### Communication and Language

- Sitting, listening and concentrating at carpet time
- Expressing our thoughts and ideas
- Talking in sentences
- Following instructions
- Using new vocabulary learnt in class
- Retelling a simple story

#### Maths

- Learning about numbers 1-5
- Learning about 2D shapes
- Identifying 1 more/1 less
- Counting objects, actions and sounds
- Positional language

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### **Physical Development**

 Opportunities to develop gross and fine motor skills - Dough disco, finger gym activities, activate, PE sessions, getting changed for PE, developing scissor skills

# Let's Celebrate!

Reception - Autumn Term 2 Curriculum Overview

# Understanding the World

- Celebrations at home and in other communities
- Talking about similarities and differences
- Talking about our families
- Learning about past and present
- Seasons—Autumn and Winter

# In this topic we

#### are....

Developing skills of:

- Co-operation
- Self awareness
- Empathy

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Independence

## Expressive Arts and Design

- Exploring colour and different media
- Painting
- Christmas art and crafts
  - Listening to and moving to music

## Ways to help at home:

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- Talk about road safety on the way to and from school
- Share library books and read lots of stories with your child
- Encourage independence with dressing and undressing
- Work with your child on their reading homework

### Literacy

- Forming some letters correctly
- Name writing
- Beginning to read and write simple words
- Listening to lots of fiction and non-fiction books linked to our topic
- Read Write Inc sessions

### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

- Being a good friend
- Talking about feelings
- Staying Safe— Road Safety

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- Keeping our Golden rules
  - Knowing that we are all different and all special