

## UNDERSTANDING OF THE WORLD & PERSONAL SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Learning about people who help us - tour of  
the people who help us in school.

How can they help in our classroom?  
Classroom Jobs

Sharing what they like and what their  
friends like and noticing differences

Learn about their own identity  
Describe self in positive terms and talk  
about abilities

Learn about turn taking and team work

Learn all about the seasons of Autumn and  
Harvest

## LITERACY, COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE - LAUS

### Text Types

Captions for people who help us around school

List of words to describe their friend

Name writing

Description of a character

Short captions

Thank you notes

Stories to Explore

Author of the half term: Rachel Bright

The Squirrels Who Squabble

The Koala Who Could

The Lion Inside

Minel

Have you filled a bucket today? Carol McCloud

## Physical development

Independence - getting dressed  
practising buttons, zips and buckles.

### Multi-Skills / Games

\* Move with increased control and  
coordination;

\* Show awareness of space, of  
themselves and of others.

\* Recognise the importance of  
keeping healthy and those things  
which contribute to this.

\* Recognise some changes that  
happen to their bodies when they are  
active.

\* Develop familiarity with a variety  
of small games equipment.

\* Listen to and follow instructions.

\* Handle small games equipment with  
increasing control and confidence.

\* Be able to work co-operatively with  
a partner and as part of a group.

*Do you want to be friends?*

## ADDITIONAL MATHS LINKS

Estimating and checking

Matching numerals to quantities

Maths games

Repeating patterns

Data collection - favourite things, likes  
and dislikes to create charts.

## EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGN - M&M BI

Self portraits

Portraits of friends

Friendship Art

Musical instruments to play syllables of names

Handprints / finger prints

Home Corner role-play

Fruit and Vegetable shop role-play

Recipe for a good friendship

## ENGAGE

Friendship Day

Create friendship bracelets

Make a friendship tree

Make a friendship hand print  
picture

Create a friendship poem

## VOCABULARY

Team work, sharing, turn taking, friendship, kind, caring, similar, different, helpful, squabble, positive, negative, Autumn, Harvest, growing, produce, farming, combine harvester, self-portrait, reflection, exercise, heartbeat/pulse, healthy, control, active, instructions, estimating, counting, matching, repeating pattern, most popular, least popular, chart, instrument, beats, recipe.