



Year 1 Learning Overview

Spring 1 2022

Our topic is: Food, glorious food!

This half term we are learning all about food. We will be exploring where our food comes from and how we can eat a healthy diet. We will be creating healthy dishes and writing our own recipes. We will be creating art work in the style of Jason Mercier and Frida Kahlo.

By the end of our topic:

Your child will know:

- About different artists and their style of work.
- How different art techniques can achieve different effects.
- Some secondary colours that can be mixed from primary colours.
- That art can be appreciated and enjoyed.
- That there are different types of plants and trees (deciduous and evergreen.)
- The basic structure of a plant.
- That different weather occurs in different seasons.
- That people need a healthy, varied diet.
- Where different food comes from and how it is grown.
- How food gets to our country from other parts of the world

Your child will be able to:

- Use a variety of collage materials in the style of Jason Mercier.
- Explore line, shape and colour to create drawings.
- Use a variety of painting tools and techniques, including different brush sizes.
- Mix some secondary colours
- Match primary/secondary colours to objects.
- Identify and describe different parts of a plant.
- Identify and name a variety of flowers and trees.
- Use their observations of weather to answer questions.
- Sort foods into their food groups.
- Plan and prepare a healthy soup.

We will be reading:

The Tiger Who Came to Tea

Oliver's Vegetables

Biscuit Bear

Jasper's Beanstalk.

The Tiny Seed

A selection of non-fiction books

Our memory maker event is:

Tiger tea party.

To help your child further you could:

Talk about the different foods you eat and their food groups at dinner time. Let your child join in when you cook. Talk about the different weather on your walk to school. Take a trip to the park, observe and talk about the types of trees and plants there.