

# What are we learning this term in prep?

## English

Students talk about favourite stories as they explore books

## Maths

Grouping objects based on common characteristics, ordering events, matching numbers to quantities, patterns and shapes

## Science

Move it Move it!  
Students explore the forces in play - how balls bounce and roll and how cars move down a ramp

## HASS

What's my history and how do I know?  
Sequence personal events and make links how they are remembered and celebrated

## HPE

Health - I can do it!  
Where to play safely and describing emotions  
PE - Fun and Fitness -  
Cross Country in wk 8

## Arts

Visual Arts -  
Students create many artworks to build a portfolio  
Performing Arts -  
Telling stories through songs and drama



# What are we learning this term in InitialLit?

## Prep

InitialLit addresses reading, spelling and writing by:

- Actively teaching the relationships between sounds and letters
- Building vocabulary and comprehension skills through quality children's books
- Giving children lots of practice in reading, handwriting, spelling and writing activities

Phonological Awareness	What are words Rhyming Syllables - clapping, segmenting and counting
Phonics set 1 - m,s,t,a	Beginning sounds moving to linking to letter and writing the letter Orally blending and segmenting sounds Picture sound sorts Beginning and end sounds Reading words
Phonics set 2 - p,i,f,r	Sequence as above

What can you do at home?

- Talking, listening and playing games with sounds, singing songs, nursery rhymes etc
- Playing board games and card games and games like "I Spy"
- Looking for words on street signs and in the shops
- Reading picture books together and talking about words and illustrations - do the words rhyme? what does the word mean?
- Talk about what happens in the story and what was your favourite part and why.

