


# The Palmer Academy Reception Topic Overview

Prime Areas: Personal, Social, Emotional Development, Communication and Language, Physical Development

Specific Areas: Understanding the World, Maths, Literacy and Expressive Art and Design

<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Communication and Language</u></b> Listening and Attention, Speaking, Understanding</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Physical Development</u></b> Moving and Handling, Health and Self Care</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Personal, Social &amp; Emotional Development</u></b> Making Relationships, Self-confidence and Self-awareness</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Following instructions</li> <li>*Recalling parts of a story</li> <li>*Answer how, why and what questions</li> <li>*Responding to other people whilst doing another activity.</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Playing team games</li> <li>*Dance</li> <li>*Mark making</li> <li>*Forming letters</li> <li>*Fine Motor Skills</li> <li>*Moving in different ways</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Rules and responsibilities</li> <li>*Turn Taking and sharing</li> <li>*Making friends</li> <li>*Forming good relationships with children and adults</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Key Stories</u></b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Term 1 All About Me</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Literacy</u></b> Reading and Writing</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Stories form other cultures</li> </ul>		<p><u>Reading -</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Hearing and saying the first sound in words</li> <li>*hearing the sounds in words</li> <li>*Blending sounds they hear together</li> <li>*recognise the sounds s, a, t, p, i, n</li> <li>*read words with the sounds s, a, t, p, i, n</li> </ul> <p><u>Writing-</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*hearing and writing the first sound in words</li> <li>*forming some letters correctly</li> <li>*writing own name</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Mathematics</u></b> Number and Shape, Space and Measure</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Understanding the World</u></b> People and Communities, The World, Technology</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b><u>Expressive Arts and Design</u></b> Exploring Materials and Media, Being Imaginative</p>
<p><u>Number-</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Counting out the correct amount</li> <li>*Recognising numbers</li> <li>*Matching numbers to amounts</li> <li>*Count an irregular arrangement of objects</li> </ul> <p><u>Shape, space and measure -</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*positional language - on, next to, under, behind</li> <li>*naming shapes</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>* Talking about family and friends</li> <li>*Talking about similarities and differences between themselves and others</li> <li>*Talking about past events</li> <li>*People who help us</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>*Using different materials to represent people, places, objects and event.</li> <li>*Making up and copying rhythms</li> <li>*Role-playing events</li> </ul>