

Numbers to 5, comparing groups within 5 and shape (3D and 2D shapes)

Understanding the World

We will explore different textures with feely boxes and describe how they feel. Can the children correctly guess what's inside?! We will consider the different animals that live in our local area. What animals might live on the school grounds and where should we look?! We will go in search of minibeasts like worms and woodlice.

Phonics, Drawing Club and Talk for Writing

Phonics: We will be learning a new sound each day.

Drawing Club: A true adventure based around the 'Golden Blend' of picture books, tales and animations allowing children to explore their ideas and creativity.

Talk for Writing: Our focus novel for Autumn 1 will be *Where the Wild Things are*.

Communication & Language

We will be practising our skills of listening and responding to others. Children will be encouraged to share their thoughts and ideas on topics such as, where would you like to explore? Where would you like to go on an adventure?

Physical development

Body Management: balance, manipulating objects, stretching, reaching and performing specific movements on command.

Manipulation & Coordination: send and receive objects, work collaboratively and coordinate body parts.

P.E Lessons are on Thursday and Friday

Religious Education

'Why do Christians perform Nativity Plays at Christmas?'

Harvest and Diwali

Expressive Arts and Design

- Making miniature homes
- Building vehicles in the construction area
- Creating our own fantasy world pictures.