

Year Group:

Autumn Term 1

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#### Key Knowledge

We are learning about what it means to be a good friend and how as a class we can build great relationships.

We will explore what friendship is, our new setting, how to make friends and what makes us a special friend.

We will share lots of stories about friendship and learn new skills around these stories.

Towards the end of our topic, you will be invited to bring in your favourite teddy. You will be able to share your teddy with the rest of the class and paint a picture of it. We will also take our teddy bears for a picnic.

# **Expressive Art and Design**

We will be learning about colour. You will explore and mix your own colours.

You will learn about the artist Kandinsky and his work on concentric circles. You will be able to explore patterns and colour using a number of different mediums.



## Key Questions

What makes a good friend?

How could we make new friends?

What makes us happy?

How can we share?

How can we work together?

How are we all different and unique?

What different qualities do we have?

What are we good at?

What makes us special?

# Key Vocabulary

Kind- treating others how you would like to be treated.

**Sharing**-given out equally and fairly.

**Unique**-being one of a kind, unlike anyone else.

**Special**-different to what is usual.

Different- not like anyone else.

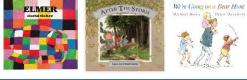
Favourite- most liked.

#### **Understanding the World**

You will be developing your understanding of the world. You will look closely at the things that make you unique. We will talk about the similarities and differences in relation to friends or family. You will learn that we are all unique, different and special.

# Our Texts will be....





# Try this at home

Tell an adult a story about an adventure you have with a new friend.

Draw a picture of a friend and tell the class about it.

Make something for a new friend

Write a list of what makes you special (supported by adult)

# Tricky Words

Unique, different, special, similarities, differences,

### Key Vocabulary

**Seasons-** four different times of year with different weather.

**Senses-** touch, smell, taste, sight and hear

Harvest- collect what has been planted and grown in the ground.

#### Our Texts will be....



#### Key Questions

What happens in autumn?

How is autumn different to the other seasons?

What happens to the leaves?

What colours are autumn?

Why were the animals upset?

What could Percy do to cheer them up?

What can we hear, see, feel and taste in autumn?

# Autumn



# **Expressive Art and Design**







