



# Kew College Prep

Potential unlocked.

## CURRICULUM OUTLINE - AUTUMN TERM 2024

### RECEPTION

<b>Personal, Social and Emotional Development</b>	<p><b>PSED:</b> daily routines and managing belongings independently. Fostering respectful relationships with peers and adults, with a focus on kindness to themselves, others and the world. Developing their emotional literacy, learning to identify, express and manage their emotions in a healthy way.</p>
<b>Physical Development</b>	<p><b>Gym, games, and dance lessons from specialist teachers:</b> developing body awareness and moving in different ways. Focus on using the correct pencil grip. Handwriting and correct formation of letters, dress and undress independently managing buttons and zips.</p>
<b>Communication and Language</b>	<p>Weekend News and talk partner exercises to develop oracy. Asking and answering questions in full sentences. Attend assemblies where children demonstrate that they can listen attentively. <b>French:</b> practise basic vocabulary and structures through songs, video clips, games, and lots of repetition. Topics related to the theme of summer and include talking about greetings, numbers, weather and colours will be revisited in more depth and new topics including numbers up to 20, food and drink and a wider range of classroom objects will be introduced.</p>
<b>Literacy</b>	<p><b>All About Me:</b> focus on books about being kind to each other, different families, and celebrating our differences. <b>Celebrations:</b> discovering Harvest Festival, Halloween, Bonfire night, Diwali, Remembrance Day, Thanksgiving, Christmas and Hannukah. <b>Phonics:</b> recapping phase 2 and orally segmenting and blending, and then we will begin introducing the phase 2 sounds with the correct letter formation.</p>
<b>Mathematics</b>	<p>Recognition and formation of numbers to 10, counting forwards to 20 and back from 10, and understanding the 'one more than/one less than' relationship between consecutive numbers. Making comparisons between objects relating to size, length, weight and capacity. Learn to name and describe 2D shapes. Solving simple daily life mathematical problems.</p>
<b>Understanding the world</b>	<p><b>All About Me:</b> talk about families, friends and people in their community. Parts of the body and how we use our different senses to understand the world around us. <b>Celebrations:</b> visitors to talk about their culture and traditions. <b>Forest school sessions:</b> notice and understand the effect of changing seasons on the natural world. Collective Reflection sessions take place each week. These focus on celebrations, feelings, mindfulness, and philosophical questions. <b>Specialist ICT lessons:</b> Introduction to the basics of coding by programming a robot to follow a sequence of commands. Creating images using different tools such as the pen, paintbrush, and shapes on Purple Mash and Busy Things. Keyboard recognition and typing skills.</p>
<b>Expressive Arts and Design</b>	<p><b>Music:</b> different genres of music through listening, composing and performing, and understand how a different colour can link to a mood. Percussion instruments and musical appreciation is embedded into all lessons. Nativity play to develop stage presence.</p>

**Music and Movement:** Focus is 'expression and musical understanding through movement.' Children will learn to develop their literacy, listening, and movement skills through songs, stories, and traditional nursery rhymes.

**Specialist Art:**

**Materials:** drawing, chalk pastels, painting, collage, mixed media, clay modelling.

**Themes:** All About Me and Celebrations as well as Autumn and Winter seasonal paintings and crafts.

In class, the children will have a range of ways to express and develop their creativity, such as engaging in collage, role play, sewing, small world play and baking, junk modelling.