

Dear Parent/ Carer,

Here are Well Green’s Reception Curricular Goals The goals are ambitious. They provide an overview of many of the different things we would like children to know and to be able to do.

We understand every child is unique. We offer scaffolding and extra support to help every child to access the curriculum and to ensure he/ she can make progress through it. Where a child moves on quickly, our emphasis is on deepening their learning rather than introducing new skills or concepts. For example, a child may investigate different to represent numbers, or a number sentence to show them.

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| **1.Communication and Language** | **ASK a relevant question, make a relevant comment****CONVERSE in a back and forth exchange with friends and teachers****EXPRESS ideas and feelings with confidence** |
| **2.Personal, Social & Emotional** | **Show EMPATHY to others****Show DETERMINATION to complete a goal****Show RESILIENCE in the face of challenges****Show CURIOSITY about the world around them** |
| **3.Physical** | **USE scissors to cut out complex shapes** **HOLD a pencil effectively****CONTROLLED balancing when bearing body weight on hands** |
| **4.Literacy** | **RETELL a story through play****READ simple sentences and books containing phase 2, 3 and phase 4 sounds****WRITE a simple story** |
| **5.Mathematical** | **UNDERSTAND in depth numbers to 10, including number bonds****RECOGNISE the pattern of the counting system****COMPARE quantities in different contexts****FOLLOW a recipe to create different types of playdough** |
| **6.Understanding the World** | **KNOW their family tree****CARE for an animal****APPRECIATE different religious and cultural communities in their own hometown, and around the word****UNDERSTAND how to read a simple map** |
| **7.Expressive Arts and Design** | **CREATE a painting through musical inspiration****PERFORM a story, song, poem or rhyme for an audience** |

Every half term you will receive an additional letter. This information will further explain your child’s learning experience at Well Green.

Thank you for your support,

The Early Years Team