

## Literacy

We will be reading books from the Oxford Reading Tree as well as 'The Little Red Hen.' The children will begin phonics sessions where they will learn to read and spell simple words, and practise writing their name by forming letters correctly.



## Understanding of the World

We will be thinking about how our environment is changing as we move further into Autumn, as well as learning about Harvest and preparing for Harvest Festival.



## Expressive Arts and Design

The children have a weekly music session with Mrs Bradley each Friday and can practise their skills in our music area with a variety of instruments.

We will be having various role-plays, including a doctors and shop. The children are encouraged to play in these areas using their imagination and act out their experiences.



Edgewood Primary School

Building skills and values for life

# All About Me



Welcome to Autumn Term 2017.

This booklet gives you a small overview to the topics we will be covering up until half term. The curriculum is divided into 7 areas of learning which are highlighted in this leaflet for you. We will continue to send newsletters home, describing what we have been doing in class and how you can help at home. If you have any questions, please ask a member of Red or Green class staff.

## Personal, Social, Emotional Development

We begin talking about our school rules and how we behave to make friends and make good choices. The children will have times where they can talk about their likes and dislikes and get to know each other.



## Communication & Language

The children are encouraged to speak in front of their class mates, sharing their thoughts, ideas and opinions. Through different areas of the curriculum the children are taught new vocabulary and encouraged to speak in clear sentences.

We will also be having a 'Word of the Day.'



## Physical Development

The focus for our PE lessons will be listening to and following instructions, finding a space and travelling in space in different ways. The children are encouraged to get dressed as independently as possible.

We will also be showing the children what equipment we have to promote their gross motor and fine motor skills, including hole punchers, scissors and staplers.



## Numeracy

We have a theme each week which the children access at their own level.

1. Counting to 20 and beyond by rote and counting out a given number
2. Recognising and understanding numbers to 10
3. Matching numerals and sets
4. Recognising and making pictures with 2d shapes
5. Naming shape properties, including corners, sides, points, edges

