## **Spring Term 2**

**Topic** 

Spring

and Easter

#### **Key Vocabulary**

Easter

God

celebration

egg

chick

Jesus

cross

disciples

tomb

stone

angel

church

spring

flower

bunny

lamb

#### We will be reading

Tree by Britta Teekentrup
The Easter Story

# Knowledge and Understanding of the world

To learn about Easter
To explore and talk about own

experiences had in the past and present relating to Easter

To use senses to explore the world around them

To know about who celebrates Easter and what is its significance

To learn about the life cycle of a frog

### **Physical Development**

To hold the pencil correctly using a tripod grip

To begin to form numbers and familiar letters, eg letters in their name

To look at books independently whilst turning pages one at a time

To mark make using a comfortable grip when using pencils and pens

To use a range of balls decreasing in size to throw, kick, roll, catch, bounce

Make simple obstacle courses independently and with others, using a range of small and large equipment safely

# Mathematics we will be covering this term:

Number bonds within 5

#### Communication and language

To listen to traditional stories and retain key vocabulary

To listen to different Nursery rhymes and be able to join in, singing words confidently and clearly

To talk about celebrations at home To be able to talk about the setting, characters and the structure of the story

To listen to, and follow simple instructions and respond to questions appropriately

To talk in short sentences that others can understand

## **Expressive Arts and design**

To learn about different textures and talk about them

To engage in role play by making stick puppets of different story characters Realises tools can be used for a purpose

To create closed shapes with continuous lines which represent objects that can be spoken about or identified

To explore own choice of a range of crafts using different tools and techniques for Easter

#### **Mathematics**

To begin to remember and say pairs of numbers that add up to a given total within 5

To know that when groups are combined the total increases Say one number for each item in order: 1,2,3,4,5

Link numerals and amounts: for example, showing the right number of objects to match the numeral, up to 5

### **Literacy and Phonics**

To be able to mark make and give meaning to their marks To identify the pictures linked to our phonics scheme

To begin to form some letters correctly, eg letters in their name To recognise words with the same initial sound

## Personal, Emotional and Social Development

To show independence in accessing and exploring the environment To independently put on coats and use the toilet

To listen to, and follow rules set To learn to look after resources within the class

To form a range of friendships and bonds with those in their class