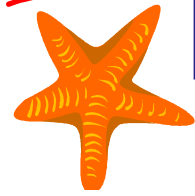
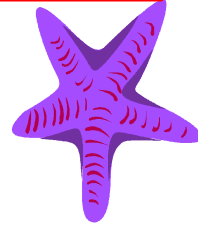


**What we will be learning about: using stories to find out how things are the same and different between now and the past**



# Reception Spr 2



**Personal, social and emotional**

- Good to be me:
- Say things we like / don't like
- Talk about feeling excited or proud
- Be able to relax
- Say what we need and stand up for ourselves without hurting others
- My Happy Mind-appreciate-Being grateful.

**Expressive Arts and Design**

- Explore how to make marks in clay and use to make dinosaur footprints.
- Explore paint mixing and create different textured paints.
- Make marks to represent sounds. Use sounds to accompany a story.

**Physical**

- Move and balance in different ways. Develop dance skills. Form most letters and numbers correctly. Know the importance of exercise and healthy diet.

**Knowledge of the World**

- Talk about past/present events, baby pictures, grandparents, how life was different in the past.. Know about different seasons.
- Look for signs of Spring.
- Celebrations at Easter time.

**Philosophy for children**

**Concepts:**

- Ethics: Right/wrong
- British values: tolerance

**Skills:** Agreeing and disagreeing with others

**Fab finish: Making a 'time capsule'**

**Communication, Language and Literacy**

Books: , Katie and the dinosaurs, Cinderella, Peepo

- Read and write simple sentences
- Use phonic knowledge to read and spell
- Read and write some common words
- Talk about and retell stories read

**Mathematical**

- Automatically recall number bonds for numbers 0–5
- Doubling
- Halving
- Sharing
- Verbal counting beyond 20.
- Length
- Distance
- 3D Shape
- Weight
- Pattern.

**How you can help**

- Look at old photographs of you as a child and talk about things in the past
- Continue to read lots of stories to your child and practice reading and key words with your child every day
- Help your child to write sentences

**Reminders**

- PE - Please send your child into school wearing their PE kit on **Fridays** (they will wear it all day so they do not need to bring in a change of clothes).
- Keep bringing a coat to school even if it seems sunny – it can still be cold in the morning or we may have a shower!

**New Vocabulary**

**Past, present, now, a long time ago, change, same, different, carriage, invitations, godmother, grandparents, royal**