

Reception Long term plan

The characteristics of effective learning

Playing and exploring

- finding out and exploring
- using what they know in their play
- being willing to have a go

Active learning

- being involved and concentrating
- keeping on trying
- enjoying achieving what they set out to do

Creating and thinking critically

- having their own ideas
- using what they already know to learn new things
- choosing ways to do things and finding new ways

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	ALL ABOUT ME	DINOSAURS	SPACE	HOT & COLD	KINGS & QUEENS	GROWING & CHANGING
Stories to enjoy	Owl Babies Goldilocks and the Three Bears The Gingerbread Man The Three Little Pigs Alan's Big Scary Teeth	Fiction books about Dinosaurs : How the dinosaur got to the museum The girl and the dinosaur If I had a dinosaur Bumpus Jumpus Dinosuarumpus	Astro Girl How the stars came to be	The Great Explorer Handa's Surprise	Paddington at the Palace Katie in London The Queen's Hat London	Tree The Very Hungry Caterpillar Superworm Jim and the Beanstalk Tadpole's Promise
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	SELF REGULATION: My Feelings	BUILDING RELATIONSHIPS: Special Relationships	MANAGING SELF: Taking on Challenges	SELF REGULATION: Listening and following instructions	BUILDING RELATIONSHIPS: My family and friends	MANAGING SELF: My well-being
Physical Development	Hall games	Hall games	Gymnastics	Dance	Ball Skills	Sports Day
Literacy	Sounds Write phonics initial code					
Mathematics	Mastering number programme with shape, space and measure skills					

Understanding the World	RE	What makes me special? Harvest	Who is special to different people? Why do Hindus celebrate Divali?	Chinese New Year Which stories are special to different people?	How do different people celebrate their special times?	What places are special to different people?	If the world is special, how should we treat it?
	History	My past, present, future and that of others including characters from stories	Dinosaurs lived on our planet but they are now extinct. Dinosaurs lived for a long time.	People who looked at the stars; Galileo.	Explorers can use ships to journey around the world.	Queen Elizabeth II's coronation in Westminster Abbey.	Farming in the past
	Geography	Location of our school and the local area	Dinosaur bones Understand that fossils	Astronauts and Astronomers; including Mae Jaimeson, Tim Peak, Caroline Hershel.	Comparing hot and cold countries.	The Monarchy; Queen Elizabeth II, the Royal Family, Buckingham Palace, Windsor Castle, Balmoral Castle.	Farming in our local area
	Science	Our bodies Seasons of the year	Fossils	Our planet Earth, land and sea, plants and animals, weather, gravity. The moon, the sun, the planets in our solar system, space travel, astronauts.	How does water change? Ice investigations	Planting	Growing and changing; how people change as they grow, how animals change as they grow. Plants; how they grow from seeds and bulbs.
Technology		Data handling: An introduction to data (October – November)		Programming 1: All about Instructions	Computing systems and networks 2: Exploring hardware	Programming 1: Programming BeeBots	Computing systems and networks 1: Using a computer
Expressive Arts and Design	Art	Gustav Klimt		George Seurat			Kandinsky
	DT		Make a calendar		Cooking	Puppets	
	Music	Autumn	Light and dark	Transport	Growing	Minibeasts	The seaside
	Dance				Colours		