

## 'All about Me'

Our project, '**All about Me**', focuses on our learning in Science and Art, discovering the parts of human and animal bodies as well as focusing on the details of the face while learning how to create a self-portrait.

### Science

Children will learn about human and animal bodies and consider similarities and differences between them. Children engage in a variety of activities including drawing and labelling the body, using their senses to conduct an investigation, describing animal bodies and sorting animals into groups.

### Art

Children will learn about portraits, and the use of different materials and techniques when making their own. The children will also have the opportunity to explore the work of Pablo Picasso, Paul Klee, Henri Matisse and Andy Warhol, and create artwork inspired by them.

### Geography

The children will learn to identify hot and cold places and locate them on a map in relation to the Equator and the North and South Poles. They will identify animals that live in hot and cold places and recognise how they adapt to their environment.

### PSHE

Being Me in my World – To recognise and describe different feelings and know that their feelings can change. Learn ways to manage 'big' feelings.

### How can you help?

- Ask your child about their learning in school.
- Be aware of what your child is accessing online.
- Help your child to research their topics using the internet, non-fiction texts and visiting places.
- What ways do you try to stay health as a family? Discuss with your child.
- Discuss the different faiths shared by our community and country. Talk about ways of celebrating new life – baby showers, Baptism, Naming

## Other Curriculum Subjects

Alongside our project, '**All about Me**', we will also be studying the following areas of the curriculum.

### ICT

Y1: Technology around us. Using technology. Logging onto a computer, developing mouse skills. Using a computer keyboard. Computer safety.

Y2: What is IT? IT in school and the world. The benefits of IT. Using IT safely.

### PE

Fundamentals – Balance, stability, landing safely  
Ball Skills – Rolling, kicking, throwing, catching, dribbling and tracking.

### Music

Charanga – I Wanna Play In A Band is a Rock song written especially for children. As well as learning to sing, play, improvise and compose with this song, children will listen and appraise classic Rock songs.

### RE

How is new life welcomed? Children will learn how new babies are welcomed into families through initiation rites including infant Baptism and the Muslim ceremony called Aqiqah.