# Communication and Language, Literacy Focus Texts: Little Red Hen, Jesus' Christmas Party

## This half term we will:

- Learn a story
- Draw a story map
- Innovate a story
- Write labels
- Write instructions
- Write speech bubbles
- Write a thank you letter
- Make a shopping list
- Write a simple sentence
- Learn rhymes

#### Our daily phonics lessons will focus on:

Speed sounds and oral blending

\*Please read with you child daily

# Expressive Arts and Design

#### This half term we will:

- Bake bread
- Manipulate and sculpt clay
- Make and paint a Diya Lamp
- Make a firework painting by colour mixing
- Design a Hanukkah and Christmas card

# Reception Curriculum Map Autumn 2 2023



#### Values

Gratitude, Appreciation, Thoughtfulness Sensational Starter: To make bread

Fabulous Finish: Christmas Party

## Understanding the World

#### This half term we will:

- Go on a -Autumn Walk
- Learn about seasons and the weather
- Learn about Light and Dark looking at nocturnal animals
- Plant and care for a bulb.
- Learn about Diwali making Rangoli patterns and indian sweets
- Learn about Hanukkah and Christmas

# Physical Development

## This half term we will:

- Develop and apply footwork
- Learn a one leg balance
- Learn how to jump and land
- Learn a seated balance

### Maths

#### This half term we will:

- Recognise, and talk about 2Ds shapes
- Look at shapes in the environment
- Compare shapes looking for similarities and differences
- Look at composition of 4 and 5
- Learn about 1 more and 1 less
- Learn our Odd and Even
- · Share and problem solving
- Look at night and day



# Personal, Social and Emotional Development

#### ·This half term we will:

- Identify something I am good at and understand that everyone is good at different things
- Say why I think my home is special to me
- Learn how to be a kind friend
- Know which words to use to stand up for myself, when someone says or does something unkind
- Learn how to give compliments