# English -

Phonics- this half term we will learn the final couple of phonemes and then the rest of the lessons will be on 'mastery', which allows the children time to apply the taught phonemes and common exception words to reading and writing with increasing confidence and accuracy.

In our English lessons we will be reading 'Mr Gumpy's Outing' and then retelling it writing short sentences for each part of the story.

Using Spring time as a stimulus the children will be writing their own Spring poem using their senses.

# Expressive Art and Design

This term the children will be creating:
Mother's day crafts
Easter crafts
Observational drawings of the season
Mr Gumpy's outing moving picture
Junk Models

## Understanding the World

Signs of Spring- changing seasons Observing plants growth and decay St David's Day Mother's Day

Still life painting - daffodils

Easter

Sport Relief.

Technology: looking at a range of technology: focus on bee bots. Lots of ICT in play telephones, cameras etc.

Map of Farm

Comparing and Contrasting Environments Journey sticks/double tape strips

They will make observations of animals and plants and explain why some things occur, and talk about what they have noticed.

# Reception Spring 2 –

Down on the farm



#### RE

Value-Forgiveness

**PSHF** 

Circle of Love

Who is in my family? Different families

Love for Pets

Circle of Trust

My caring community Community Heroes

Wider World

#### Mathematics -

This term in Maths we will be finding and representing 6, 7 and 8, as well as working out the composition of these numbers. We will then be finding one more and one less with numbers to 8.

The children will also be finding and making doubles to 8. As well as making pairs (odd and even)

We will be exploring measurement for length, height and time.

This is all done through hands on activities and visual representations.

# Physical Development

This term we will be focussing on the correct letter and number formation. Which goes hand in hand with the using the correct pencil grip. Through their play with will be promoting balance and co-ordination development. In PE they will continue to develop their fundamental skills through hockey.

### Communication and Language

This term we will be focussing on the children communicating with their peers and adults in school effectively through;

Sharing pictures

Sharing news

Ongoing discussions and conversations (encourage language such as because and how and why).

Sharing ideas and expressing opinions in group/class contexts

Listening to one another

Taking turns in conversation- to and fro