Communication and Language

This half term, we will be listening to fiction and nonfiction stories. We will ask questions to gain a better understanding while also articulating our thoughts into well-formed sentences. By doing this, we will be building upon our current vocabulary and learning new words to use in everyday speech.

Personal, Social and Emotional

In Jigsaw, our new topic is called "Healthy Me". Through this, we will be learning about the importance of exercise, sleep and eating healthy foods. We will also talk about the importance of handwashing and discuss stranger danger.

Literacy

In our Read, Write, Inc. lessons, we will continue to learn to blend sounds to read and segment sounds for spelling.

In English, we will be reading books by our focus author, Eric Carle, and we will be using adjectives in our writing to describe. In our non-fiction writing, we will create a leaflet about being healthy.

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Maths

During our maths sessions, we will be exploring all numbers up to 10. We will be learning which pairs of numbers make 10 (our number bonds) and investigating odd and even numbers.

Physical Development

In P.E. this term we will be looking at physical literacy. Physical literacy helps us to develop our motivation and confidence in the basic skills of running, skipping, and jumping so that we can apply these to sports later in life. We will develop our understanding of what these skills are & how to perform them safely.

Understanding the World

In this area of learning, we will be exploring Easter and the Hindu festival of Holi. We will find out how people celebrate these. We will also be comparing different environments around the world and making maps of our classroom and school.

Expressive Arts and Design

In our weekly music lessons, we will start by listening to a song and then share our responses about how the song made us feel. We will also be learning to sing a variety of nursery rhymes. In our creative sessions, we will also be exploring ways to mix colours to see what colours we can make.