Personal, Social & Emotional Development

- Choosing activities independently and sustaining choices
- Persevering with tasks we find challenging
- Playing co-operatively and taking turns with others
- Working on "Relationships" talking about friendships and our feelings (SEALS programme)
- Talking about individual choices and fairness
- Thinking and talking about 'big questions'

We are also beginning to think about our move to Year One.

Physical Development

- Enjoying games outside
- Taking part in the 'Daily Mile Challenge'
- Understanding that keeping fit contributes to a healthy lifestyle
- Forming letters and numbers correctly
- Changing to work in games and outside
- Continuing to learn about a healthy diet
- Tennis with Grant
- Sports Day

Communication & Language

- Listening to stories with and without pictures
- Sharing my news with others in groups
- Contributing to class mind maps
- Explaining to others how models work/pictures are developed etc.
- Greetings, counting and singing in French
- Thinking and talking about how I can change my work

Our daily reading books will also help us to learn and use storytelling language. With Mrs Slack, we are having 'show and tell' every Thursday.

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Fun, Respect & Friendship - Every child matters to us

Literacy

- 'Talk for Writing'- storytelling, talking, making story maps, independent writing
- Continue to work on key words
- Individual reading
- Phase 2, 3 and 4 Letters and Sounds applying them in reading and writing
- Writing news, facts and retelling stories
- Writing sentences; fiction and non-fiction

Mathematics

- Exploring some 'Big Ideas' in Early Years Mathematics
- Counting, forming and ordering numbers to 20
- Counting on/back from a given number
- Working with addition and subtraction, and writing number sentences
- Doubling and halving
- Using the appropriate words for measurement - length, height, capacity
- Sorting coins

Understanding the World

- Beach School
- Looking closely at similarities & differences
 patterns and change in the world
- Talking about why changes might happen
- Working in our outdoor classroom
- Using construction to build models
- ullet Planting seeds and observing growth
- Working with and exploring ICT/technology

Expressive Arts & Design

- Using imagination in all creative work
- Exploring how sounds can be changed when singing and playing instruments
- Singing songs and rhymes linked to the topic
- Engaging in small world and role-play activities
- Exploring different textures and using natural materials
- Telling stories through play/drama
- Playing imaginatively with friends