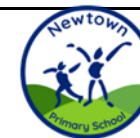


Newtown Primary School: Reception & Nursery

Curriculum Overview: Summer 2026



Summer 1: Who can help me?

This half term the children will be learning about the people who help us in our community. We will be finding out what their roles are, looking at their uniform and vehicles. We will also be writing thank you cards to thank them.



Summer 2: How do we get there?

This half term the children will be learning about different ways we can travel. We will be looking at how vehicles have changed over time and learn how different vehicles move.



Literacy:

The children will continue with their daily phonic sessions. The children will be reviewing their diagraphs and using these to read simple sentences.

They will continue to write captions and begin to write simple sentences.

Nursery will continue exploring with sounds. They will build confidence with hearing initial sounds and begin to blend and segment sounds in words. This half term they will practise writing their names using different media.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development:

This term we will be looking at how our families are similar and different to others. We will be discussing qualities that make a good friend. In Summer 2 we will be learning how to manage our feelings.



Maths:

In maths we will be learning about 3D shapes and patterns. We will be building our confidence with numbers to 10. Learning number bond facts and doubles.

Nursery will be counting to 10 and practising recognising numbers to 6. They will be exploring shapes in the environment and patterns.

Understanding the World:

The children will be exploring their family tree and looking at their personal achievements. The children will be exploring their environment and looking at minibeasts. We will be learning about summer and how to stay safe in the sun. In RE,, we will be learning stories from different faiths.

Physical Development:

Children will continue to develop the fine and gross motor development through activities in the classroom. In PE the children will be developing their ball skills.

Expressive Arts and Design:

The children will exploring painting. They will be finger painting, painting outdoors and painting to music. They will also explore weaving and create their own bookmarks.

WOW Moments:

The children will have some visits from people who help us.

