

Reception Curriculum Overview

	Maths	Literacy	Other areas of learning
Autumn 1 Topic- Nursery Rhymes	Number 0-5 Subitising One more/one less	Phonics phase 1 Rhyme Mark making Name writing	<u>Understanding of the world</u> Seasonal change <u>Expressive Arts and Design</u> Singing songs and painting <u>Physical development</u> Getting changed for PE Using the toilet at school <u>Personal, social and emotional development</u> Settling in (Self-regulation), making relationships.
Autumn 2 Topic – Space & Christmas	Consolidate numbers 0-5 Introduce 5-10 Addition and subtraction. Doubles Number bonds to 5 2D shape	Phonics Phase 2 Letter formation (Handwriting) Letter writing Descriptive writing Poster/labelling <u>Books</u> Man on the Moon Aliens love underpants	<u>Understanding of the world</u> Space, Nativity, Diwali, Bonfire night, Recycling, St Andrew's Day. <u>Expressive Arts and Design</u> Role play, Christmas crafts <u>Communication and language</u> Nativity <u>Personal, social and emotional development</u> Showing pride in your achievements <u>Physical development</u> Getting changed for PE PE – fundamental skills (throwing, catching, ball skills)
Spring 1 Topic - Traditional tales	Consolidate numbers 0-10 Number bonds to 10 Addition and subtraction Measurement and Capacity.	Phonics Phase 3 Story mapping Story writing <u>Books</u> Little Red Hen Three Little Pigs Goldilocks and The Three Bears Little Red Riding Hood The Gingerbread Man	<u>Understanding of the world</u> Chinese New Year, Mother's Day, computer technology, World Book Day <u>Personal, social and emotional development</u> Managing feelings and emotions Easter <u>Communication and language</u> Storytelling, role play, listening and retelling <u>Expressive Arts and Design</u> Role play, cooking, dance. <u>Physical development</u> PE – fundamental skills (throwing, catching, ball skills)
Spring 2 Topic - Oh No George	Consolidate numbers 0-10 Number bonds to 10 Addition and subtraction	Phonics Phase 3 continued Story map Fact writing	<u>Understanding of the world (UW)</u> Seasonal change, St David's Day, St Patrick's day, computer technology <u>Personal, social and emotional development</u> Responsibilities of having a pet, managing behaviour and following rules.

		<u>Book</u> Oh No George Non-fiction books	<u>Expressive Arts and Design</u> Vets role play, looking after the planet <u>Physical development</u> PE – fundamental skills (balance and coordination)
Summer 1 Topic - Growing and changing	Deep understanding of number to 10. Subitise (recognise quantities without counting) up to 5 Number bonds to 10 Money Time 3D shape	Phonics Phase 4 Recipe writing Instruction writing Life Cycles <u>Books</u> Jack and the Beanstalk The Very Hungry Caterpillar Yucky worms	<u>Understanding of the world (UW)</u> Minibeasts, seasonal change, St George's Day, computer technology <u>Expressive Arts and Design</u> Bug hotel, feeders, planting sunflowers. Cooking <u>Physical development</u> PE – fundamental skills (balance and coordination)
Summer 2 Topic - Under the sea	Consolidate all aspects of number. (Number recognition, counting, addition, subtraction, number bonds to 10)	Consolidate Phonics. Story writing. All about me booklet for transition. Descriptive writing. <u>Books</u> The Rainbow Fish Hooray for Fish! Tiddler storytelling fish Night pirates	<u>Understanding of the world</u> Floating and sinking and other scientific concepts. <u>Personal, social and emotional development</u> Transition to year 1 <u>Expressive Arts and Design</u> Pirate ship role play, Father's Day PE Sports day. Trip to Colchester Zoo