



## The Reception theme this half term is 'All Around The World'

This covers many areas of the curriculum as shown below.



**English**—In English we will be writing our own instructions to make a pizza, writing postcards from different countries and inserts for Mothers Day and Easter Cards. We will practise copying Chinese writing and symbols with gold pens on red paper to develop our mark making skills.

**Maths**—We will be learning new maths skills through many fun activities linked to our topic such as ...measuring ourselves with rulers , shape hunts, emptying and filling different sized containers with different coloured liquids to learn about capacity.

Our Maths this half term will cover: number recognition, addition, length, capacity, time and shape (2D & 3D).

**PSED**— We will be continuing to learn how to be good friends and listen to each other through circle time and stories. We will be starting to play group games independently.

**PD**—PE session will continue on a Friday. This half terms PE focus is gymnastics which will continue to be taught by our sports coaches.

**Expressive arts and design**-We will be making Chinese Lanterns, designing our own maracas, creating our own mosaics and making an Easter card.

**Understanding the world**—We will be looking closely at our world and the continents and countries and thinking about how other countries are different.

We will taste foods from different cultures and learn how to say hello in different languages.

We would be grateful for any empty boxes/yoghurt pots/ milk bottles, lids...to be brought into school to use in our junk modelling area.

Thank you for your continued support and co-operation!

Miss Lovelock and Miss Bracken.

### Enrichment

All around the world theme day— We will be making our own Chinese Stir Fry and learning about China.

We will be having a food tasting session and making our Chinese sensory bottles later in the week.

Information to follow.

