

Vivaldi class are within the Structured learning approach. There are 9 pupils in Vivaldi class, who are supported by a Class Teacher, a Senior Teaching Assistant, a part-time Teaching Assistant and a cover Teaching Assistant. The teaching and learning in Vivaldi class is conducted through structured teaching using the TEACCH model. Pupils are supported with visual aids, such as individual schedules, social stories and visual step-by-step instructions, to aid their comprehension and understanding of the world around them. Pupils engage in daily group and one-to-one sessions, where they learn new skills and practice sharing space and resources with others. During independent workstation tasks, they consolidate new knowledge or skills they learned during these sessions. In addition, pupils also participate in daily leisure activities, which are centred around child-initiated play, as well as further development of their social interaction skills.

The learning topics for this academic year are; It's good to be me, Wonderful Winter, Festivity & Sparkle, Amazing Animals, Sunshine & Flowers, On the Move and Sun, Sea and Sand. Our lessons are fun and interesting and they help pupils to extend their social and personal skills. Pupils learn how to play together, share and take turns.

Vivaldi class enjoy painting and art, where they have lots of fun expressing themselves. Vivaldi class have a love for reading and pupils enjoy listening to stories. Weekly cooking sessions allow pupils to learn life skills and share preferences around food. Pupils enjoy physical education sessions, as well as using their senses to explore nature in the sensory garden and visiting farm animals, while learning how to care for them. Pupils learn through observing, experimenting and having fun throughout the day.

