

Year Group Long Term Plan: Nursery						
	AUTUMN	SPRING	SUMMER			
	Self-Regulation All about me and my family Learning about different emotions	Self-Regulation Understand emotions Talk about feelings	Self-Regulation Show confidence in new situations (transition) Understand how other people might be feeling			
PERSONAL, SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT	Managing Self All about me (self-care) Toilet training and hand washing Introduce classroom rules and routines	Managing Self Create and model activities designed to allow independence and perseverance in the face of challenge Select and use resources independently Understand and follow rules and routines	Managing Self Being healthy – exercise Talk with others to solve conflict Follow rules and routines without adult support			
	Building Relationships All about me (co-operative play / positive relationships) Playing alongside others Being aware of others in their environment	Building Relationships Playing with one or more children, turn taking, sharing	Building Relationships Being confident with unfamiliar adults (transition) Extending playing ideas with others			
PHYSICAL	Gross Motor Movement in different ways including running, walk, run and climb on different surfaces, climb stairs using alternate feet	Gross Motor Ball skills including throwing, catching and kicking Create lines and circles pivoting from the shoulder and elbow	Gross Motor Refine movements in different ways such as running forwards and backwards, jumping upwards and forwards Link a sequence of movements together			
DEVELOPMENT	Fine Motor Use a range of small tools – brushes, pencils, chalk, whisks, pegs, threading Develop grip strength in hands – dough disco: squeeze, stretch, pinch, roll	Fine Motor Show accuracy when drawing using lines and circles Focus on developing tripod pencil grip Hold scissors correctly to snip	Fine Motor Learn to write some letters in their names Use a range of lines and shapes when painting and drawing to create a representation			
COMMUNICATION AND DEVELOPMENT	Listening, Attention and Understanding Listen and respond when they are spoken to by an adult. Listen to and identify sounds from the indoor and outdoor Explore instruments for listening and response skills Sit still, listen and join in for rhymes, stories or register routine	Listening, Attention and Understanding Answer questions in a small group situation linked to well-known stories. Answers are becoming more appropriate to the question Listen for a growing length of time in a small group Follow a simple two step instruction	Listening, Attention and Understanding Understand why questions. Listen and maintain attention for a growing length of time as a class Give greater detail in answers Follow a more complex set of instructions			

	Follow a simple single instruction		
	Speaking Answer the register. Talking one to one with a key adult. Repeating key vocabulary modelled. Begin to understand the conventions of talk and response	Speaking Start a conversation and continue to turn take. Use talk to organise themselves and their play Communicate to meet needs Communicate for a purpose Use a wider range of appropriate vocabulary	Speaking Retell well-known stories and sing a repertoire of rhymes. Name a story that they like and say why
LITERACY	Word Reading and Comprehension Adults share books- how to hold, print has meaning, identify print in the environment Tuning into sounds through songs, rhymes, body sounds Copying sequences with your body and voice	Word Reading and Comprehension Share books in groups- name different parts of the book share books in groups- how follow text Engage in rhythm and rhyme to learn vocabulary and responses Learn that names and objects start with a sound Count/clap syllables in a word	Word Reading and Comprehension Sounds effects and letter sounds using their voice Orally segment and blend – using objects then pictures Introduce RWI pictures Recognise words with the same initial sound
	Writing Adding marks to their pictures to show meaning	Writing Adding marks to their pictures to show meaning Begin to create individual marks to represent meaning	Writing Begin to form some letters correctly in their name
MATHEMATICS	Number and Number Patterns Counting rhymes and songs using fingers to represent numbers Recite numbers counting past 5	Number and Number Patterns Cardinal value to 3 and counting groups to 3 Link numeral amounts up to 3 Compare quantities using vocabulary such as more than, less than Talk about and identify patterns Discuss routes and locations using appropriate vocabulary	Number and Number Patterns Recognition of up to 3 objects Show finger numbers up to 5 Cardinal value to 5 Link numeral amounts up to 5 Notice and correct an error in a repeating pattern
	Shape and Measure Talk about and explore 2D shapes and language associated	Shape and Measure Talk about and explore 3D shapes and language associated Investigate size, length, weight and capacity	Shape and Measure Combining shapes to make new shapes Select appropriate shape for building Make simple comparisons between size, length, weight and capacity
UNDERSTANDING	Past and Present Talk about weekend news	Past and Present Remember and talk about significant recent events in their own experience Look at photos of events in their lives	Past and Present Remember and talk about significant recent events in their own experience
UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD	People, Culture and Communities Bonfire Night, Diwali and Christmas (what are they?) Birthdays (why and how?) Children in Need Look at different occupations	People, Culture and Communities Chinese New Year and Easter (what are they?) Talk about similarities and differences between people Comic Relief	People, Culture and Communities Talk about similarities and differences between places they have been and where they live

		The Natural World Seasons: Weather (autumn / winter) Exploration of the immediate environment grass, mud, puddles, plants, animals Using senses, sights, sounds and smells Identify through stories different environments and nature	The Natural World Seasons: Weather (winter / spring) To talk about some of the things they have observed such as plants, animals, natural and found objects To plant seeds and care for them Understand change of state- melting, freezing	The Natural World Seasons: Weather (summer) Woodland Environment including comparison to local area Mini beasts and woodland animals Show care and concern for the environment
		Creating with Materials Explore different materials Create closed shapes with continuous lines Explore colour Mark making leading to drawing	Creating with Materials Explore different materials using all senses Show emotions in paintings and pictures	Creating with Materials Artist study – Kandinksy – abstract art Make simple models Use drawing to represent ideas
	EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGNS	Being Imaginative and Expressive Introduce pretend play Listen with increased attention to sounds Performance for others: Nursery rhymes Christmas	Being Imaginative and Expressive Sing a range of nursery rhymes – recognise rhythm and repetition Take part in pretend play Remember and sing entire songs Performance for others: Easter concert	Being Imaginative and Expressive Make imaginative small worlds Respond to what they have heard, expressing their thoughts and feelings Sing pitch of a tone sung by another person Performance for others: music and singing Graduation