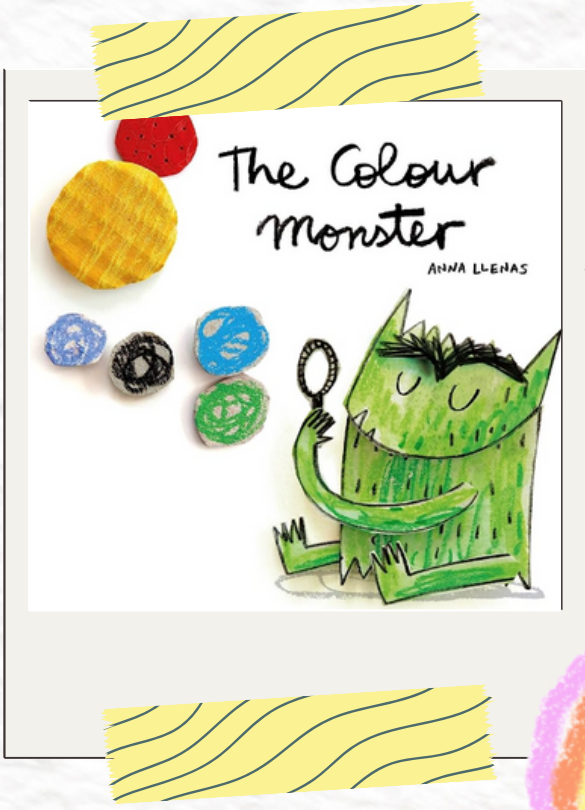


### Communication & Language

This half term we will be developing our understanding of how to listen carefully and why listening is important. We will also develop our understanding of how to respond appropriately to what we hear. We will talk about our classroom rules and why they are important to keep us safe



### Personal, Social & Emotional Development

This half term we will be talking about our classroom rules and know that they keep us safe. We will be taking turns and share with our friends as well as saying please and thank you. We will explore our feelings and consider the feelings of others too. As well as learning to use the toilet and wash our hands independently.

# Pleased to Meet You

### Literacy

This half term we start our reading journey with phonics. Following the Little Wandle scheme, we will be learning the following sounds:

1. s, a, t, p
2. i, n, m, d
3. g, o, c, k, tricky word is
4. ck, e, u, r, tricky word l
5. h, b, f, l, tricky word the

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### Maths

We will use the NCETM materials and focus on exploring numbers to 5. We will practise counting, recognising the number and finding the correct number of objects.



### Physical Development

We will take part in weekly PE sessions in the hall on Tuesdays, thinking about the different ways we can move. Whilst in class we will be learning how to wash our hands thoroughly and using a range of tools such as scissors, pencils and paintbrushes

### Expressive Arts & Design

This half term we will explore colour mixing, create our own self portraits as well as draw pictures of people in our family and develop narratives in our play. In Music we will learn to sing nursery rhymes and action songs. We will also listen and respond to different music and perform songs to others.



### Understanding the World

This half term we will be looking at families. We will look in greater detail at: Who is in our family? Different types of families and cultures. How we have changed since we were a baby? We will also notice autumnal changes in the environment.