



Early Years – Autumn 1

The History Within Me

Glossary of Key vocabulary



As part of our learning experience this half term, we will be focussing on learning, understanding and using the following key vocabulary. Some of these words we may have come across before, so this is an opportunity for us to revisit and consolidate our prior learning and some will be new, to develop our subject specific vocabulary. This glossary will help you to support the children at home when they are talking about their learning.

Communication and language

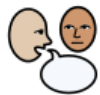
Listening means using your ears to hear sounds, music, or what someone is saying.

Talking means using your voice to say words and share your thoughts or feelings.

Singing means using your voice to make music. You can sing songs with words and tunes.



listening



talking



singing

Personal social and Emotional development



feelings

Feelings are the emotions we have inside. They show how we feel, like happy, sad, or angry.

Core Values



Compassion



Courage



Respect



Responsibility



Compassion



Courage



Respect



Responsibility

An instruction is when someone tells you exactly how to do something — step by step.

A direction is a simpler guiding statement that shows you where to go or what to do. It points out what you should do.

Physical development



instruction



direction



parts of



my



body



Literacy



phonics



phoneme

letter sound

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grapheme

letter shape



blending



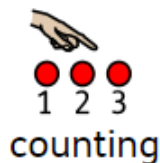
robot arms

A phoneme is the smallest unit of sound in a word.

A grapheme is how a phoneme is written down.

Blending is when children push together individual sounds (phonemes) to read a whole word.

Maths



counting

subitising



recognise

123

numbers



without



counting

Counting means saying numbers one after another, and matching them to objects, to find out how many there are.

Subitising is when you can look at a small group of things and know how many there are without having to count one by one.

Understanding the World



families



autumn



season

A *family* is a group of people who love each other, care for each other, and sometimes live together.

Autumn is the season between summer and winter. It is a time of change.

A *season* is a part of the year that has its own kind of weather, plants, and changes.

Expressive arts and design



Colour



mixing



self



portrait

Colour mixing is when you combine two or more colours to create a new one.

A self-portrait is a picture or artwork that shows what you look like.