



AUTUMN TERM OVERVIEW 2026

Reception – Albert Primary School

Class Teachers: Miss C Child and Miss Di Tomaso

Belonging Together, Growing Together, Succeeding Together

Perthyn Gyda'n Gilydd, Tyfu Gyda'n Gilydd, Llwyddo Gyda'n Gilydd

HOW YOU CAN HELP AT HOME



Daily reading.
This doesn't need to be any longer than 5 minutes! Please record this in their reading record.

PINK

RED

Reading colourful words.

YELLOW

BLUE

pink, red, yellow and blue words.



Reading and writing letters with correct formation – these will be sent home in their homework folders as they are taught.



Dressing and undressing themselves including doing up their coat and shoes.



Using cutlery to cut food correctly.

THINGS TO BRING



Green bag



Water bottle



Waterproof coat (we're out all weathers!)



Homework folder



Reading books & reading record

Please label all belongings wherever possible.

SNACK



Our weekly snack contribution is £1.50.

You can pay weekly or pay for the term.

Autumn Term
snack:
£22.50

PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT



Physical activity is an important part of our Reception day.

Physical sessions take place daily, both indoors and outdoors.

There is no need for children to wear their PE kit on specific days in Reception.

Please ensure children come to school wearing comfortable clothing and suitable footwear that allows them to move, run and play freely.

AUTUMN 1

Getting to Know Ourselves & Our World



Languages, Literacy & Communication

Stories, phonics, early reading, name writing, letter formation and developing our confidence as writers.

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Mathematics & Numeracy

Numbers to 10, counting, subitising, shape, pattern, comparing, measuring and simple problem solving.



Science & Technology

Plants, our senses, people and similarities/differences, exploring water, capacity and patterns in nature.



Health & Well-being

Who we are, feelings, friendships, families, rights and responsibilities.

- Daily physical activity and movement
- Developing fine motor skills
- Healthy choices and looking after our bodies
- Building confidence and independence



Humanities

Our families, homes, school and community, harvest, where our food comes from and celebrations from around the world.



Expressive Arts

Painting, drawing, collage, colour mixing, music, role play and creative responses to stories.



AUTUMN 2

Celebrating Difference & Exploring Our World



Languages, Literacy & Communication

Stories with a focus on celebrations, rhyme, early writing, letter formation and writing simple words and phrases.

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Mathematics & Numeracy

Numbers to 20, counting patterns, shape, measuring, positional language and enjoying problem solving.



Science & Technology

Exploring light and dark, seasons and changes, natural objects, materials, floating and sinking and simple investigations.



Health & Well-being

Celebrating difference, strengths and achievements, friendships and kindness.

- Daily physical activity and outdoor play
- Fine motor skills through activities
- Managing feelings and building resilience
- Keeping safe and looking after ourselves



Humanities

Bonfire Night, Diwali, Remembrance Day, Autumn, habitats and animals, and Christmas traditions.



Expressive Arts

Firework art, Rangoli patterns, leaf art, crafts, music and Christmas creativity.



IMPORTANT DATES



Wed 2nd – Fri 4th Sept
Reception Transition



Fri 18th Sept
150 Years of Albert
Primary School
(Victorian Dressing Up)



Tues 29th &
Wed 30th Sept
Parents' Evening



Wed 7th Oct
Colorfoto
(Individuals)



Fri 23rd Oct
INSET DAY –
School Closed



Mon 26th – Fri 30th Oct
October Half Term



Mon 2nd Nov
Back to School



December – Date TBC
PS1 Christmas Play



Fri 18th Dec
End of Autumn Term



Mon 21st Dec – Mon 4th Jan
Christmas Holidays



Thank you for your support – we can't wait for a wonderful term together!