

Welcome to Wyken

<p>Communication and language</p> <p>We are learning to...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Talk about ourselves.• Talk about our homes and families.• Concentrate and listen to stories.• Listen to others.• Respond to simple instructions. 	<p>Personal, Social and Emotional Development</p> <p>We are learning to...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Settle into school life.• Know our school routines.• Use the '7 steps'• Make relationships with the adults in Reception.• Make new friends and share. 	<p>Mathematics</p>  <p>We are learning to...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Count out loud and recognise 0 - 10, then to 20.• Count actions e.g. claps or hops.• Count objects carefully.• Sing number songs and rhymes e.g. 5 little ducks• Investigate and name some 2D shapes and use them to make pictures.	<p>Expressive Arts and Design</p>  <p>We are learning to...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Join in and sing some familiar songs.• Join in with dancing and ring games.• Engage in role play in the home corner.• Investigate a range of activities in the Creative area e.g. junk modelling, painting, sticking and collaging etc...
<p>Physical Development</p>  <p>We are learning to...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Wash and dry our hands correctly.• Put on coats, aprons and wellies independently.• Strengthen our big muscles by running, climbing, jumping etc...• Hold and use scissors correctly to cut straight lines.• Develop our pencil grip. 	<p>Literacy</p>  <p>We are learning to...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Make marks in shaving foam, gloop, sand and on paper.• Look at books independently.• Recognise and write our names.• Hear the first sound in words.• Join in with some jolly Phonics rhymes and songs. 	<p>Understanding the World</p> <p>We are learning to...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Imitate everyday actions from our own cultural background e.g. make a cup of tea.• Look for signs of autumn.• Use programmes on the interactive whiteboard and computer as a class and independently. 	<p>Ideas to try at home:</p> <p>Talk to your child and ask them what they have done at school each day.</p> <p>Sing rhymes with your child.</p> <p>Share and discuss stories with your child.</p> <p>Use the link below to watch a video about how we say each sound in phonics.</p> <p>https://www.lettersandsounds.org.uk/for-home/overview</p>