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Possible themes/Interests/ Lines of Enquiry	Autumn Fabulous Me My family	Let's Celebrate (Diwali, birthdays, Bonfire night, Christmas	Winter Superheroes Real life superheroes (People who help us)	Spring A Ticket to Ride (Journeys to places near and far)	Growth and change Life cycles of plants and animals	Summer Saving our planet
Story Starter	Starting School	Kipper's Birthday	Super Duck	The Train Ride	Jasper's Beanstalk	Duffy's Lucky Escape
WOW starts/ends	Starting school	Parents visit to talk about their experiences of Diwali celebrations	Visit from emergency services/ Guide dogs etc	A ride on a steam train (Severn valley Railway)	Chicks- Watching chicks hatch and grow	Litter pick
Talk for Writing	Dear Zoo/ Brown Bear, Brown Bear what do you see?	My Pet Star	Mrs Pirate	The Train Ride	The Little Red Hen	Three Billy Goats Gruff
Celebrations	Harvest	Diwali (4 th November) Bonfire Night (5 th November) St Andrew's Day (30 th November) Remembrance Sunday (14 th November) Christmas (25 th December)	Chinese New Year (1 st February) Valentine's Day (14 th February)	St David's Day (1st March) St Patrick's Day (17th March) Holi Festival (18th-19th March) Mothering Sunday (27th March) Good Friday (15th April) Easter Day (17th April) St Georges Day (23rd April) Holi	May Day (2 nd May) Eid al-Fitr (2 nd -3 rd May)	Father's Day (19 th June) Eid al-Adha (9 th -10 th July)
Special Events	Starting school Parent induction meetings Parent phonics meetings EYFS Baseline assessments Wellcom screening Harvest Festival	Nativity performance Parents evening Beyond the book day Merit Aseembly Navaratri (7th November) Children in Need (19th November) Nursery Rhyme Week (15th-19th November) Anti-Bullying week (15-19 ^{9h} November)	E Safety week	NSPCC PANTS Parents evening World book day (3 rd March 2022) British Science Week (11 th -20 th March) Vaisakhi (14 th April 2022)	Mental Health Awareness week Eye testing Visit from dentist/school	Visit to Think Tank Transition to year 1 End of year reports Stay and play for new Reception children Healthy Living week
School Holidays	October Half Term 25 th October to 29 th October 2021	Christmas break 20 th December to 3 rd January 2022	February Half Term 21 st February to 25 th February 2022	Easter break 11 th April to 22 nd April 2022	May day Monday 2 nd May May Half Term 30 th May to 3 rd June 2022	Summer break 25 th July to Friday 2 nd September 2022

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See themselves as a valuable individual.

Build constructive and respectful relationships.

Express their feelings and consider the feelings of others.

Show resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge.

• Identify and moderate their own feelings socially and emotional

Children at the expected level of development by the end of Reception will achieve the Early Learning Goals (ELGs) in Personal, Social and Emotional Development.

ELG Self-Regulation: Children will show an understanding of their own feelings and those of others, and begin to regulate their behaviour accordingly; Set and work towards simple goals, being able to wait for what they want and control their immediate impulses when appropriate; Give focused attention to what the teacher says, responding appropriately even when engaged in activity, and show an ability to follow instructions involving several ideas or actions.

ELG Building Relationships: Children will work and play cooperatively and take turns with others; Form positive attachments to adults and friendships with peers; Show sensitivity to their own and to others' needs. **ELG Managing-Self:** Children will be confident to try new activities and show independence, resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge; Explain the reasons for rules, know right from wrong and try to behave accordingly; Manage their own basic hygiene and personal needs, including dressing, going to the toilet and understanding the importance of healthy food choices.

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

To include a structured and focused PSHE session per week (Jigsaw) and the sharing of PSED linked stories

Jigsaw

Spring 1 In the Autumn term Reception children will be learning to; In the Spring term Reception children will be learning to;

Autumn 2

- Develop their sense of responsibility and membership of a
- Play with one or more other children, extending and elaborating
- Help to find solutions to conflicts and rivalries. For example, accepting that not everyone can be Spider-Man in the game, and suggesting other ideas.
- Develop appropriate ways of being assertive.
- Talk with others to solve conflicts.

Autumn 1

- Talk about their feelings using words like 'happy', 'sad', 'angry' or 'worried'.
- Begin to understand how others might be feeling.
- Become more outgoing with unfamiliar people, in the safe context of their setting.
- Select and use activities, with help when needed.
- Increasingly follow rules, understanding why they are important.
- Do not always need an adult to remind them of a rule.

Being me in my world

own feelings socially and emotionally

In the Summer term Reception children will be learning to;

• See themselves as a valuable individual.

Summer 1

- Build constructive and respectful relationships.
- Manage their own needs.
- Express their feelings and consider the feelings of others.
- Identify and moderate their own feelings socially and emotionally.

Summer 2

Show resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge. Manage their own needs. Think about the perspectives of others. • Think about the perspectives of others. Manage their own needs. • Identify and moderate their Build constructive and respectful relationships. Celebrating differences Dreams and goals Relationships Healthy Me Changing me

Spring 2



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Children at the expected level of development by end of Reception will achieve the Early Learning Goals (ELGs) in Communication and Language.

ELG Listening, Attention & Understanding: Children will listen attentively and respond to what they hear with relevant questions, comments and actions when being read to and during whole class discussions and small group interactions; - They make comments about what they have heard and ask questions to clarify their understanding; and hold conversation when engaged in back-and-forth exchanges with their teacher and peers.

ELG Speaking: Children will participate in small group, class and one-to-one discussions, offering their own ideas, using recently introduced vocabulary; - They offer explanations for why things might happen, making use of recently introduced vocabulary from stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems when appropriate; - They express their ideas and feelings about their experiences using full sentences, including use of past, present and future tenses and making use of conjunctions, with modelling and support from their teacher.

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In	the Autumn term Reception ch	ildren will be learning to;	In the Spring term Reception child	ren will be learning to;	In the Summer term Reception chi	ldren will be learning to;
•	Understand why questions		• Learn new vocabulary		Learn new vocabulary	
•			Engage in story time		Engage in story time	
•			Develop social phrases		Develop social phrases	
•	Learn new vocabulary		Listen to and talk about stories to	build familiarity and	Listen to and talk about stories to	o build familiarity and
•	Engage in story time		understanding		understanding	
•	Develop social phrases		Retell the story, once they have d		Retell the story, once they have	
•	Listen to and talk about stories understanding	to build familiarity and	the text; some as exact repetition	and some in their own words	the text; some as exact repetition	and some in their own words
• y	Retell the story, once they have the text; some as exact repetitio	developed a deep familiarity with n and some in their own words				
•	Enjoy listening to longer stories	and can remember much of what	Understand how to listen carefully	y and why listening is important	Articulate their ideas and though	its in well-formed sentences.
	happens		 Ask questions to find out more ar 	nd to check they understand what	Connect one idea or action to ar	nother using a range of connective
•		talk about familiar books and be	has been said to them		• Describe events in some detail.	
	able to tell a long story		Listen carefully to rhymes and sort	ngs, paying attention to how they	Use talk to help work out proble	ms and organise thinking and
•	Be able to express a point of vio		sound		activities, and to explain how thi	ngs work and why they might
	disagree with an adult or friend	using words as well as actions	• Learn rhymes, poems and songs.		happen.	
•	Pay attention to more than one	thing at a time.	• Engage in non-fiction books		Use new vocabulary in different	contexts.
•	Understand a two-part question	or instruction	Use new vocabulary through the	day	Listen to and talk about selected	non fiction to develop a deep
•	Use talk to organise themselves	and their play	Articulate their ideas and thought	s in well formed sentences	familiarity with new knowledge	and vocabulary
•	Sing a large repertoire of songs					
•	Understand how to listen carefu	lly and why listening is important				
•	Listen carefully to rhymes and s	ongs, paying attention to how they				
•	Learn rhymes, poems and songs					

Communication and Language

To include introduction of new vocabulary through the Concept Cat, part of the Word Awareness scheme



Key vocabulary (inc Concept Cat) same different some behind all night day first last second more less both most forwards backwards through around before after dark light (not dark) big bigger biggest thick thin

heavy heavier heaviest large long longer longest straight curved quick slow above below tall taller tallest rough smooth later between bottom top back front light lighter lightest shiny dull near far early

enough narrow wide half whole corner side straight bendy



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ELG Gross Motor Skills: Children will negotiate space and obstacles safely, with consideration for themselves and others; Demonstrate strength, balance and coordination when playing; Move energetically, such as running, jumping, dancing, hopping, skipping and climbing.

ELG Fine Motor Skills: Children will hold a pencil effectively in preparation for fluent writing using the tripod grip in almost all cases; Use a range of small tools, including scissors, paint brushes and cutlery; Begin to show accuracy and care when drawing.

Autumn 1 Autu	ımn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
n the Autumn term Reception children will be lear	rning to;	In the Spring term Reception ch	ildren will be learning to;	In the Summer term Reception ch	uildren will be learning to;	
 Go up steps/stairs, climb up apparatus using alternate feet Show a preference for a dominant hand. Use large muscle movements to wave flags/paint/make marks Be increasingly independent in their own care (dressed/undressed; toileting; washing hands) Use their core muscle strength to achieve a good posture when sitting at a table or sitting on the floor Develop their small motor skills so that they can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently. Suggested tools: pencils for drawing and writing, paintbrushes, scissors, knives, forks and spoons Confidently and safely use a range of large and small apparatus indoors and outside, alone and in a group. 		 tools competently, safely and solutions suggested tools: pencils for drescissors, knives, forks and spo Confidently and safely use a reindoors and outside, alone and 	the floor Is so that they can use a range of confidently. awing and writing, paintbrushes, ons ange of large and small apparatus	indoors and outside, alone and in a group.		
 To develop their movement, balancing, riding and Skip, hop and stand on one leg and hold the pose Take part in team activities collaborating with oth Remember sequences and patterns of movement to Matching developing physical skills to tasks and a Choose right resources to carry out own plan Comfortable pencil grip with good control Make healthy choices about food drink and activit 	ers music ctivities	 Further develop and refine a rethrowing, catching, kicking, possible 	awling - walking - jumping - climbing with ease and fluency. balance, co-ordination and agility ange of ball skills including: assing, batting, and aiming. ce, precision and accuracy when	needed to engage successfully with and other physical disciplines inclusive swimming. Develop overall body-strength, bate Further develop and refine a range catching, kicking, passing, batting. Develop confidence, competence, in activities that involve a ball. Develop the foundations of a hand and efficient. Know and talk about the different health and wellbeing: - regular physical regular physical disciplines.	e of ball skills including: throwing, , and aiming. precision and accuracy when engagi dwriting style which is fast, accurate factors that support their overall	

Physical Development

Includes focused weekly PE lesson & daily physical development in outdoor areas



		 Develop and refine a range of ball skills including: throwing, catching, kicking, passing, batting, and aiming. 			Further develop the skills they nee successfully: - lining up and queuir	The state of the s
PE	Movement and using the space around us.	Ball Skills	Dance	Large Equipment and Gymnastics	Ball Skills	Athletics & Sports Day

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Spring 1

sounds for them.

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ELG Word Reading: Children say a sound for each letter in the alphabet and at least 10 digraphs; they read words consistent with their phonic knowledge by sound-blending; Read aloud simple sentences and books that are consistent with their phonic knowledge, including some common exception words.

Read some letter groups that each represent one sound and say

• Read phonics books to build confidence, fluency and understanding.

ELG Writing: Children write recognisable letters, most of which are correctly formed; they spell words by identifying sounds in them and representing the sounds with a letter or letters; and write simple phrases and sentences that can be read by others.

ELG Comprehension: Children demonstrate understanding of what has been read to them by retelling stories and narratives using their own words and recently introduced vocabulary; They anticipate — where appropriate – key events in stories; and use and understand recently introduced vocabulary during discussions about stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems and during role-play.

• Read individual letters by saying the sounds for them.

Blend sounds into words to read short words.

Read simple phrases and sentences

Spell words by identifying the sound

• Form lower-case letters correctly.

Literacy

- To include a rigorous phonics programme (RWI) delivered daily.
- Handwriting sessions delivered twice a week.
- Autumn 1 Autumn 2 In the Autumn term Reception children will be learning to: Understand the five key concepts in print:
- 1. Print has meaning
- 2. Print can have different purposes
- 3. English is read from left to right & top to bottom
- 4. Different parts of the book 5. Page sequencing
- Engage in extended conversations about stories, learning new vocabulary.
- Use some of their print and letter knowledge in their early writing
- Write their name
- Read individual letters by saying the sounds for them.
- Spot and suggest rhymes
- Count or clap syllables in
- Recognise words with same initial sound
- Write some letters accurately
- Blend sounds into words to read short words

- Summer 2 Summer 1 In the Spring term Reception children will be learning to; In the Summer term Reception children will be learning to;
 - Re-read what they have written to check it makes sense.
 - Read phonics books to build confidence, fluency and understanding
 - Read a few common exception words.
 - Form capital letters correctly
 - Write short sentences with words with known sound correspondences using a capital letter and fullstop.



Phonics	Phase 1- Environmental	Consolidation of Set 1 single	RWI Set 1 sounds- special friends	Consolidate Set 1 sounds	Teach set 2 special friends:	Consolidation of Set 2
T	Sounds, Instrumental sounds,	letter sounds	ch, sh, th, ng, nk,	Read & spell CVCC & CCVC	ay, ee, igh, ow, oo, oo, ar, or, air,	sounds & CVCC/CCVC words.
Initially taught in	Body percussion, Rhythm &	Read RWI sound books	RWI Set 2 sounds- special friends	words using set 1 sounds,	ir, ou, oy	
classes. Following RWI assessment at	rhyme, Alliteration, Voice Sounds,	Read KVVI Sound Doors	RVVI Set 2 sounds-special friends	including special friends	Read & spell words with adjacent	Read RWI purple books
the end of Autumn	Oral blending & segmenting	Tricky red words:	Read RWI short ditties		consonants	
1, children to be	RWI Set 1 sounds — single letter	go, to, the, no, so,	T: I	Read RWI red books	(CVCC, CCVC words)	Consolidation of previously taught
grouped according	sounds		Tricky red words: he, me, be, she, we, they,			red tricky words
to assessment	Tricky red words: I		the, me, be, she, we, they,	Tricky red words:	Read RWI green books	
outcome				they, you, are, her	Tricky red words:	
					by, my, like, all	
	Handwriting:	Handwriting:	Handwriting:	Handwriting:	Handwriting:	Handwriting:
	Motor skills; dough disco, Funky	Motor skills; dough disco, Funky	Motor skills; dough disco, Funky	Curly letters: e,f,s	Capital letters:	Capital letters:
	Fingers, Cosmic Yoga, Go Noodle	Fingers, Cosmic Yoga, Go Noodle	Fingers, Cosmic Yoga, Go Noodle	Zig Zag letters: v,w,z,x	A,B,C,D,E,F,G,H,I J,K,L,M	N,O,P,Q,R,S,T,U,V,W,X,Y,Z
	and name writing.	and name writing	and name writing		Numbers:	Numbers:
		Around letters: c,o,a,d,g,q	Down letters: l t b p k h i j m n r		1,4,5,7,0	2,3,6.8.9
Curantad	Dear Zoo	The Nativity story	и у Mog and the Vee Ee Tee	The Train Ride	The Hungry Caterpillar	Daffy's Lucky Escape
Suggested	Mr Wiggle and Mr Waggle	Percy the Park Keeper	No Dragons for Tea	Get off Our Train	Jasper's Beanstalk	Monsters Don't Eat Broccoli
stories	Rainbow Fish	The Diwali story	Series- People Who Help Us	Mr Gumpy's Outing	The Little Red Hen	Handa's Surprise
	Elmer	Pig in the Pond	(Askew & Crowson)	Mrs Armitage on Wheels	The Ugly Duckling	Oi Get Off the Train
	Colour Monster	Brown Bear. Brown Bear What	Postman Pat series	Lost and found	Non Fiction books about animal	Non-fiction healthy living books
	The Bear Hunt	Do You See?	Fireman Sam series	Duck in the Truck	life cycles e.g Frogs, chicks,	Non-fiction books about
	Room on the Broom		Non -Fiction People who Help		butterflies, humans	environmental issues such as
			books			recycling & pollution



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ELG Number: Children will have a deep understanding of number to 10, including the composition of each number; Subitise (recognise quantities without counting) up to 5; Automatically recall (without reference to rhymes, counting or other aids) number bonds up to 5 (including subtraction facts) and some number bonds to 10, including double facts.

ELG Numerical patterns: Children will verbally count beyond 20, recognising the pattern of the counting system; Compare quantities up to 10 in different contexts, recognising when one quantity is greater than, less than or the same as the other quantity; Explore and represent patterns within numbers up to 10, including evens and odds, double facts and how quantities can be distributed equally.

, , ,	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Maths • To include a rigorous Maths programme (Power Maths) delivered daily.	 Link numerals and amounts up to 5 Count objects, actions and sounds (1-5) Subitise Recite numbers to 5 Experiment with their own symbols and marks as well as numerals Solve real world mathematical problems with numbers up to 5 Compare quantities using language 'more than' and 'fewer than' 	 Count objects, actions and sounds (1-5) Subitise Recite numbers to 10 Link the number symbol (numeral) with its cardinal number value. Describe a sequence of events (first, then) Discuss routes and locations, using words like 'in front of' and 'behind' Talk about and explore 2D and 3D shapes (for example, circles, rectangles, triangles and cuboids) using informal and mathematical language: 'sides', 'corners'; 'straight', 'flat', 'round' Compare numbers (1-5) Understand the 'one more than/one less than' relationship 	 Count objects, actions and sounds (1-10) Subitise Count to 10 Link the number symbol (numeral) with its cardinal number value. Compare numbers (within 1-10 range) Explore the composition of numbers to 10 Compare length, weight and capacity Understand the 'one more than/one less than' relationship between consecutive numbers (1-10) 	 Count objects, actions and sounds (1-10) Subitise Count to 10 Link the number symbol (numeral) with its cardinal number value. 	 Count objects, actions and sounds (1-10) Subitise Count beyond 10 Link the number symbol (numeral) with its cardinal number value. Explore the composition of numbers to 10 Automatically recall number bonds for numbers 0–10 	 Count objects, actions and sounds (1-10) Subitise Count beyond 10 Link the number symbol (numeral) with its cardinal number value. Compose and decompose shapes so that children recognise a shape can have other shapes within it, just as numbers can. Compare length, weight and capacity Compare numbers in different contexts (within 1-10 range)
Power Maths	 Unit 1: Numbers to 5 Unit 2: Comparing groups within 5 	between consecutive numbers (1-5) • Automatically recall number bonds for numbers 0-5 • Unit 3: 2D & 3D shape • Unit 4: Change within 5 • Unit 5: Number bonds within 5 • Unit 6: Space (directional and positional vocabulary)	 Unit 7: Numbers to 10 Unit 8: Comparing numbers to 10 Unit 9: Addition to 10 Unit 10: Measure- length, height, weight 	 Unit 11: Number bonds to 10 Unit 12: Subtraction Unit 13: Exploring patterns 	 Unit 14: Counting on and counting back Unit 15: Numbers to 20 Unit 16: Numerical patterns 	 Unit 17: Composing & decomposing shapes Unit 18: Measure- volume & capacity Unit 19: Sorting- comparing quantities Unit 20: Time



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ELG Past and Present: Children will talk about the lives of the people around them and their roles in society; Know some similarities and differences between things in the past and now, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class; Understand the past through settings, characters and events encountered in books read in class and storytelling;

ELG People Culture and Communities: Children will describe their immediate environment using knowledge from observation, discussion, stories, non-fiction texts and maps; Know some similarities and differences between different religious and cultural communities in this country, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class; Explain some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries, drawing on knowledge from stories, non-fiction texts and, when appropriate, maps.

ELG The Natural World: Children will explore the natural world around them, making observations and drawing pictures of animals and plants; Know some similarities and differences between the natural world around them and contrasting environments, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class; Understand some important processes and changes in the natural world around them, including the seasons and changing states of matter.

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Understanding the World		al world around them. Describe who mediate family and community. are familiar to them. situations in the past.	 t they see, hear and feel whilst outside Understand that some places are spe Compare and contrast characters from stories, including figures from the past. Recognise some similarities and differences between life in this 	 Recognise that people have differencial to members of their community. Recognise some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries. Recognise some environments 	 Recognise some environments which they live. Understand the effect of changaround them. 	
	Understand that some places are community.	are special to members of their	country and life in other countries.	 that are different to the one in which they live. Draw information from a simple map. 		



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ELG Creating with Materials: Children will safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function; Share their creations, explaining the process they have used; Make use of props and materials when role playing characters in narratives and stories.

ELG Being Imaginative and Expressive: Children will: Invent, adapt and recount narratives and stories with peers and their teacher; Sing a range of well-known nursery rhymes and songs; Perform songs, rhymes, poems and stories with others, and, when appropriate, try to move in time with music.

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Expressive Arts and Design	 Begin to develop complex stories using small world equipment like animal sets, dolls and dolls houses etc. Make imaginative and complex 'small worlds' with blocks and construction kits, such as a city with different buildings and a park. Draw with increasing complexity and detail, such as representing a face with a circle and including details. Show different emotions in their drawings and paintings, like happiness, sadness, fear etc. Sing the melodic shape (moving melody, such as up and down, down and up) of familiar songs Create their own songs, or improvise a song around one they know. Play instruments with increasing control to express their feelings and ideas. 	 Return to and build on their present Create collaboratively, sharing Listen attentively, move to and Watch and talk about dance at Sing in a group or on their own Develop storylines in their preter 	y of artistic effects to express their ide evious learning, refining ideas and de ideas, resources and skills. I talk about music, expressing their fe and performance art, expressing their j an, increasingly matching the pitch and	eas and feelings. veloping their ability to represent there elings and responses. Geelings and responses I following the melody.	n.	
Suggested Role Play (inside and outside)	Inside: Home Corner, with different rooms represented. (E.g kitchen, lounge, child's bedroom) Outside: Picnic area/ flower Shop/ Explorer den	Inside: Home corner & shop Outside: Garage	Inside: Home corner & school Outside: Garden Centre	Inside: Home corner & doctor's surgery Outside: Train station	Inside: Home corner & Cafe Outside: Car wash	Inside: Home corner & Opticians Outside: The beach