

Autumn One Term		
Autumn One		Autumn Two
Key Texts		Key Texts
Rainbow Fish Owl Babies by Martin Waddel Stickman by Julia Donaldson The Gruffalo		Leaf man by Eloise Elhert The Gruffalo's Child by Julia Donaldson Nativity Story Brightest star in the Sky
Examples of Key Learning Experiences		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tour of the school</li> <li>Being introduced to school routines such as lunch e.t.c</li> <li>Learning about the difference between night and day.</li> <li>Finding out about owls</li> <li>Learning about each others families</li> <li>Introducing children to equipment that is available for them to use around the room.</li> <li>Self-portrait paintings</li> <li>Creating Owl Pictures</li> <li>Rainbow Fish Collage</li> <li>Using natural materials to create their own stick men</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Collecting Autumn Leavers</li> <li>Exploring Fake snow</li> <li>Walk to War Memorial</li> <li>Thinking about celebrations including birthdays and Christmas.</li> <li>Focus on using simple recording equipment</li> <li>Leaf man collage</li> <li>Learning songs for Christmas</li> <li>Creating Christmas decorations</li> <li>Christmas Card Pictures</li> </ul>
Suggested Role Play Provision		Suggested Role Play Opportunities
Home corner set up/ Gruffalo 's cave		Nativity scene
Units of work to support Learning (Linked to schemes)		
Music	Me!	My Stories
Coached Physical Development Sessions	Introducing PE	Introducing Evasion Skills
Jigsaw PSHE Focus	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Difference
RE	Special People in Judaism and Christianity	Christmas
Further Enrichment Activities		
Further Enrichment Activities	Visiting the Local Park Possible workshop linked to text	St Alban's Cathedral Christmas Visit Christmas Production Pantomime Father Christmas

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Spring Term		
Curriculum Learning Opportunities		
Spring One		Spring Two
<u>Key Themes</u> Brilliant Bears Snowy Days		<u>Key Texts</u> The Reception Garden
<u>Key Texts</u> Goldilocks and The Three Bears Whatever Next! By Jill Murphy Snow Bears by Martin Waddel Snowy Day by Ezra Jack Keats		<u>Key Texts</u> <u>My Bean Diary</u> Jack and the Bean Stalk The extraordinary Gardener The Easter Story
Examples of Key Learning Experiences		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Thinking about breakfast that people have in different countries.</li> <li>Exploring ways of making different sounds</li> <li>Learning about breakfasts people eat in different parts of the world</li> <li>Making Porridge</li> <li>Making Toast</li> <li>Finding out about Chinese New Year</li> <li>Using computer programs to create simple pictures linked to texts they are reading</li> <li>Creating Rockets</li> <li>Exploring Fake Snow</li> <li>Snowy pictures</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Looking at plants in our surroundings- trip to the park and a walk around school</li> <li>Growing Beans/ Sunflowers</li> <li>Using equipment to take photographs of nature around them.</li> <li>Observational Plant pictures e.g. Daffodil paintings, Cherry blossom trees</li> <li>Finding out about jobs relating to</li> <li>Creating Easter Bonnets</li> </ul>
<u>Suggested Role Play Opportunities</u>		<u>Suggested Role Play Opportunities</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Three Bears Home</li> <li>Props from Whatever Next</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Garden Centre / Florist</li> </ul>
Units of work to support Learning (Linked to schemes)		
Music	Everyone	Our World
Coached Physical Development Sessions	Introducing Running, Dodging and Swerving Skills	Introducing Running, Dodging and Swerving Skills
Jigsaw PSHE Focus	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me
RE	Celebrations Islam and Judaism	Easter
Further Enrichment Activities		
Suggested Further Enrichment Activities	Freshwater Theatre Bears Workshop	Easter Bonnet Parade

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Summer Term		
Curriculum Learning Opportunities		
Summer One		Summer Two
<u>Key Themes</u> Minibeasts		<u>Key Themes</u> Journeys Dinosaurs* (We will sometimes begin looking at the dinosaurs in Summer One)
The Hungry Caterpillar The Bad Tempered Lady Bird Mad about Mini Beasts Super worm by Julia Donaldson		Mad about Dinosaurs Harry and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs Flip Flap Dinosaurs The Train Ride Emma Jane's Aeroplane
Examples of Key Learning Experiences		
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Focus on using a key board and introducing simple typing skills.</li> <li>Real Caterpillars in the class so that they can see the process of metamorphosis</li> <li>Going on a minibeast Hunt</li> <li>Learning about the importance of bees</li> <li>Simple sculptures of minibeasts</li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Learning about key landmarks in a text</li> <li>Locating a simple map</li> <li>Focus on inputting instructions into simple roamer toys such as bee bots.</li> <li>Making models of different landmarks</li> <li>Creating their own dinosaurs</li> <li>Going on Egg Hunt</li> <li>Creating their own train journeys</li> <li>Designing</li> </ul>
Suggested Role Play Provision		Suggested Role Play Provision
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><a href="#">Mini Beast Den</a></li> </ul>		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Dinosaur Den</li> <li>Aeroplane</li> </ul>
Units of work to support Learning (Linked to schemes)		
Music	Big Bear Funk	Reflect, Rewind and Replay
Coached Physical Development Sessions	Introducing Static and Dynamic Balancing	Introducing sending and receiving skills
Jigsaw PSHE Focus	Relationships	Changing Me
RE	Story Time	God
Further Enrichment Activities		
Further Enrichment Activities	Visit to environmental centre	Visit to Knebworth: Dinosaur Trail

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