

# Reception Let's Explore Topic Web Spring 1

## Prime Area Personal, social and emotional development

- New year resolutions
- Continue to develop independence and self-help skills
- perseverance and facing challenges
- not giving up and achieving goals
- using kind words
- Feeling proud

## Prime Area Physical Development

- Explore using large and small PE Equipment – playing ball games, tennis, hockey, parachute games, climbing and balancing.
- Using tools such as scissors, wood working equipment, pencils, pens etc. effectively.
- Daily Marvin the Monkey Handwriting
- Daily fine motor activities.
- Daily gross motor activities



## Specific Area Expressive Arts and Design

- Charanga Music
- Listening to different types of music
- Using instruments
- Finding and copying the pulse
- Performing
- Art Skills-Linked to exploring Winter

## Specific Area Maths

- Subitise to 5
- recall number bonds to 5/10
- Naming and describing 2d and 3d shapes.
- prepositional language

## Specific Area Literacy

- Write Stuff
- Writing Sentences, including Capital letters, fingers spaces and full spots
- Daily fine motor and writing opportunities.
  - Applying phonic knowledge to read and write more complex words.
  - Fiction and Non-Fiction



## Prime Area Communication and Language

- Enjoy a range of different text and genres.
- Develop listening and speaking skills.
- Answer 'how' and 'why' questions.
- Explore rhyme and alliteration.
- Learn exciting and challenging vocabulary.
- Apply new vocabulary in different contexts

## Specific Area Understanding the World

- Exploring seasonal changes.
- Exploring and making simple maps including digital maps.
- Learn about local area and key geographical vocabulary.
- Learn about different countries in the world.
- Take part in simple science experiments
- Chinese New Year

## Books

- Martha Maps It Out
- Lost and Found
- The Journey Home
- The Runaway Wok
- Going on a Lion Hunt
- Whatever Next