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	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	All about me	In our world	Tell me a story	Pattern	Journeys	Growing & Changing
Key dates Trips Experiences	INSET Friday 1st September 16 th October: Multicultural week 7 weeks	INSET Monday 30th October INSET Monday 27th November 18 th Dec Festival of Lights Day Nursery Christmas Singalong 8 weeks	Parents in class for story time 5 weeks	18 th March Mental health & Wellbeing week 6 weeks	Polling Day 2 nd May INSET Friday 3rd May Bank Holiday 6 th May Class Assemblies Trip to the park 6 weeks	17 th June Sports week INSET Monday 24th June Growing a plant Caterpillars Nursery Graduation 8 weeks
Core texts	 Owl Babies  The Colour Monster	 The Runaway Chapati  We are Going on a Leaf Hunt  Handa's surprise	 Brown Bear Brown Bear what do you see?  Goldilocks and Three Bears  Gingerbread Man	 Elmer  The Rainbow Fish  The Kings Pants	 Duck in the Truck  Sydney and the Seven Seas  Harry and the Dinosaurs go on Holiday	 Jasper's Beanstalk  Little Red Hen  Hungry Caterpillar  Harry and the dinosaurs go to school
Other texts	Dear Zoo Where's Spot?	We're Going on a Bear Hunt Handa's Hen	Three Little pigs Three Billy Goats Gruff	The Black and White club The Queens Knickers	The Train Ride The Lighthouse Keepers Lunch	Errol's Garden Jack and The Beanstalk

COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE

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The development of children's spoken language underpins all seven areas of learning and development. Children's **back-and-forth interactions** from an early age form the foundations for language and cognitive development. The **number and quality of the conversations** they have with adults and peers throughout the day in a **language-rich environment** is crucial. By **commenting** on what children are interested in or doing, and **echoing back** what they say with **new vocabulary** added, practitioners will build children's language effectively. **Reading frequently to children**, and engaging them actively in **stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems**, and then providing them with **extensive opportunities to use and embed new words** in a range of contexts, will give children the opportunity to thrive. Through **conversation, story-telling and role play**, where children share their ideas with **support and modelling** from their teacher, and **sensitive questioning** that invites them to elaborate, children become comfortable **using a rich range of vocabulary** and language structures.

COMMUNICATION AND LANGUAGE

Listening,
Attention
and
Understanding
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Speaking





- Focusing attention during an adult led carpet session for 5 minutes
- Following and understanding simple instructions
- Linking objects to what they are used for
- Talking about what we are doing
- Asking simple questions
- Learning lots of new vocabulary (Feelings, animals, fruits, linked to routines, times of day and learning environment)

- Focusing attention and concentrating during an adult led carpet session
- Following instructions when not own choice
- Engaging short exchanges with others
- Speaking in phrases/ sentence with more words
- Expressing feelings
- Talking about stories and joining in with stories
- Starting conversations and asking questions
- Learning lots of new vocabulary (Story words, size, growth, environment)

- Focusing attention and concentrating during an adult led carpet session for 10 minutes and during self-chosen activities
- Understanding prepositions
- Following a two-part instruction
- Talking for longer in conversations
- Role play
- Joining in with stories, rhymes and songs
- Learning lots of new vocabulary (Story words, size, growth, environment)

PERSONAL, SOCIAL, EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT
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Children’s personal, social and emotional development (PSED) is crucial for children to lead healthy and happy lives, and is fundamental to their cognitive development. Underpinning their personal development are the **important attachments** that shape their social world. **Strong, warm and supportive relationships** with adults enable children to learn how to **understand their own feelings and those of others**. Children should be **supported to manage emotions, develop a positive sense of self, set themselves simple goals, have confidence in their own abilities, to persist and wait for what they want and direct attention as necessary**. Through **adult modelling and guidance**, they will learn **how to look after their bodies**, including **healthy eating**, and **manage personal needs** independently. Through **supported interaction with other children**, they learn how to **make good friendships, co-operate and resolve conflicts peaceably**. These attributes will provide a secure platform from which children can achieve at school and in later life.

<p>PSED Building Relationships Managing Self Self-Regulation</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Talking to and making friends Taking to adults Separating from parents/carer Choosing what to play Sharing Communicating when needing toilet Learning some Nursery rules Naming and talking about feelings Building relationships and going to adults for comfort Accepting when can’t get what want 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Playing co-operatively Showing empathy and understanding how others are feeling Talking to visitors that come in to Nursery Talk about likes and dislikes Understanding actions have consequences Develop independence in going to the toilet Know the rules and boundaries in Nursery Know there are different rules inside and outside 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Playing in a group and asking friends to play Confidence in sharing ideas and experiences both adults and children Taking risks and trying new things Developing a “can do” attitude Developing independence in put on coat and dressed and undressed Understanding equipment needs to be used safely Regulating behaviour using feeling vocabulary Explaining what has happened when upset Solving conflicts through talking 			
<p>Values</p>	<p align="center">Respect</p>  <p>How can I respect others when I am playing? fairness</p>	<p align="center">Kindness</p>  <p>Please and thank you Manners, politeness</p>	<p align="center">Resilience</p>  <p>Being resilient Travelling across the climbing equipment resilient</p>	<p align="center">Ambition</p>  <p>When I grow up I want to be like... inspiration</p>	<p align="center">Creativity</p>  <p>Dress up box story telling creative play</p>	<p align="center">Teamwork</p>  <p>Parachute games Including everyone</p>
<p>PSHE (SCARF). (Also Links to Understanding the World)</p>	<p>Me & my Relationships</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Marvellous Me: I am Special: People who are special to me 	<p>Keeping Safe</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> People who help us (N) Safety Indoors and Outdoors What's safe to go into my body 	<p>Rights and Respect</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Looking after myself Looking after others Looking after the Environment 	<p>Valuing Difference</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Me and My friends Family & Friends Including Everyone 	<p>Being My best</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> What does my body need? I can keep on trying I can do it! 	<p>Growing & Changing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Growing & Changing in Nature When I was a baby Girls, Boys and Families
<p>Key Stories</p>	<p>'Things I like' by Anthony Browne 'Sometimes I Feel Sunny' by Gillian Shields. The Family Book by Todd Parr</p>	<p><i>Little Red Riding Hood</i> <i>Rosie's Walk</i> by Pat Hutchins</p>	<p>Oliver's Vegetables by Vivian French The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle</p>	<p>'Elmer' by David McKee.</p>	<p>'Giraffes Can't Dance' by Giles Andrea</p>	<p>The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle The Tiny Seed by Eric Carle The Growing Story by Ruth Krauss Babies Don't Eat Pizza by Diane Danzig. Whose Toes Are Those by Jabari Asim Ten Little Fingers and Ten Little Toes by Mem Fox Pink is for Boys by Robb Pearlman</p>

PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

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Physical activity is vital in children’s all-round development, enabling them to pursue happy, healthy and active lives. Gross and fine motor experiences **develop incrementally** throughout early childhood, **starting with sensory explorations** and the development of a child’s **strength, co-ordination and positional awareness** through **tummy time, crawling and play movement with both objects and adults**. By creating games and providing opportunities for play both **indoors and outdoors**, adults can support children to **develop their core strength, stability, balance, spatial awareness, co-ordination and agility**. Gross motor skills provide the foundation for developing **healthy bodies and social and emotional well-being**. Fine motor control and precision helps with **hand-eye co-ordination**, which is later **linked to early literacy**. **Repeated and varied opportunities** to explore and play with **small world activities, puzzles, arts and crafts** and the **practice of using small tools**, with **feedback and support from adults**, allow children to **develop proficiency, control and confidence**.

<p align="center">Physical Development Gross Motor Fine Motor</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Jumping ● Walking, running and climbing on different levels and surfaces ● Running in straight line ● Using cars, tricycles and pushing self ● Make large circles and lines in air using different equipment ● Moving to music ● Control in holding jugs, hammers and mark making tools ● Large movements (up and down and circular) when using tools ● Preference for a dominant hand 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Thinking about how to move in different situations ● Catching and throwing a large ball ● Galloping (pre-skipping) around an open space ● Using a knife and fork ● Threading large objects ● Using large tweezers ● 3 finger pencil grips 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Spatial awareness and running and changing direction ● Confidence in using a range of climbing equipment ● Summer 2 -Introduce children to bikes and climbing equipment Reception playground ● Using scissors ● Holding pencil correctly ● Writing name ● Threading smaller objects ● Using tweezers to pick up smaller objects 	
	<p>Body Management: Introduction to the apparatus Games: Focus on moving with control & co-ordination</p>	<p>Dance: Action rhymes & rhythms Games: Focus on sending skills, rolling activities</p>	<p>Body management: “I can travel under, over and through apparatus” Games: Focus on aiming activities</p>	<p>Dance: Dance a story Games: Focus on throwing and catching activities</p>	<p>Body management: “I can travel on different parts of my body” Games: Focus on kicking and dribbling activities</p>	<p>Dance: Dance to known songs Games: Focus on striking activities</p>

LITERACY

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It is crucial for children to develop a life-long love of reading. Reading consists of two dimensions: **language comprehension and word reading**. Language comprehension (necessary for both reading and writing) starts from birth. It only develops when **adults talk with children** about the world around them and the books (stories and non-fiction) **they read with them, and enjoy**

rhymes, poems and songs together. Skilled word reading, taught later, involves both the speedy working out of the pronunciation of unfamiliar printed words (decoding) and the speedy recognition of familiar printed words. Writing involves transcription (spelling and handwriting) and composition (articulating ideas and structuring them in speech, before writing)						
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • sharing high-quality stories and poems with children • learning a range of nursery rhymes and action rhymes • activities that develop focused listening and attention, including oral blending • attention to high-quality language with children 					
Comprehension	Sharing high-quality stories and poems & attention to high-quality language with children through <u>daily-story time</u> and <u>weekly focus text</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • sharing books with adults • Commenting on favourite stories • Joining in with Nursery Rhymes 		Sharing high-quality stories and poems & attention to high-quality language with children through <u>daily-story time</u> and <u>weekly focus text</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Five key concepts about print: - <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. print has meaning 2. the names of the different parts of a book 3. print can have different purposes 4. page sequencing 5. we read English text from left to right and from top to bottom) • Simple structure of stories (once upon a time is the beginning and the end is the end) • Join in with repeated words and phrases from familiar stories 		Sharing high-quality stories and poems & attention to high-quality language with children through <u>daily-story time</u> and <u>weekly focus text</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Embed five key concepts about print • Make predictions about stories • Talk about and retell stories using story vocabulary • Retrieve familiar stories that already heard and recall repeated refrains 	
Word Reading	Learning a range of nursery rhymes and action rhymes and engaging in activities that develop focused listening and attention, including oral blending <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Familiar logos and labels within the environment. • Learn a range of Nursery Rhymes • Exploring and recognising and recognise environmental, instrumental & body percussion (linked to music) • Find and identifying familiar letters (Letters in name) 		Learning a range of nursery rhymes and action rhymes and engaging in activities that develop focused listening and attention, including oral blending <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recognising own name • Initial sounds in familiar words (own name, mummy, etc) • Exploring and recognising and recognise environmental, instrumental & body percussion (linked to music) 		Learning a range of nursery rhymes and action rhymes and engaging in activities that develop focused listening and attention, including oral blending <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identify initial sounds in words • Identify object with the same sound. E.g. Teddy and toast • Oral blending • Oral Segmenting 	
Phonemes	Settling in, building relationships and routine	s a t p i n m	d g o c k e	u r h b f l j	v w y z qu ch	ck x sh th ng nk
Phonemic awareness focus		Hear the same initial sound for words and names of objects.	Identify initial sounds of words and names of objects. Distinguish different sounds.	Identify initial sounds of words and names of objects. Articulate sounds correctly -including playing with voice sounds	Identify initial sounds of words and names of objects.	Identify the final sounds of words and objects.
Oral blending focus		Blend CVC words using oral blending and objects.	Blend a wider range of CVC words using oral blending	Blend a wider range of words using oral blending	Blend a wider range of words using oral blending	Blend a wide range of words using oral blending
Writing	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Making marks with fingers (lines, zigzags, circles) 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Making lines and marks using pens and pencils represent writing • Tracing/Copying letters from name 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Writing name • Using combinations of lines, circles and curves, or letter-type shapes to communicate meaning 	

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make marks tools such as sticks in mud, large paint brushes in water, in the air with ribbon sticks, on the floor with large chalk 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talking about drawings and mark making • Give meaning to marks (adults scribing) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Draw representation of a person/ picture • Story scribing
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MATHS

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Developing a **strong grounding in number** is essential so that all children develop the necessary building blocks to excel mathematically. Children should be able to **count confidently**, develop a **deep understanding of the numbers to 10**, the **relationships between them and the patterns within those numbers**. By providing **frequent and varied opportunities** to build and apply this understanding - such as using **manipulatives**, including small pebbles and tens frames for organising counting - children will **develop a secure base of knowledge** and **vocabulary from which mastery of mathematics** is built. In addition, it is important that the curriculum includes **rich opportunities** for children to develop their **spatial reasoning** skills across all areas of mathematics

including **shape, space and measures**. It is important that children develop **positive attitudes and interests in mathematics, look for patterns and relationships, spot connections, 'have a go', talk to adults** and peers about **what they notice and not be afraid to make mistakes**.

<p>Maths Number</p>	<p>Counting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● count to 5 by rote using actions and songs <p>Cardinality</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Sense of one and two items. ● Noticing Number (Birthday number, house number) ● Count on fingers 	<p>Counting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 1:1: counting up to 3 objects ● Saying numbers in correct order when counting object. (Stable order) <p>Cardinality (How many?)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Matching some numbers to qualities ● Talk about number in environment (at school and home) ● Representing number to 5 on fingers <p>Comparison</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Recognising when quantity is the same ● Identifying which group has more, same, less 	<p>Counting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Count to 10 by rote using actions and songs ● 1:1: counting up to 5 objects ● count actions as well as objects up to 5 <p>Cardinality (How many?)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Subitise up to 3 ● Match number 1-5 to quantities ● Knowing last number signify how many in a group <p>Comparison</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Using vocabulary more, less, fewer, the same
<p>Numerical Patterns</p>	<p>Pattern</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Daily routines ● Noticing patterns and arranging things in patterns ● Colour sorting <p>Shape</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Selecting appropriate shapes for building and stacking ● Matching shapes <p>Spatial Awareness</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Insert puzzles 	<p>Pattern</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Simple sequence of events. (first next) ● Simple repeating patterns <p>Measures</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Comparisons between objects relating to length, size, weight, capacity <p>Shape</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Talk about and explore 2D and 3D shapes <p>Spatial Awareness</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Positional language (linked to PE) 	<p>Pattern</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Correcting errors in simple patterns ● Recognising More complex patterns (AAB) <p>Measures</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Comparisons between objects relating to length, size, weight, capacity <p>Shape</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Using shapes approximately in pictures ● Differences between shapes ● Name some 2D shapes

UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD

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Understanding the world involves guiding children to **make sense of their physical world and their community**. The **frequency and range of children's personal experiences** increases their **knowledge and sense of the world around them** – from **visiting parks, libraries and museums** to **meeting important members of society** such as **police officers, nurses and firefighters**. In addition, **listening to a broad selection of stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems** will foster their understanding of our **culturally, socially, technologically and ecologically diverse world**. As

well as building **important knowledge, this extends their familiarity with words** that support understanding across domains. **Enriching and widening children’s vocabulary will support later reading comprehension**

<p>UW The Natural World <i>(Science)</i></p>	<p>All about Me (LJ) Linked texts - Owl Babies (Living things and their Habitats, Humans)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore the surrounding natural environment Explore natural objects from the surrounding environment <i>what we see our environment (school and home)</i> <i>what we see when I play outside such as splashing in puddles or digging in mud</i> <i>Use senses to explore small world to make links to word they have seen (animals zoo/ farm?)</i> <p>Me and my relationships (Humans) (Linked to scarf)</p> <p>Marvellous Me</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learn about how to take care of themselves Learn about their senses 	<p>In our World (LJ) Linked texts -We are going on a Leaf Hunt, Handa’s Surprise (Living things and their Habitats, Humans)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore the surrounding natural environment Explore natural objects from the surrounding environment <i>Use senses to explore the world around</i> <i>explore how things work (how to use Nursery equipment)</i> 	<p>Exploring forces (provision) (Forces)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Feel forces Explore how things work Explore how objects/materials are affected by force Gravity - Cars, balls and guttering Water Wind 		<p>Exploring Light – In provision (Light & Electricity)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exploring Torches & battery powered toys Shining light through different materials (linked to computing) 	<p>Growing & Changing (LJ) Linked texts – The very Hungry Caterpillar, Titch, Errol’s Garden (Humans, Animals Plants) (Linked to scarf)</p> <p>Growing and changing in nature/ When I was a baby</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learn about the life cycles of animals Compare adult animals to their babies Observe how baby animals change over time Grow a plant Observe Life cycles (Caterpillars) Observe decay
<p>Cooking Across the year (Materials)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore a range of materials Shape and join materials Combine and mix ingredients Change materials by heating and cooling, including cooking <p>Big questions: <i>How does the cake mixture change? • How does chocolate change when heated? • How does fruit juice change when put in the freezer? • How does fruit change when blended?</i></p> <p>Music and Phonics Across the year (sound)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Listen to sounds <i>Make sounds</i> <p>Big questions: <i>How sounds and music make you feel? How can we change the sound? (louder/ quieter) What sounds can you hear?</i></p>						
<p>UW Past and Present <i>(History)</i></p>	<p>Autumn 2 My History <i>What is my History?</i> Linked to SCARF</p> <p><i>People who are special to me</i> <i>Self and who live with</i> <i>Family and pets</i> <i>Remember times that are special to me (Celebrations)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> say who I am and who I live with talk about any pets I may have talk about my extended family becoming familiar with patterns in the daily routines 		<p>Chronology What comes First, next, then? <i>My day</i> <i>Stories</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Talk about what we are doing now and what might happen later or tomorrow Talk about the visual timetable to say what is coming next. Talk about stories – What comes First, next then? 		<p>My Family History <i>What is the same and what is different? Then and now</i> <i>My holiday memories/ journeys</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <i>My own and my family’s history (grandparents, parents, etc.)</i> Talk about some of my own and my family’s history (grandparents, parents, etc.) <i>Nursery children</i> 	<p>Growing and Changing in Nature How do things change? Linked to Scarf and Science <i>When I was a baby</i> <i>Decay</i> <i>Life cycles</i> <i>Grow a plant</i> <i>Observe Caterpillars</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Talk about what we are doing now and what might happen later or tomorrow

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comment on recent pictures of celebrations in my life • Talk about what we are doing now and what might happen later or tomorrow for example I can talk about the visual timetable to say what is coming ne 		<p><i>'History' can mean yesterday or last week)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • beginning to make sense of my own life story and my family's history for example when looking at photographs of myself and my family 	<p>for example I can talk about the visual timetable to say what is coming next</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • beginning to notice how things change for example when a banana turns black or flowers are growing • know that I am growing up and changing (baby pictures) • understand simple 'why?' questions such as – 'why do you think the caterpillar got fat? 	
<p>UW People, Culture and Communities (Geography)</p>	<p>Our environment (LJ – All about me) What do we see at home and Nursery?</p> <p>Locational Knowledge</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Know the place of resources and things in the Nursery. <p>Place Knowledge</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talk about what I see in my own environment (school and home) <p>Geographical Skills and Fieldwork</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Use senses to explore • Sometimes ask questions about things in my direct environment 	<p>Celebrations Who celebrates? (LJ- In our world)</p> <p>Locational Knowledge</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beginning to have an awareness that there are other countries in the world <p>Human and Physical Geography</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talk about similarities and differences in relation to friends or family, in people, countries and communities • Developing a positive attitude about the differences between people, countries and communities <p>Geographical Skills and Fieldwork</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comment on recent pictures of celebrations or special times in my life e.g. Holidays 		<p>Valuing differences What is the same? What is different?</p> <p>Human and Physical Geography</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talk about similarities and differences in relation to friends or family, in people, countries and communities • Developing a positive attitude about the differences between people, countries and communities 	<p>My home and places I know Where do you go to... shop / play / eat?</p> <p>Place Knowledge</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Talk about my home and the places that I know like the park, the shops, the library <p>Journeys Where have you travelled? Linked to holidays they have been on a places they have been and stories they have heard</p> <p>Locational Knowledge</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beginning to have an awareness that there are other countries in the world <p>Geographical Skills and Fieldwork Comment on recent pictures of celebrations or special times in my life e.g Holidays</p>
<p>UW People, Culture and Communities (RE)</p>	<p>Which people are special and why? Strand: Living Linked to PSHE and Family: Me and my special people My culture</p>	<p>What times are special and why? Strand: Believing Personal special times and celebrations: linked to cohort <i>Diwali, Christmas, Eid, Easter</i></p>		<p>Which places are special and why? Strand: Living</p> <p>Linked to places visited that are special to them: <i>Places of worship they know and some may have been to</i></p>	
<p>Technology (Computing)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Operate a mechanical toy • Swipe an iPad using the touch screen 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learn to use remote control to turn on IWB • Operate a mechanical toy • Take a photograph on an Ipad 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make toys move or work by pressing switches • use a simple programme on an interactive whiteboard 		





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EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGN

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The development of children’s artistic and cultural awareness supports their imagination and creativity. It is important that children have **regular opportunities to engage with the arts**, enabling them to **explore and play** with a **wide range of media and materials**. The **quality and variety** of what children **see, hear and participate in** is crucial for developing their **understanding, self-expression, vocabulary and ability to communicate** through the arts. The **frequency, repetition** and depth of their experiences are fundamental to their progress in **interpreting and appreciating what they hear, respond to and observe**.

EAD	Painting/ Printing	Sculpture		Drawing/ Painting		Drawing
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Creating with Materials/ Being Imaginative and Expressive (ART)	<i>Sensory explorations of colour mixing – hand printing, paint plating</i> Medium: Paint	<i>Using salt dough to create a diva lamp</i> Medium: Salt dough Colour/ Pattern <i>Using powder paints and stencils to create Rangoli patterns</i>		<i>Explore shape and create own art inspired by Kandinsky's circles</i> Medium: watercolour paints		<i>Draw/paint self-portrait for Graduation</i> Inspiration: themselves looking in mirror Medium: Pencil/paint
Art Capital Artists/ Art work	Jackson Pollock 	Diwali lamps Rangoli 		Wassily Kandinsky 		Doodle Boy 
EAD Creating with Materials/ Being Imaginative and Expressive (D&T)	Technical skills: Structures Product: To make a recognisable shape using construction material of their choice User: Themselves Purpose: to play with Focused Tasks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Practise Joining construction pieces Explore different types of construction e.g. Mobilo, Duplo 		Technical skills: Textiles Product: Collage picture User: Parent Purpose: A gift to make them smile Focused Tasks: Practise arranging material to create and image <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore different shapes and material Learn how to use scissors to shape materials Learn how to glue with more precision. 		Technical skills: Food and nutrition Product: To make fruit kebabs User: Themselves Purpose: to eat at snack time Focused Tasks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Experience of common fruit and vegetables, undertaking sensory activities (appearance, taste and smell.) Experience of threading/ piercing soft fruit and vegetables using appropriate utensil 	
Additional Cooking (D&T) (Science)		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cutting and trying fruit Making Shortbread Make Popcorn for a "Movie" - Observe and listen to what happens to the corn 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make banana bread (Linked to Scarf: healthy eating) Make smoothies Make gingerbread Make porridge 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make pancakes and tasting different toppings 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make bread Make fruit kebabs/fruit caterpillars
EAD Creating with Materials/ Being Imaginative and Expressive (Music)	Listening and Appraising/Playing/ Improvising and composing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Exploring and recognising sounds (environmental, instrumental, body percussion linked to phonics) Singing & performing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sing favourite songs and rhymes Starting and stopping with signals Copying simple actions and patterns Copying pitch 		Listening and Appraising <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Respond to what heard Singing & performing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learn variety of songs Pitch - Singing high and low Starting and stopping with signals Playing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Copy simple actions and patterns Use musical instruments - make different sounds Improvising and composing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use musical instruments to express my feelings 		Singing & performing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Learn variety of songs Pitch - Singing high and low Starting and stopping with signals Improvising and composing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Create a song using a tune known Learn simple sequence of movements in response to music 	
Music Experiences	Singing – Christmas Sing Along				Performing – Class Assembly and Singing at Graduation	
Assessment Opportunities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Moderation of Baseline Data to ensure starting points are secure Data inputted into scholar pack 3 times a year Baseline (Autumn 1), Mid-Point (Spring 1) and End Point (Summer 2) Regular Moderation with team term 					

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Regular Progress meetings with the Nursery team to discuss gaps and the adaptations to provision and support needed to close them Cluster meeting and moderation with other schools throughout the year 					
Unique child	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Every child has 2 focus weeks a year where teachers follow the child's interests and individual needs Children have free flow access to enabling indoor and outdoor environments for child-initiated learning through play 					
Parent Partnership	Staggered Start Home visits Meet the team Tapestry	Tapestry Parents evening Trip to park Sing songs to parents	Tapestry Parents in class to share stories	Tapestry Parents Evening	Tapestry	Tapestry Trip to ... Nursery Graduation