

Within this leaflet you will be able to find out about the learning adventure that your child will be going on this half term.

At London Colney, we strive to deliver a personalised, creative and enriched curriculum for your child, whereby they can develop and master a wide range of skills.

We endeavour to provide opportunities for your child to learn in a way that is engaging, purposeful and fun!

We hope your child experiences this on their learning journey this half term and if you have any questions, don't hesitate to ask.

Characterises of Effective Learning

Engagement- begin to show curiosity about objects and the world around them, and had particular interests.

Motivation - maintains focus for a period time. Begins to show high levels of engagement and paying attention to detail.

Creativity & Critical Thinking - Thinks of their own ideas and different ways of doing things. Uses imagination in play.

Key Events this Half Term

Mon 31st October 2022

9:30 am - 2:00 pm

Photographer for individual child photos.

Other events

(to be confirmed)

Please keep an eye out for announcements on our class board, Class Dojo and school web-site.



London Colney Primary and Nursery School

Reception
Julia Donaldson
class
Learning
adventure



Communication, Language and Understanding

- To encourage children to listen with interest to stories and rhymes.
- Encourage children to use questions e.g. how , what ,where in conversations.



Personal, Emotional and Social development

- Continue to support children to be independent in choosing resources.
- To develop wider friendships.
- Encourage children to respond positively to the feelings and wishes of others.



Expressive Arts and Design

- Encouraged to join in singing favourite theme related songs and rhymes.
- Children will experiment with textures, materials and textiles.
- To explore experiences using different media

Understanding of the World

- During pretend play, opportunities to imitate actions and events from family and culture.
- Opportunities will be given to play with small world activities linked to theme.
- Technological toys will be available for the children to show an interest and develop

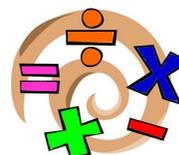
Literacy

- Encouraged to join in with rhymes and stories linked to themes.
- Continue to give opportunities for children to look at books independently.
- Opportunities to begin to distinguish different marks they make will be provided.



Mathematics

- Opportunities will be given in activities to compare quantities.
- Begin to show an interest in numbers in the environment.
- Continue to encouraged children to use some number names and number language spontaneously.
- To continue to categorise objects according to properties such as shape or size .



Physical Education

We will continue to have weekly PE lessons this half term on Wednesday mornings. We will also have mindful yoga on Friday mornings.

