

EYFS Progression Map – Understanding the World

Children in Reception will be learning to:

- talk about members of their immediate family and community
- name and describe people who are familiar to them
- comment on images of familiar situations in the past
- compare and contrast characters from stories, including figures from the past
- draw information from a simple map
- understand that some places are special to members of their community
- recognise that people have different beliefs and celebrate special times in different ways
- recognise some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries
- explore the natural world around them
- describe what they see, hear and feel whilst outside
- recognise some environments that are different from the one in which they live
- understand the effect of changing seasons on the natural world around them