

ommunication a Language

		Year Reception Curriculum Map 2022-2023					
	Autumn 1 – Marvellous Me!	Autumn 2 – Traditional Tales	Spring 1 – Dinosaurs	Spring 2 – Lifecycles Lifecycle of a Butterfly	Summer – All Around the World		
and	Settling in activities	Discovering Passions	Using language well	Reciting poems and songs	I can learn and recite, poems and songs: Rhyme of the week		
	Making friends	Retelling stories, talking about stories they are familiar with	Ask how and why questions	I can learn and recite, poems and songs: Rhyme of the week	I can talk about similarities and differences between things in the past and now (links to growth/changes)		
	Becoming familiar with new classroom, teachers and routines	Talk For Writing introduction	Talk for Writing opportunities Retell a story with story language	Telling stories using story language.	I can talk about the experiences I have had at different points in the school year		
	Children talking about experiences that are familiar to them	Story language (once upon a time, first, next, then, finally)	Remember key points from a story	Talk For Writing opportunities. I can listen to and engage in and talk	Talk For Writing opportunities I can listen to, engage in and talk about non-fiction		
	What are your passions / goals / dreams?	Listening and responding to stories in more detail.	Story invention – talk it! Ask questions to find out more and to	about selected non-fiction	I can describe events in some detail: farm trip, world celebrations		
	About family routines and special occasions	Following instructions	check they understand what has been said to them.	into well-formed sentences	I can talk about important people from my own and other cultures.		
	Show an interest in the lives of other people	Takes part in discussion Understand how to listen carefully and	I can describe events (Ex: Lunar New Year etc.)	I ask questions to find out more I can make comparisons	I can talk about the beliefs of others and begin to recognise how they may be similar or different to my own.		
	Follow instructions	why listening is important. Choose books that will develop their	Listen to and talk about stories to build familiarity and understanding.	I can describe events in some detail: animal and plant life cycles	Talk For Writing opportunities		
	Develop vocabulary using words and concepts that children will be exposed to in books and in other learning opportunities.	vocabulary.	Learn rhymes, poems and songs. I can talk about important people	animal and plant me cycles			
	Understand a 2-part question: "Get your coat and wait at the door please."		from the past and from today.				
	Understand 'why' questions and responds appropriately.						
	I can sing my favourite songs and rhymes.						
	I can talk about books that I like and that are familiar to me.						

Personal, Social and Emotional	Self-Regulation	Self-Regulation	Self-Regulation	Self-Regulation	Self-Regulation	Self-Regulation
Development	To express their feelings and consider the feelings of others.	To express their feelings and consider the feelings of others.	Identify and moderate their own feelings socially and emotionally.	Identify and moderate their own feelings socially and emotionally.	Show an understanding of their own feelings and those of others, and begin	Show an understanding of their own feelings and those of others, and begin to
	Develop appropriate ways to be assertive.	Develop appropriate ways to be assertive.	Think about the perspectives of others.	Think about the perspectives of others.	to regulate their behaviour accordingly. Set and work towards simple goals,	regulate their behaviour accordingly. Set and work towards simple goals, being
	Talk with others to solve conflicts.	Talk with others to solve conflicts.	Managing Self	Managing Self	being able to wait for what they want and control their immediate impulses	able to wait for what they want and control their immediate impulses when
	Managing Self	Managing Self	Managing their own needs	Managing their own needs	when appropriate.	appropriate.
	Show resilience and perseverance in	Show resilience and perseverance in the	Building Relationships	Building Relationships	Give focused attention to what the teacher says, responding appropriately	Give focused attention to what the teacher says, responding appropriately even when
	the face of challenge. Remember rules without needing an adult to remind them.	face of challenge. Remember rules without needing an adult to remind them.	See themselves as a valuable individual	See themselves as a valuable individual Express their feelings and consider the	even when engaged in activity, and show an ability to follow instructions involving several ideas or actions.	engaged in activity, and show an ability to follow instructions involving several ideas or actions.
	Building Relationships	Building Relationships	Express their feelings and consider the	feelings of others	Managing Self	Managing Self
			feelings of others			
	Build constructive and respectful relationships.	Build constructive and respectful relationships.	Jigsaw: Dreams and Goals	Jigsaw: Healthy Me I understand that I need to exercise to	Be confident to try new activities and show independence, resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge.	Be confident to try new activities and show independence, resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge.
	Jigsaw: Being me in my World	Jigsaw: Celebrating Difference	I understand that if I persevere I can tackle challenges	keep my body healthy	Explain the reasons for rules, know right	Explain the reasons for rules, know right
	I understand how it feels to belong and	I can identify something I am good at	I can tell you about a time I didn't give	I understand how moving and resting are good for my body	from wrong and try to behave accordingly.	from wrong and try to behave accordingly.
	that we are similar and different I can start to recognise and manage my	and understand everyone is good at different things	up until I achieved my goal I can set a goal and work towards it	I know which foods are healthy and not so healthy and can make healthy eating	Manage their own basic hygiene and personal needs, including dressing,	Manage their own basic hygiene and personal needs, including dressing, going to the toilet and understand the importance
	feelings	I understand that being different makes us all special	I can use kind words to encourage people	choices	going to the toilet and understand the importance of healthy food choices.	of healthy food choices.
	I enjoy working with others to make		[I know how to help myself go to sleep		Building Relationships
	school a good place to be I understand why it is good to be kind	I know we are all different but the same in some ways	learn now and the job I might like to do when I'm older	and understand why sleep is good for me	Building Relationships Work and play cooperatively and take	Work and play cooperatively and take turns with others.
	and use gentle hands	I can tell you why I think my home is special to me	I can say how I feel when I achieve a	I can wash my hands thoroughly and understand why this is important	turns with others.	Form positive attachments to adults and
	I am starting to understand children's rights and this means we should all be	I can tell you how to be a kind friend	goal and know what it means to feel	especially before I eat and after I go to the toilet	Form positive attachments to adults and friendships with peers	
	allowed to learn and play	I know which words to use to stand up	Oral hygiene: teeth cleaning linked to	I know what a stranger is and how to	Show sensitivity to their own and to	Show sensitivity to their own and to others' needs
	I am learning what being responsible means	for myself when someone says or does something unkind	the dental nurse	stay safe if a stranger approach me Healthy eating: Fruit kebabs/ making a	others' needs Jigsaw: Relationships	Jigsaw: Changing Me
	Handwashing Class rules: Behavioural expectations in	I know what it means to be respectful and to be treated with respect		fruit smoothie	I can identify some of the jobs I do in my	Seasons
	the class/boundaries set	Independence: putting own socks and			family and how I feel like I belong	I can name parts of the body
		shoes on			I know how to make friends to stop myself from feeling lonely	I can tell you some things I can do and foods I can eat to be healthy
					I can think of ways to solve problems and stay friends	I understand that we all grow from babies to adults
					I am starting to understand the impact of unkind words	I can express how I feel about moving to Year 1
					I can use Calm Me time to manage my feelings	

Literacy	I can show a preference for a book, song or rhyme. I can handle books correctly and follow print left to right, top to bottom I can locate the title I can remember much of what happens in a story.	guide them in what to draw, write or copy. Teach and model correct letter formation Development of Gross Motor skills through climbing, skipping, running opportunities during continuous provision, outdoor learning and PE. GetSet4PE: Introduction to PE 2 and Gymnastics Unit 2. Reading: I can talk about events and characters in a story read to me. I can join in with rhymes and stories. I can fill in missing words from well-known rhymes Differentiated groups for phonics begins. I can link most sounds to letters	through climbing, skipping, running opportunities during continuous provision, outdoor learning and PE. GetSet4PE: Fundamentals Unit 1 and Dance Unit 1. Reading: I can show interest and answering simple questions about the text I use words that I know to check my reading makes sense I can locate and recall the title	opportunities during continuous provision, outdoor learning and PE. GetSet4PE: Fundamentals Unit 2 and Dance Unit 2. Reading: I can demonstrate understanding when talking about what I have read I can repeat words or phrases to check my reading Differentiated groups for phonics. I can read and understand simple sentences	I think about what I already know to help me with my reading I can say rhymes by heart I can sometimes notice errors I know that illustrations can help me	Build things with smaller linking blocks, such as Duplo or Lego Development of Gross Motor skills through climbing, skipping, running opportunities during continuous provision, outdoor learning and PE. GetSet4PE: Games Unit 2 and Ball Skills Uni 2. Reading: I can demonstrate understanding of what has been read to me by retelling stories and narratives using my own words and recently introduced vocabulary (ELG) I can use and understand recently introduced vocabulary during discussions about stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems and during role-play (ELG) Differentiated groups for phonics
	print left to right, top to bottom I can locate the title I can remember much of what happens in a story. Whole class phonics with assessment on the last week of term.	I can fill in missing words from well-known rhymes Differentiated groups for phonics begins.	I can locate and recall the title Differentiated groups for phonics.	my reading Differentiated groups for phonics. I can read and understand simple	I think about what I already know to help me with my reading I can say rhymes by heart I can sometimes notice errors I know that illustrations can help me make sense of my reading Differentiated groups for phonics.	introduced vocabulary (ELG) I can use and understand recently introduced vocabulary during discussions about stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems and during role-play (ELG)
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	Dominant hand, tripod grip, mark making, giving meaning to marks and labelling. Name writing, shopping lists, writing initial sounds and simple captions. Use initial sounds to label characters / images, silly soup, names labels. Writing for a purpose in role play	Introduction to Talk For Writing (TFW). Recount, name writing, labelling, story scribing. Retelling stories, letter writing, writing tricky words learnt during phonic lessons, writing CVC words, labels using CVC, CVCC, CCVC words.	sounds and I check what I read makes sense and sounds right Phonics assessments during the last week of Spring 1. Writing: Talk for Writing opportunities. Using exciting adjectives or 'Wow	Writing: Talk for writing opportunities. Creating own story maps, writing captions and labels, writing simple sentences. Writing short sentences to accompany story maps. Labels and captions Character descriptions. Order the Easter story	alphabet and at least 10 digraphs (ELG) I can read words consistent with my phonic knowledge by sound blending (ELG) I can re-read books showing increased accuracy and fluency Phonic assessments during the last	Non-fiction Story writing. Writing sentences using a range of tricky words that are spelt correctly. Beginning to use full stops, capital letters and finger spaces. Innovation of familiar texts Using familiar texts as a model for writing own stories. Character descriptions.
					Acrostic poems	
atics	Identify when a set can be subitised and when counting is needed Subitise different arrangements, both unstructured and structured, including using a number frame Make different arrangements of numbers within 5 and talk about what they can see, to develop their conceptual subitising skills Spot smaller numbers 'hiding' inside larger numbers Connect quantities and numbers to finger patterns and explore different ways		Number: Continue to develop their subitising skill increasingly connect quantities to nume. Begin to identify missing parts for numbers.	rals	Number: Continue to develop their counting skills, counting larger sets as well as count actions and sounds Explore a range of representations of numbers, including the 10-frame, and se	
				and 7 as '5 and a bit' and connect this to	doubles can be arranged in a 10-frame Compare quantities and numbers, includ	
			Focus on equal and unequal groups whe	en comparing numbers	attributes	
			Shape and Pattern: Describe and sort 2D and 3D shapes		Continue to develop a sense of magnitud 2, but 4 is only a little bit more than 2	e, e.g. knowing that 8 is quite a lot more than
	pattern of the counting numbers, seeing that each number is made of one more than the previous number		Recognise and complete patterns		Begin to generalise about 'one more tha	n' and 'one less than' numbers within 10
			Calendar and Time: Learn the days of the week, seasons and	d sequence daily events	Continue to identify when sets can be su	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
					Develop conceptual subitising skills inclu	ding when using a rekenrek

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	begin to develop the language of 'whole' when talking about objects which have parts Patterns: Recognise, describe, copy and extend colour and size patterns Measure: Estimate, order, compare, discuss and explore capacity, weight and lengths. Shape and Sorting: Describe and sort 3D shapes. Describe position accurately. Comments on images of familiar situations in the past Talks about members of their immediate family and community	Compare and contrast characters from stories, including figures from the past. Understand that some places are special to members of their community	Money: Coin recognition and values Combinations to total 20p Change from 10p Measure: Describe capacities Compare volumes Compare weights 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
	Name and describe people that are familiar to them Draw information from a simple map Explore the natural world around them	Recognise that people have different beliefs and celebrate different times in different ways Recognise some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries. Describe what they see, hear and feel whilst outside Understand the effect of changing seasons on the natural world around them	on their experiences and what has been read in class Understands the past through settings, characters and events encountered in books read in class and storytelling. Describe their immediate environment using knowledge from observation, discussion, stories, non-fiction texts and maps. Knows 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, no-fiction texts and (when appropriate) maps. 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	Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings Return to and build on their previous learning, refining ideas and developing their ability to represent them. Listen attentively, move to and talk about music, expressing their feelings and responses. Watch and talk about dance and performance art, expressing their feelings and responses.	Sing in a group or on their own, increasingly matching the pitch and following the melody	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 Invent, adapt and recount narratives and stories with peers and their teacher Sing a range of well-known nursery rhymes and songs

	Parent afternoon at school during the last week of half term. Introduction to the woodland area Cooking opportunities with parents (baking) and making sandwiches with staff. Afternoon tea with parents at the end of Autumn 1.	Theatre show- We're Going on a Bear Hunt Christmas show Celebrating Halloween, Diwali, Harvest, Hanukkah etc.	Dinosaur egg in the outdoor area. Making fossils using saltdough Dinosaur footprints in the reception classrooms Visit from a dentist Chinese/ Lunar New Year Celebrations Valentine's Day	Farm Trip Making smoothies Easter bonnet parade Easter egg hunt Trip to the library Eid and Holi celebrations	Perform songs, rhymes, poems and stories with others, and (when appropriate) try to move in time with music. Dance workshop Transition day to Year 1 Graduation ceremony Cooking opportunities with parents in school and staff. Culture celebration evening with parents Family Reading Fridays
(TFW texts & other high quality texts which are related to the topics and have many diversities represented)	Elmer Owl Babies Super Duper You Rainbow Fish From Head To Toe Sharing a Shell Funnybones Hair Love So Much The Big Book of Families It's OK to be Different Non-fiction texts relating to topic (emotions, nationalities, friendships etc.)	Goldilocks and the Three Bears The Gingerbread Man The Three Little Pigs We're Going on Bear Hunt Little Red Riding Hood The Three Billy Goats Gruff Jack and the Beanstalk Lighting the Lamp 8 Candles To Light Non-fiction texts relating to children's interests	Going on a Dinosaur Hunt Harry and A Bucketful of Dinosaurs Mad About Dinosaurs How To Grow A Dinosaur The Dinosaur Department Store If I had a Dinosaur The Itchy-Saurus Lanterns and Firecrackers Dragon Dance Golden Domes and Silver Lanterns Non-fiction texts relating to dinosaurs and celebrations.	All The Wild Wonders – Poems of the	Naughty Bus Mr Gumpy's Motorcar My First Book of Transport Oi! Get Off My Train Duck in the Truck No Dinner! Little Polar Bear: Where are you going? Let's Celebrate!: Festival Poems from Around the World Kaya's Heart Soung Anna Hibiscus Non-Fiction texts relating to different modes of transport, different countries/continents, religions and cultures.