Armfield Nursery Class Long Term Plan 2020-2021

	Autumn 1 –	Autumn 2 –	Spring 1 –	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Themes	All about Me Ourselves Families/who looks after us Autumn/Harvest	Our Colourful World Autumn/Winter	People Who Help Us Occupations Winter	Things that grow Traditional Tales Spring	Life Cycles Growing and changing Spring/Summer	Under the Sea Floating and sinking Summer
Wows	Visitor - Librarian	The Nativity/Christmas Show	Visitor - people who help us - dental nurse	Farm visit	Magical metamorphosis!	Visit to the Sea Life centre
Parental Engagement	New starters - settling in sessions Harvest baskets	Diwali/Hindu dancing show Christmas Concert	Parent visits to talk about their occupations and roles	Mother's Day events	Class photographs	Father's Day events Sports Day
PRIME AREAS	OF DEVELOPMENT					
Communication and Language Daily Letters and Sounds Phases 1-3 (ability dependent)	Introduce Phase 1/2 letters and sounds Hear initial sounds in some words, notably the Jolly Phonics songs for s, a, t, p, i, n Recognise names in print (on coat pegs) Give meaning to marks Handle books carefully Listen to and join in with stories Listens to others in small groups and one to one	Know print carries meaning Hear and say initial sounds of some everyday objects Suggest how stories might end Predict what might happen next in stories Join in with repeated refrains Ascribe meaning to marks made	Talk about people who help us. How do they help us? Orally blend and segment sounds in simple CVC words Listening to others one to one and in small groups Enjoy an increasing range of books	Talk about the signs of Spring and use talk to connect ideas World Book Day Show awareness of rhyme and alliteration Practise correct letter formation and writing letters in our name Continues a rhyming string	Talking about their own experiences of animals/minibeasts they have found Following a story without pictures Questioning why things happen and giving explanations Using more complex sentences to link thoughts and ideas	Use correct letter formations to write our names Link sounds to letters, naming and sounding out some letters of the alphabet Retell a story Use talk confidently and with an increasing range of vocabulary Beginning to use more complex sentences
Physical Development	Awareness of space Develop balancing skills – balancing on different body parts Draw lines and circles using gross motor movements Hand washing Putting our outdoor clothing on with support	Develop an effective pencil grip. Moving away from a palmer grip (for some) Movement to music in a variety of ways – fireworks, polar animals etc.	Developing fine motor skills - scissors, tweezers, threading Negotiating space successfully Movement to music Use a range of tools competently Put meaning to marks they draw and paint.	Ball games - throwing and catching a large ball Using one handed tools and equipment Understanding the importance of safety when using equipment Healthy eating - fruit salad	Can copy some letters from their name Develop an effective tripod pencil grip Use a range of tools independently with increasing control. Animal movements to music	Summer Sports Day Practise Team games Understand the importance of food, sleep and exercise. Talk about how to keep safe in the sun What would you need to take to the beach on a hot day? Recognise and talk about changes to our heartbeat after exercise

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P.S.E.D British Values Citizenship	Develop relationships Feelings/being in my world Rules and Routines to help settle in Sharing and Collaborating Valuing other's cultures Understand right from wrong	Celebrating differences Personal hygiene and Keeping healthy Selecting resources and having a go Stranger Danger Firework Safety	Dreams and goals Growing resilience Relationships Responsibility - own belongings	Healthy Me Loyalty Work together to take on other's ideas Being considerate of the needs of others	Relationships Express pride in own Achievements Understand the Consequences of our actions	Team work Understand feelings about transition Changing Me Transition and changing class
Texts to support teaching and learning	The Colour Monster Peace at Last Ourselves Super Duper You Starting Nursery On Sudden Hill MINE Autumn and Harvest A basket of board books (for the younger children)	Whatever Next Squirrel's Autumn Search Stick Man Room on the Broom Owl Babies Olivia's Feathers Lost and Found The Nativity Story Christmas stories	A selection of non- fiction books about different occupations: vet, police officer, nurse, firefighter, teacher, patrol crossing person, dentist etc. Winter and Ice Ridiculous!	What The Ladybird Heard The Three Little Pigs Goldilocks and the Three Bears Jack and The Beanstalk Oi Frog!/Oi Dog! A Squash and a Squeeze	Life cycles and growing The Very Hungry Caterpillar The Very Funny Frog The Frog Olympics Caterpillar Spring, Butterfly Summer	Summer The Singing Mermaid Sharing a Shell How Do You Know It's Summer? What Can You See In Summer? Seaside Poems Mister Seahorse Rainbow Fish
SPECIFIC AREA	AS OF LEARNING					
Maths	Using numbers and number language spontaneously in play Use some number names accurately in play Beginning to represent numbers using fingers, marks on paper or pictures. Shows interest in shapes in the environment Uses shapes appropriately for tasks	Begin to use the language of size and to talk about the shapes of everyday objects, e.g. 'round' and 'tall' Realises anything can be counted, e.g. claps, jumps etc. Use shapes appropriately for tasks	Represent numbers using fingers, marks on paper or pictures Identify how many objects are in a set Sometimes matches numeral and quantity correctly Shows an interest in numerals in the environment Shows awareness of similarities of shapes in the environment	Making arrangements with objects through construction and sustained construction activities. Recites numbers in order to 10 and counts to 20 Shows an interest in representing numbers Uses positional language	Sometimes matches numeral and quantity correctly Shows an interest in number problems Recognise numbers 1-5 Counting objects that cannot be moved Compares two groups of objects, saying when they have the same number	Select the correct numeral to represent up to 10 objects Separates a group of three or four objects in different ways, beginning to recognise that the total is still the same Shows curiosity about numbers by offering comments or asking questions Recognising and naming 2D shapes Beginning to use mathematical names for 'solid' 3D shapes Order by length from shortest to longest Counting out up to six objects from a larger group

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Literacy	Handles books carefully and holds them the correct way up and turns pages Looks at books independently Sometimes gives meaning to marks as they draw and paint Joins in with repeated refrains and phrases in the key stories	Listen to stories with increasing attention and recall Listens to and joins in with stories and poems, one-to-one and also in small groups Show interest in illustrations and print in books and the environment	Learn that information can be relayed in the form of print Knows that print carries meaning and, in English, is read left to right and top to bottom Ascribes meaning to marks that they see in different places	To begin to be aware of the way stories are structured Join in with repeated refrains and anticipate key events and phrases in rhymes and the traditional stories Describe main story settings, events and principal characters Ascribe meaning to marks made	Show awareness of rhyme and alliteration Recognise rhythm in spoken words Recognise familiar words and signs such as own name and advertising logos Ascribe meaning to marks made	Enjoys rhyming and rhythmic activities Continue a rhyming string Suggests how stories might end Describes main story settings, events and principal characters Enjoy an increasing range of books Use some clearly identifiable letters to write their name Hear and say some initial sounds in words	

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Understanding	Show interest in the lives of	Festival and celebration	People Who Help Us	Gardening activities:	Observe daily changes	Seasonal Changes
the World	familiar people and talk about	activities	Activities	growing seeds/plants	to the caterpillars in	Remembers and talks about significant
	special times in your own and	Seasonal changes	Show interest in	Talk about how plants	Nursery before they	events in their own experiences
	families lives.	Similarities and	different occupations	grow and change over	emerge as butterflies	Comments and asks questions about
	What makes us unique and	differences in family and	and ways of life.	time.	Develop an	aspects of their familiar world
	special?	friends	Family customs and	What helps them to	understanding of	Use knowledge gained from the Sea Life
	Comparing similarities and	Show care and concern	routines, special	grow?	growth, decay and	centre trip to create own aquariums
	differences	for animals especially in	times and events	Similarities and	changes over time	Talk about why things happen and how
	Seasonal changes and using	winter	Talk about some of	differences in living	Life cycles:	things work
	senses to describe autumnal	Developing ICT	the things they	things.	butterflies, frogs.	David Attenborough 'Blue Planet'
	objects collected	knowledge – use IWB –	observe in the natural	Use the IWB with	Show care and concern	Know that information can be retrieved
	Shows an interest in	Paint/online games	world and comment	increasing skill	for living things	from computers
	technological toys or real		and ask questions			Use age related hardware and software to
	objects					complete simple games
EAD	Ourselves art activities	Christmas	Chinese New Year	Easter Cards/craft	Symmetrical butterfly	Salt dough sea creatures
	Autumn and Harvest crafts	Crafts/festival of lights	Chinese Dragon	Egg painting	paintings	Music form 'Under The Sea'
	Imitate adults through role play	crafts	dancing	Mother's Day	Draw and paint	Model making sea creatures
	Join in with favourite songs	Make animal homes	Chinese writing and	Explore a variety of	beanstalks	Play cooperatively to build in role and
	Play instruments and alter	Sing simple songs	crafts	musical instruments	Observational drawing	imaginary play
	tempo and dynamics	Play imaginatively	Holi - neon powder	and how sounds can be	of mini beasts	Make musical instruments to recreate the
	Join in with dancing and ring	Create simple rhythms	paint art	changed	including bees, frogs,	sound of the sea and waves
	games	using different	Create props to	Observational	caterpillars and	
		instruments	support and enhance	drawings	butterflies	
		Explore colours and how	role play	Tractor wheel printing	Use a variety of	
		colours can be changed			materials and textures	
		_			to create beanstalks	
Festivals and	Harvest Festival	Bonfire Night	Chinese New Year	Easter	St George's Day	Father's Day
Celebrations	Remembrance Day	Christmas	Shrove Tuesday	New Life		National Mud Day
		Diwali	Mother's Day	Holi		
		Hanukkah	St David's Day			
			St Patrick's Day			
Famous	Self portraits	Leaf printing	Red/gold inspired	Nature in art	Eric Carle inspired art	David Miller - under the sea painting
Artists/skill	Poppy Art	Firework inspired/cotton	lanterns	Still life- toy farm	Mini beasts	Bubble wrap printing
	Pop Art (Andy Warhol)	bud/golf ball painting	Chinese writing on	animals - bold colours	Texture/pattern	
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		Colour mixing - Stick Man	scrolls (calligraphy			
			scrolls (calligraphy inspired)			