## Communication and Language

This term in Little Learners we will be focusing on:

- Joining in with stories that have repeated words and text in them.
- Using props to tell stories that we know.
- Talking about things in the correct order and using the correct tenses.



#### **Mathematics**

Little Learners will be learning to:

- Compare groups of objects saying when there is more or less.
- Separating groups of 3 or 4 objects in different ways and recognising that the total is still the same each time.
- Talk about shapes they see in the environment and make pictures and models with different shapes.

### Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Little Learners are learning to:

- Be aware of the needs and feelings of others and adapting our behaviours to different situations.
- We will be learning about the values of Friendship and Forgiveness

# I Hear Thunder (Colours of the Rainbow)

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#### Literacy

This term in Little Learners we are focusing on:

- Story structures. We will talk about the beginning, middle and end of stories and what happened.
- We will change the endings to stories and suggest new ideas.
- We will talk about the characters in stories and change them when making story maps
- Starting to write letters in our names.

## Understanding of the World

In Little Learners, we will be:

 Focusing on technology and how we can use it in our everyday lives. We will use programmable toys and ipads at school and take photos using the cameras on the ipads.

#### **Physical Development** Little Learners are learning to:

- Develop our gross motor skills by balancing and catching large balls.
- Develop our pencil grip using three fingers or the 'tripod' grip to hold our pencils when we make marks and write.





#### **Expressive Arts and Design** In Little Learners, we will be:

- Thinking about colours and how we can change them by mixing colours to create new ones.
- Constructing with various materials and thinking about how we might join and

## How you can help at home:

Read lots of books. Don't forget about our Reading Ninjas challenge! Help your child to become more independent with small tasks such as collecting their own plate and cutlery for dinner or taking their coat off and hanging it up - lots of praise if they achieve! Don't forget to add to tapestry if your child does something that you are proud of at home.