

Class 1 Learning Snapshot

Summer 2 - 2026

Edwinstowe- Who will help us?



This half term, we will begin by learning about healthy bodies, growth and change, exploring questions such as *What foods help our bodies grow?* *Why do people grow bigger?* and *What can you do now that you couldn't do as a baby?* We will then move on to learning about community, exploring the important roles of people who help us in Edwinstowe, including doctors, firefighters and police officers, whilst encouraging children to think about their own hopes, dreams and future jobs.

Maths

Our nursery children will continue building their understanding of numbers 1-5 through songs, rhymes and games. They will explore and develop their subitising skills by using 'fast eyes' to recognise small amounts and match them to numerals, whilst developing their early maths skills through creating number stories, adding and taking away small amounts.

Our Reception children will revisit the concept of doubling and key vocabulary such as *equal*, *same* and *fair*. They will explore sharing and grouping, helping them understand how to divide amounts fairly. Through practical resources and stories, children will continue developing their addition and subtraction skills by creating number stories and using strategies such as counting forwards and backwards to solve simple problems. As part of our shape learning, children will explore patterns, puzzles and tangrams, encouraging mathematical thinking, problem solving and creativity.

Parents as Partners

Here are a few suggestions on how you can support your child's learning further.

Reading

- Read a story at bedtime
- Share a book with a grown-up
- Read to your favourite toy
- Enjoy a story outside
- Spot letters or words when you're out and about
- Act out your favourite story

Useful Websites/Apps

www.topmarks.co.uk for a range of learning games.



Download the White Rose Maths '1 minute maths' App to develop your child's subitising skills, the ability to recognise a quantity without counting.

Reception Home Learning

Please share your child's school reading book and complete the phonics links provided.

Look out for math's challenges on your child's ClassDojo profile, post your child's learning from home to earn extra dojo points.

Class Information

Active Fridays: Forest School will take place in the afternoon and PE will be in the morning, **please send your child dressed in their PE kit** (including nursery children who attend on a Friday).

Please pack a change of uniform in your child's rucksack or leave a set in school (drawstring bag on their peg) in case of any accidents.

Please make sure you send your child with a waterproof coat & water bottle every day.

Children are welcome to bring a fruit snack to school in their backpack for the day. **Pease label** if it is stored in a container. Fruit and milk will also be available for children to access at snack time.



ClassDojo

Please ensure you are connected to Class Dojo and keep up to date with school updates. If you have any issues, please contact a member of staff.

Polite reminder that staff are only expected to respond to messages between 8am-5.30pm on working days.

Subject	Key Knowledge theme
Personal, Social & Emotional Development	Healthy Bodies Transition
Physical Development	Active Fridays! Every Friday, children will enjoy PE (athletics/striking & fielding games) in the morning and Forest School in the afternoon.
Music	Exploring pulse, pitch and rhythm through songs and games, using voices, actions and glockenspiels.
Expressive Arts & Design	Mixed Media Bugs Design & build- Emergency Vehicles Muddy painting!
Understanding the World	Our local community- Edwinstowe People who help us Season- Summer
RE	Acts of Service Community- special places