

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>My Communication</b></p> <p><b>Communication and Literacy</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Accessing a range of texts with a general focus on the theme, Mexico</li> <li>• Express our likes and dislikes using symbol, gesture and sign</li> <li>• maintain attention and participate actively in activities</li> <li>• Turn taking practise</li> </ul> <p><i>Ways you can help your child:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Encouraging them to make decisions based on their preferences</li> <li>• Engaging in activities which encourage them to actively participate alongside you</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>My Body</b></p> <p><b>Physical Skills</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participating in bat and ball games</li> <li>• Following basic instructions such as hold, watch, wait, strike</li> <li>• Developing our fine motor skills using a range of fun activities- Pencil control, scissor skills</li> <li>• Attending forest school</li> <li>• We will have a swimming session weekly</li> </ul> <p><i>Ways you can help your child:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Explore movement with your child</li> <li>• Dance with your child</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>My Independence</b></p> <p><b>Skills for Life</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We will explore work related to shopping and household management.</li> <li>• We will follow one recipe with minor changes in order to learn a process through repetition</li> <li>• Developing communication skills to express needs, likes and dislikes</li> <li>• Changing before and after swimming sessions</li> </ul> <p><i>Ways you can help your child:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Participate in shopping; offer choices, carry basket, push trolley</li> <li>• Visit local community facilities such as the library, leisure centre or parks</li> <li>• Encourage your child to carry out self-care independently</li> <li>• Support your child to engage with and join in with household tasks.</li> <li>• Point out and discuss family members / look through photos</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>My Community</b></p> <p><b>Personal Development</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Explore the PSHE topic Change and Growing Up</li> <li>• We will be learning about significant dates falling during this half-term such as Earth day and Elmer day</li> </ul> <p><i>Ways you can help your child</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Create opportunities for your child to make clear yes/no decisions</li> <li>• Visit local community facilities such as the library, leisure centre or parks</li> <li>• Talk about how they have changed and ways they've grown.</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>My Cognition</b></p> <p><b>Digital Literacy</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Communicating using ICT</li> <li>• Making choices and expressing preferences on an iPad or laptop independently.</li> <li>• Exploring mark making / writing / number apps</li> </ul> <p><b>Maths</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We will be working on and exploring shape, focusing on recognising, identifying and grouping 2D shapes.</li> </ul> <p><b>Working World</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Learning all about Mexico – culture, tradition, wildlife and food.</li> </ul> <p><i>Ways you can help your child:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Encourage counting in everyday context</li> <li>• Point out and discuss different countries and customs in popular culture.</li> </ul>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>My Creativity</b></p> <p><b>Creativity – Art / DT / Music</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Actively participating in a range of sensory art and music activities</li> <li>• Exploring the music of Mexico</li> <li>• Cultural Development – linked to Elmer Day (celebrating inclusion and difference)</li> </ul> <p><b>Art</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Exploring the art of Gabriel Orozco</li> </ul> <p><i>Ways you can help your child:</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Encourage children to create own artwork using a range of different media including paints, crayons, natural objects and chalks</li> <li>• Take photos of the environment and people</li> <li>• Make craft items together</li> <li>• Listen to music from different cultures.</li> </ul>