

# EYFS 2022-2023









The start of our journey at Nine Acres Primary School























We've been exploring all of the areas of our brilliant environment and have been engaging with hands-on exploration of the world around us whilst making new friends and learning the new routines and expectations.



PSHE

Over the summer we created scrapbooks with our families. We've enjoyed sharing these with our new teachers and friends, giving us the opportunity to discuss our family history and relive special moments.

REWV

River

History

Isabello

We are articulate

#### Music

We've been developing our listening skills by going on a Listening Walk, exploring body percussion, and repeating simple rhythms on different surfaces and instruments.



We even followed some sheet music to make a pattern!





### Physical Development

We have been developing our gross and fine motor skills to help support our pencil holding and writing.



The ice is melting because the sun's been shining on it. -Loki

Geography

Welly Walk

We've been busy using our senses to explore the world around us.

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Science



Physical Development

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We've been busy getting creative and developing our artistic skills through colour mixing, transient art, junk modelling and painting.



### Literacy



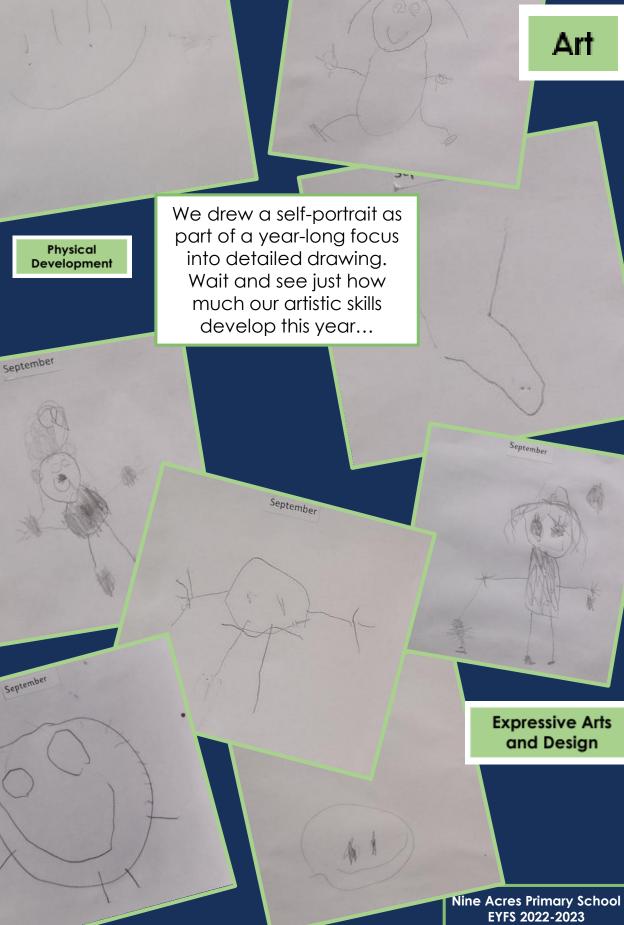
We started Phonics! Our grown-ups came to school to learn all about how we will learn to read and write. We have had lots of opportunity to practice our new skills in our continuous provision.

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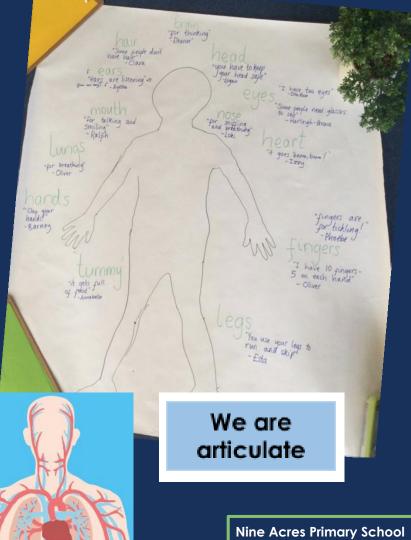
We've been learning about our bodies. We know that all our bodies are different, all our bodies are brilliant, and different parts of our bodies have different jobs to do.

## Science

We drew round our friends' bodies and spoke about the different body parts.

Physical Development





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We learnt that everyone is different, and everyone is special.

#### We are positively influencing the world around us



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We learnt about how much we have grown and changed since we were babies. We had a special visitor, baby Alfie and his mum, who told us all about how to keep babies safe.



Science

Baby



We thought about how we will change next and explored the human timeline.

Babies can't walk. Children can walk and ride bikes. -Daniel Babies start on the timeline. -Ruby

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History

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Everyone needs help sometimes, but children need more help than grown ups. -Harleigh-Grace

Teenagers are learning how to be grown-ups. -Isla-Rose

## Science

Adults don't get any taller. They stay that big. -Phoebe C

We learnt about how much we have grown and changed and thought about the human timeline. Babies cry all the time because they don't know how to talk yet. -Annabella

## History



Human timeline

Everyone was a baby. My mummy was a baby a long time ago. -Ava-May

Elderly people have been alive for a really long time. They've done lots of fun things! -Oliver

Babies start on the timeline -Ruby Eating vegetables will make me grow bigger like my daddy. -Ernie





I'm the biggest brother, but my daddy is bigger than me. -Logan

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We have been thinking about special people in our lives. We learnt all about families, and how each family looks very different.

My big big brother lives at his mummy's house -Flo I've got lots of people in my family. Some people only have a little family, just two people. -Harleigh-Grace

### REWV

PSHE

We had a very special package from Mrs Dyer- a map of our school! We had to follow it to find out what was at the stars...

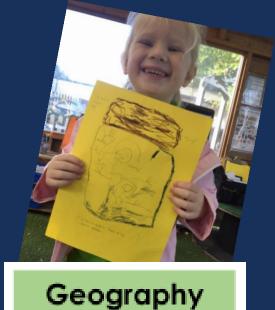
Geography



#### Welly Walk



Physical Development ...The adventure playground!



I live in a mobile home. It has stairs outside. - Peyton



We know that everyone has a different home and each home has an address.



I got flat. Live nan-nan's - Phoenix

#### Expressive Arts and Design

Our families added pictures of our homes to Tapestry, and we used these to draw pictures exploring oil pastels.

Maggie

I don't live far from school. -Isabelle



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We know that Nine Acres in in Newport. Some of us live in Newport, some live further away. Lots of children could share their address.

## Geography

I live on the Isle of Wight.

-Isla

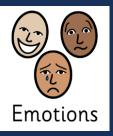
Using our knowledge about maps, we drew a map of our journey from home to school.



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Literacy



The Colour monster

We've been learning about our emotions using the wonderful book The Colour Monster. This story gives examples of each emotion and associates them with colourful characters, sharing the message that emotions are more difficult to deal with when they are all jumbled up. By acknowledging and naming our emotions, it can make it easier to communicate how we are feeling and assist children in their selfregulation.

We've also used a calming jar to help us to feel more relaxed and grounded in order to share how we are feeling. When shaken, the glitter moves everywhere, representing our jumbled up emotions. Watching the glitter drift and settle is very calming, and once it has stopped it shows us how much easier it is to see through, and talk through, our emotions.

> The Colour Monster felt angry and scared and then he was happy. - Albert

Miss Guy read us the story using Makaton signs to support.



If I get angry I like to sit on my own and calm down. - River

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History

Using our knowledge about how we have changed, we began to think about other changes that have happened. We learnt about things from the past and compared them to the present.



It's the houses that used to have mud and straw in the past. - Eleanor



## Change

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Homes from the past













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We looked at historical objects and thought about what they might have been used for.

Maybe it was a very small radiator for a very small home. - Eleanor

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There was no Youtube in the past! - River

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School in the past

Milk came in glass bottles but now they are plastic. Now we drink from colourful cups, not glass bottles. - Robyn



Expressive Arts and Design

# Design Technology

## Mechanisms

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