## **EYFS Prime Areas**

## Early Learning Goals

| ASPECT                                | PSED   |
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| Making Relationships                  | <ul><li>Children play co-operatively, taking turns with others.</li></ul>  |
|                                       | They take account of one another's ideas about how to organise their activity.   |
|                                       | They show sensitivity to others' needs and feelings, and form positive relationships<br>with adults and other children.  |
| Self-confidence and<br>Self-awareness | <ul> <li>Children are confident to try new activities, and say why they like some activities more<br/>than others.</li> </ul>  |
|                                       | <ul> <li>They are confident to speak in a familiar group, will talk about their ideas, and will choose the resources they need for their chosen activities.</li> <li>They say when they do or don't need help.</li> </ul>  |
| Managing Feelings<br>and Behaviour    | <ul> <li>Children talk about how they and others show feelings, talk about their own and others' behaviour, and its consequences, and know that some behaviour is unacceptable.</li> <li>They work as part of a group or class, and understand and follow the rules.</li> <li>They adjust their behaviour to different situations, and take changes of routine in their stride.</li> </ul> |

| ASPECT        | Communication and Language  |
|---------------|---|
| Listening and | Children listen attentively in a range of situations.   |
| Attention     | ■ They listen to stories, accurately anticipating key events and respond to what they                 |
|               | hear with relevant comments, questions or actions.  |
|               | They give their attention to what others say and respond appropriately, while engaged                 |
|               | in another activity.  |
| Understanding | <ul> <li>Children follow instructions involving several ideas or actions.</li> </ul>                  |
|               | ■ They answer 'how' and 'why' questions about their experiences and in response to                    |
|               | stories or events.  |
| Speaking      | <ul> <li>Children express themselves effectively, showing awareness of listeners' needs.</li> </ul>   |
|               | ■ They use past, present and future forms accurately when talking about events that                   |
|               | have happened or are to happen in the future.   |
|               | <ul> <li>They develop their own narratives and explanations by connecting ideas or events.</li> </ul> |

| ASPECT               | Physical Development  |
|----------------------|---|
| Moving and Handling  | Children show good control and co-ordination in large and small movements.                      |
|                      | They move confidently in a range of ways, safely negotiating space.                             |
|                      | <ul> <li>They handle equipment and tools effectively, including pencils for writing.</li> </ul> |
| Health and Self-Care | Children know the importance for good health of physical exercise, and a healthy diet,          |
|                      | and talk about ways to keep healthy and safe.   |
|                      | ■ They manage their own basic hygiene and personal needs successfully, including                |
|                      | dressing and going to the toilet independently.   |

## **EYFS Specific Areas**

## Early Learning Goals

| ASPECT  | Literacy  |
|---------|---|
| Reading | Children read and understand simple sentences.  |
|         | They use phonic knowledge to decode regular words and read them aloud accurately.           |
|         | <ul> <li>They also read some common irregular words.</li> </ul>                             |
|         | They demonstrate understanding when talking with others about what they have read.          |
| Writing | Children use their phonic knowledge to write words in ways which match their spoken sounds. |
|         | <ul> <li>They also write some irregular common words.</li> </ul>                            |
|         | They write simple sentences which can be read by themselves and others.                     |
|         | <ul> <li>Some words are spelt correctly and others are phonetically plausible.</li> </ul>   |

| ASPECT           | Mathematics   |
|------------------|---|
| Numbers          | <ul> <li>Children count reliably with numbers from one to 20, place them in order and say which number is one more or one less than a given number.</li> <li>Using quantities and objects, they add and subtract two single-digit numbers and count on or back to find the answer.</li> </ul> |
|                  | <ul> <li>They solve problems, including doubling, halving and sharing.</li> </ul>   |
| Shape, Space and | Children use everyday language to talk about size, weight, capacity, position, distance,  |
| Measure          | time and money to compare quantities and objects and to solve problems.   |
|                  | <ul> <li>They recognise, create and describe patterns.</li> </ul>   |
|                  | They explore characteristics of everyday objects and shapes and use mathematical  |
|                  | language to describe them.  |

| ASPECT      | Understanding the World   |
|-------------|---|
| People and  | Children talk about past and present events in their own lives and in the lives of family   |
| Communities | members.  |
|             | They know that other children don't always enjoy the same things, and are sensitive to<br>this.   |
|             | <ul> <li>They know about similarities and differences between themselves and others, and<br/>among families, communities and traditions.</li> </ul> |
| The World   | <ul> <li>Children know about similarities and differences in relation to places, objects,<br/>materials and living things.</li> </ul>               |
|             | They talk about the features of their own immediate environment and how<br>environments might vary from one another.                                |
|             | They make observations of animals and plants and explain why some things occur, and<br>talk about changes.  |
| Technology  | Children recognise that a range of technology is used in places such as homes and   |
|             | schools.  |
|             | <ul> <li>They select and use technology for particular purposes.</li> </ul>   |

| ASPECT              | Expressive Arts and Design  |
|---------------------|---|
| Exploring and Using | Children sing songs, make music and dance, and experiment with ways of changing                             |
| Media and Materials | them.   |
|                     | <ul> <li>They safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting</li> </ul> |
|                     | with colour, design, texture, form and function.  |
| Being Imaginative   | ■ Children use what they have learnt about media and materials in original ways,                            |
|                     | thinking about uses and purposes.   |
|                     | They represent their own ideas, thoughts and feelings through design and technology,                        |
|                     | art, music, dance, role play and stories.   |