

Reception: Me, Myself and I

This term our project has a History focus where, as a school, we are considering the Question, **“How do I connect with my world?”** Through this term all classes are considering the concepts of Influence and Power and building their understanding of these as they move through the school.

As Historians we will be investigating our own family history and identifying how things have changed for families over time.

The concepts that we will be exploring are Influence, Power and Belonging. We will focus on where we belong within our family and how our family influences us.

As Scientists we will be exploring and investigating the four seasons and observe how they change the environment I live in.

The concepts that we will be exploring are Influence and Consequence, for example changing our clothes for the change in weather.



As Philosophers we will be exploring festivals from around the world and how other cultures celebrate special days. We will consider how these occasions are special for ourselves and others.

The concepts that we will be exploring are Beliefs, Influence and Tradition. We will focus on family traditions during the occasions we celebrate.

Home Learning: As independent learners we would like the children to create their own version of a family tree. This could be done as a poster, a model, a drawing, a series of photographs, however you choose.

These should be brought into school by Friday 8th October for the children to have the opportunity to talk about their families.

Curriculum Drivers

Respect: During this topic, the children will explore change within our world and reflect on how this might impact themselves. The children will develop a respectful awareness of the similarities and differences between their family and other families.



Aspirations: The children will reflect on how change can influence us positively and what this means for us and those around us. Children will reflect on how they can inspire positive change amongst themselves and challenge themselves to make these changes within their daily lives.



Belonging: The children will begin to understand and develop an awareness of the world around them and their part within the world. They will identify similarities and differences between themselves and others. The children will develop an understanding of family and how we experience a sense of belonging in relation to our families.

