



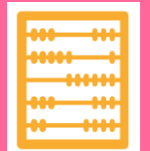


Theme	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
	Autumn 1 – All About Me	Autumn 2 – Light and Dark	Spring 1 – Hot and Cold	Spring 2 – Tell Me a Story	Summer 1 – Come Outside!	Summer 2 – Let's Go on an Adventure!
<b>Other Possible Themes</b>	People Who Help Us Our Local Area Our Families Learning Animals - 7 Habits Harvest Festival	Autumn Firefighters Diwali Christmas Bonfire Night Children in Need Remembrance Day Road Safety Friendship Week Space Electricity through Time	Pets Valentine's Day Chinese New Year Arctic Animals Freezing and Melting Hot and Cold Places Looking after Ourselves	Pancake Day Comic Relief Mother's Day Easter Fairytale Week International Women's Day World Book Day	Gardening Plants and Animals Life Cycles Minibeasts David Attenborough Eid Al-Fitr	Holidays Lifeguards Mermaids Looking after the Ocean Transport Father's Day Sports Day World Oceans Day Journeys Travel and Transport over Time
<b>Enrichment Activities</b>	Phonics session for parents Meet the teacher session for parents Share a book Invite people in who help us e.g. firefighter, dentist, nurse etc. Making vegetable soup Animal experience? Hedgehogs and Owls	Diwali carousel day – invite specific parents who celebrate in Christmas performance Share a book Odd Sock Day Making food for Diwali Christmas carousel day – invite specific parents who celebrate in	Invite someone you love into school - make them a heart shaped cookie Melting chocolate to make crispy cakes Freezing apple juice to make sorbet Chinese New Year Parade Share a book Chinese New Year carousel day – invite specific parents who celebrate in	Invite mum / grandma / auntie into school for Mother's Day- make scones Parents invited in to make Easter bonnets - children's parade to show them off Easter egg hunt Theatre group / storytelling group? Dressing up as a fairytale character Share a book Making pancakes Easter carousel day – invite specific parents who celebrate in	School trip? Local area? Share a book Parent's gardening club	Invite special men into school - make them a cake Invite parents in to talk about their jobs Sports Day Share a book End of year celebration with parents
<b>Communication and Language</b> 	<b>Listening, Attention and Understanding</b> Children will be able to understand how to listen carefully and know why it is important.  <b>Speaking</b> Children will talk in front of small groups and their teacher offering their own ideas.	<b>Listening, Attention and Understanding</b> Children will begin to understand how and why questions.  <b>Speaking</b> Children will use new vocabulary throughout the day.	<b>Listening, Attention and Understanding</b> Children will learn to ask questions to find out more.  <b>Speaking</b> Children will talk in sentences using conjunctions, e.g. and, because.	<b>Listening, Attention and Understanding</b> Children will retell a story and follow a story without pictures or props.  <b>Speaking</b> Children will engage in non-fiction books and to use new vocabulary in different contexts.	<b>Listening, Attention and Understanding</b> Children will be able to understand a question such as who, what, where, when, why and how.  <b>Speaking</b> Children will use talk to organise, sequence and clarify thinking, ideas, feelings and events.	<b>Listening, Attention and Understanding</b> Children will be able to have conversations with adults and peers with back-and-forth exchanges.  <b>Speaking</b> Children will use talk in sentences using a range of tenses.
<b>Listening, Attention and Understanding:</b> 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. Make comments about what they have heard and ask questions to clarify their understanding. Hold conversation when engaged in back-and-forth exchanges with their teacher and peers.						
<b>Speaking:</b> Participate in small group, class and one-to-one discussions, offering their own ideas, using recently introduced vocabulary. Offer explanations for why things might happen, making use of recently introduced vocabulary from stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems when appropriate. 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.						
<b>Personal, Social and Emotional Development</b> 	<b>Self-Regulation</b> Children will be able to follow one step instructions.  Children will recognise different emotions.  Children will focus during short whole class activities.  <b>Managing Self</b> Children will learn to wash their hands independently.  <b>Building Relationships</b> Children will seek support from adults and gain confidence to speak to peers and adults.	<b>Self-Regulation</b> Children will talk about how they are feeling and to consider others feelings.  <b>Managing Self</b> Children will understand the need to have rules.  <b>Building Relationships</b> Children will begin to develop friendships.	<b>Self-Regulation</b> Children will be able to focus during longer whole class lessons.  <b>Managing Self</b> Children will begin to show resilience and perseverance in the face of a challenge.  <b>Building Relationships</b> Children will be able to use taught strategies to support in turn taking.	<b>Self-Regulation</b> Children will identify and moderate their own feelings socially and emotionally.  <b>Managing Self</b> Children will develop independence when dressing and undressing.  <b>Building Relationships</b> Children will listen to the ideas of other children and agree on a solution and compromise.	<b>Self-Regulation</b> Children will be able to control their emotions using a range of techniques.  <b>Managing Self</b> Children will manage their own basic needs independently.  Children will learn to dress themselves independently.  <b>Building Relationships</b> Children will learn to work as a group.	<b>Self-Regulation</b> Children will be able to follow instructions of three steps or more.  <b>Managing Self</b> Children will show a 'can do' attitude.  Children will understand the importance of healthy food choices.  <b>Building Relationships</b> Children will have the confidence to communicate with adults around the school.
<b>Self-Regulation:</b> 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.						
<b>Managing Self:</b> 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.						
<b>Building Relationships:</b> 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.						

<p><b>Physical Development</b></p>  <p>Children improve their gross and fine motor skills daily by engaging in different Funky Fingers activities (threading, cutting, weaving, playdough), mark making, construction, drawing, writing, Dough Disco, write dance</p>	<p><b>Gross Motor</b> Children will learn to move safely in a space.</p> <p><b>Fine Motor</b> Children will begin to use a tripod grip when using mark making tools.</p>	<p><b>Gross Motor</b> Children will explore different ways to travel using equipment.</p> <p><b>Fine Motor</b> Children will accurately draw lines, circles and shapes to draw pictures.</p>	<p><b>Gross Motor</b> Children will be able to control a ball in different ways.</p> <p>Children will balance on a variety of equipment and climb.</p> <p><b>Fine Motor</b> Children will handle scissors, pencil and glue effectively.</p>	<p><b>Gross Motor</b> Children will jump and land safely from a height.</p> <p><b>Fine Motor</b> Children will use cutlery appropriately.</p>	<p><b>Gross Motor</b> Children will move safely with confidence and imagination, communicating ideas through movement.</p> <p><b>Fine Motor</b> Children will hold scissors correctly and cut out small shapes.</p>	<p><b>Gross Motor</b> Children will be able to play by the rules and develop coordination.</p> <p><b>Fine Motor</b> Children will form letters correctly using a tripod grip.</p>
<p><b>Gross Motor:</b> 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.</p> <p><b>Fine Motor:</b> 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, paintbrushes and cutlery. Begin to show accuracy and care when drawing.</p>						
<p><b>Literacy</b></p>  <p>Children develop their reading and writing skills through our phonics scheme – FFT Success for all Phonics. This includes daily phonic sessions and daily shared reading sessions. Children will have at least 1 weekly writing rainbow challenge and will read to adults regularly.</p>	<p><b>Comprehension</b> Children will independently look at a book, hold it the correct way and turn pages.</p> <p><b>Word Reading</b> Children will segment and blend sounds together to read words.</p> <p><b>Writing</b> Children will give meanings to the marks they make.</p>	<p><b>Comprehension</b> Children will engage and enjoy an increasing range of books.</p> <p><b>Word Reading</b> Children will begin to read captions and sentences.</p> <p><b>Writing</b> Children will form letters correctly.</p>	<p><b>Comprehension</b> Children will act out stories using recently introduced vocabulary.</p> <p><b>Word Reading</b> Children will recognise taught digraphs in words and blend the sounds together.</p> <p><b>Writing</b> Children will write words representing the sounds with a letter/letters.</p>	<p><b>Comprehension</b> Children will be able to talk about the characters in the books they are reading.</p> <p><b>Word Reading</b> Children will read words containing tricky words and digraphs,</p> <p><b>Writing</b> Children will write labels/[phrases representing the sounds with a letter/letters.</p>	<p><b>Comprehension</b> Children will retell a story using vocabulary influenced by their book.</p> <p><b>Word Reading</b> Children will read longer sentences containing phase 4 words and tricky words.</p> <p><b>Writing</b> Children will write words which are spelt phonetically.</p>	<p><b>Comprehension</b> Children will be able to answer questions about what they have read.</p> <p><b>Word Reading</b> Children will read books matched to their phonics ability.</p> <p><b>Writing</b> Children will write simple phrases and sentences using recognisable letters and sounds.</p>
<p><b>Possible Book Focus</b></p>	<p>Books about friendship Books about families The Little Red Hen Supertato The Gingerbread Man The Enormous Turnip</p>	<p>Owl Babies Books about nocturnal animals Nursery Rhymes Room on the Broom Christmas Books Aliens Love Underpants Whatever Next How to Catch a Star Rocket Rocket Zoom Zoom to the Moon Beegu</p>	<p>Jack Frost Stickman Lost and Found If You Were a Penguin The Emperor's Egg Meerkat Mail</p>	<p>The Gruffalo Goldilocks and The Three Bears Three Little Pigs Little Red Riding Hood Three Billy Goats Gruff</p>	<p>Jack and the Beanstalk The Tiny Seed Oliver's Vegetables The Very Hungry Caterpillar A Fruit is a Suitcase for Seeds The Bad Tempered Ladybird Billy's Sunflower Handa's Surprise Dear Zoo The Tiger Who Came to Tea Giraffes Can't Dance</p>	<p>The Rainbow Fish Barry the Fish with Fingers Commotion in the Ocean Sharing a Shell Tiddler Pirate Boy We're Going on a Bear Hunt Croc and Bird Rumble in the Jungle Hooray for Fish The Snail and the Whale The Storm Whale</p>
<p><b>Comprehension:</b> Demonstrate understanding of what has been read to them by retelling stories and narratives using their own words and recently introduced vocabulary. Anticipate (where appropriate) key events in stories. Use and understand recently introduced vocabulary during discussions about stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems and during role play.</p> <p><b>Word Reading:</b> Say a sound for each letter in the alphabet and at least 10 digraphs. 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.</p> <p><b>Writing:</b> Write recognisable letters, most of which are correctly formed. Spell words by identifying sounds in them and representing the sounds with a letter or letters. Write simple phrases and sentences that can be read by others.</p>						
<p><b>Mathematics</b></p>  <p>Children will take part in daily maths sessions following the NCETM Axis</p>	<p><b>Number</b> Children will have a deep understanding of 1-3.</p> <p><b>Numerical Patterns</b> Children will verbally say which group has more or less.</p>	<p><b>Number</b> Children will have a deep understanding of numbers 1-5.</p> <p><b>Numerical Patterns</b> Children will compare equal and unequal groups.</p>	<p><b>Number</b> Children will have a deep understanding of numbers 1-8.</p> <p><b>Numerical Patterns</b> Children will understand and explore the difference between odd and even numbers.</p>	<p><b>Number</b> Children will have a deep understanding of numbers 1-10.</p> <p><b>Numerical Patterns</b> Children will add and subtract using number sentences.</p>	<p><b>Number</b> Children will revise number bonds to 5.</p> <p><b>Numerical Patterns</b> Children will share quantities equally.</p>	<p><b>Number</b> Children will know number bonds to 10, including doubling facts.</p> <p><b>Numerical Patterns</b> Children will be able to count beyond 20 and higher.</p>

Fluency planning. They will also have a SSM session every Monday. Each week, they will have at least 1 rainbow challenge linked to maths.

**Number:** 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.

**Numerical Patterns:** 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.

**Understanding the World**



Children will take part in woodland explorer sessions every week. They will also have regular topic sessions / circle times linked to each theme.

**History: Past and Present**  
Children will know about their own life story and how they have changed.

**History: Past and Present**  
Children will talk about past and present events in their lives and what has been read to them.

**History: Past and Present**  
Children will talk about the lives of people around them.

**Geography: People, Culture and Communities**  
Children will know about features of the immediate environment.

**Science: The Natural World**  
Seasonal Changes

**History: Past and Present**  
Children will know some similarities and differences between things in the past and now.

**RE: People, Culture and Communities**  
Diwali Celebrations  
The Christmas Story  
Hannukah

**Science: The Natural World**  
Seasonal Changes

**RE: People, Culture and Communities**  
Children will know that people around the world have different religions.  
Chinese New Year / Ramadan

**Science: The Natural World**  
Children will know some important processes and changes in the natural world, including states of matter

**Science: The Natural World**  
Children will talk about features of the environment they are in and learn about different environments.

**Science: The Natural World**  
Seasonal Changes

**History: Past and Present**  
Children will know about the past through settings, characters and events.

**Geography: People, Culture and Communities**  
Children will know about and describe people who help us within the community.

**RE: People, Culture and Communities**  
The Easter Story  
Eid al-Fitr

**Science: The Natural World**  
Seasonal Changes

**Science: The Natural World**  
Children will make observations about animals discussing similarities and differences.  
Life cycles.

**Science: The Natural World**  
Children will make observations about plants discussing similarities and differences.

**Geography: People, Culture and Communities**  
Children will know that there are many countries around the world and use stories, non-fiction texts, images, video clips and – when appropriate - maps to find out about places in the world that are different to the one in which they live.

**Science: The Natural World**  
Children will know about different habitats.

**Science: The Natural World**  
Seasonal Changes

**Geography: People, Culture and Communities**  
Children will draw information from a simple map.

**Geography: People, Culture and Communities**  
Children will identify some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries e.g. how children travel to school, what they eat or where they live.

**Science: The Natural World**  
Children will explore and ask questions about the natural world around them.

**History: Past and Present**  
Children will know some similarities and differences between things in the past and now.

**Science: The Natural World**  
Seasonal Changes

**Past and Present:** 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.

**People, Culture and Communities:** 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.

**The Natural World:** 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.

**Expressive Arts and Design**



Children will take part in weekly rainbow challenges that encourage them to be creative in range of different ways.

**Music: Being Imaginative**  
Children will sing and perform nursery rhymes.

**Art and Design: Creating with Materials**  
Children will experiment mixing with colours.

Artwork of the month: Mondrian 'Colour block'

**Music: Being Imaginative**  
Children will experiment with different instruments and their sounds.

**Art and Design: Creating with Materials**  
Children will experiment with different textures.

Artwork of the month: TBC

**Music: Being Imaginative**  
Children will create narratives based around stories.

**Art and Design: Creating with Materials**  
Children will safely explore different techniques for joining materials.

Artwork of the month: TBC

**Music: Being Imaginative**  
Children will move in time to the music.

**Art and Design: Creating with Materials**  
Children will make props and costumes for different role-play scenarios.

Artwork of the month: TBC

**Music: Being Imaginative**  
Children will play an instrument following a musical pattern.

**Art and Design: Creating with Materials**  
Children will explore and use a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings.

Artwork of the month: TBC

**Music: Being Imaginative**  
Children will invent their own narratives, stories and poems.

**Art and Design: Creating with Materials**  
Children will share creations, talk about process and evaluate their work.

Artwork of the month: TBC

**Creating with Materials:** 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.

**Being Imaginative:** 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.