## EYFS Autumn Term Curriculum Map

	Autumn Term 1	Autumn Term 2
Themes	Induction Marvellous Me (friendships, feelings, family, senses) Weather and Seasons	Celebrations (Bonfire night, Birthdays, Diwali, Hanukkah, Christmas)
WOW moments	Starting big school Parents in school to support transition Introduction to Wild At Heart	Campfire (weather dependant) Bears party Christmas party Nativity performance
RE	Early Years Chatterbox Unit: Saying thank you at Harvest time. The aim of this unit is to: give pupils an understanding of why we say thank you to God at harvest time and talk about him being creator. Early Years Chatterbox Unit: I am Special The aim of this unit is to: give pupils an understanding that they are unique and special. To know they are loved, valued and made by God.	Early Years Chatterbox Unit: Celebrating Christmas; How do we celebrate Jesus' birthday? The aim of this unit is to: Explore the nativity story in a variety of ways and ensure pupils know that Christmas is the celebration of Jesus' birth. Exploring other faith celebrations – Diwali and Hanukkah.

## EYFS Spring Term Curriculum Map

	Spring Term 1	Spring Term 2
Themes	Tell me a story (tales toolkit, traditional tales, modern tales, cultural tales, their own stories – focus on fiction)	Heroes (real life heroes, people who help us, superheroes – Supertato – focus on non –fiction)
WOW moments	Dress up day Performance Baking	World book day Visits from real life heroes
RE	Early Years Chatterbox Unit: Listening to the stories Jesus heard The aim of this unit is to: Introduce pupils to stories of the Old Testament and understand that Jesus would have heard these stories as he was growing up.	Stories Jesus told - Why did Jesus tell stories? The aim of this unit is to: explore the stories that Jesus told and know that he told them to teach us about God. Early Years Chatterbox Unit: Easter
	Early Years Chatterbox Unit: Special Times - How do we celebrate special times? The aim of this unit is to: develop pupils understanding of special/holy times. Increasing their knowledge of the ways special times are celebrated, remembered and the reasons why.	The aim of this unit is to: Explore the events of Easter through a variety of multi-sensory experiences ensuring that pupils know it is a celebration of Jesus' death and resurrection.

## **EYFS Summer Term Curriculum Map**

	Summer Term 1	Summer Term 2
Themes	Animals (minibeasts, farm animals, zoo animals, dinosaurs?)	MAD Festival Journeys (on land, under the sea, pirates, travel, transition to year 1)
WOW moments	Zoo trip Hatching butterflies Visiting tadpoles at the school pond	Pirate sports day MAD festival performances/experiences Transition to year 1
RE	Early Years Chatterbox Unit: What is prayer? The aim of this unit is to: start children on their journey towards understanding what prayer is and the different ways people of faith talk to God. Early Years Chatterbox Unit: Special Places What makes a place special/holy? The aim of this unit is to: begin to develop pupils understanding of a place being considered as a special/holy place where believers go to worship.	<ul> <li>Early Years Chatterbox Unit: Friendship</li> <li>What makes a good friend?</li> <li>The aim of this unit is to: explore the meaning of friendship, how we make friends and why friends are important and to know about Jesus making friends, how he made friends and who he chose.</li> <li>Early Years Chatterbox Unit: Special People</li> <li>What makes a person special?</li> <li>The aim of this unit is to: give pupils an opportunity to explore Christian values through their own actions and the actions of others, to highlight the role of significant/special people in pupil's lives and to emphasise the ways in which Jesus was a special person.</li> </ul>