



Chaffinch class is a key stage 1 class within the Practical learning approach. We have 11 pupils who are supported by a Class Teacher, a Senior Teaching Assistant and a Teaching Assistant. We also have a member of staff doing their Initial Teacher Training with us this year.

In the Practical learning approach, we learn through 'real-world' experiences and structured play. Where possible, we try to relate the learning to each pupil's individual experiences and needs. Our teaching approach reflects the learning styles of all pupils in the class.

Over the year, we will focus on a variety of topics starting with 'All about me'. We will then be moving on to other topics, such as 'Celebrations'. All of our learning forms a basis to promoting independence, life skills and social interactions. We hope to be able to embed this learning through accessing the wider school environment and taking trips out into the community. Chaffinch class are looking forward to the year ahead.

