

Summer Curriculum Map

	Nursery	
	First Half	Second Half
Theme	Growing and Minibeasts	Animals
Core Books	Jasper's Beanstalk	Rumble in The Jungle
	What the Ladybird Heard	Brown Bear Brown Bear
	The Munching Crunching Caterpillar	Polar Bear Polar Bear
	Ten wiggly Caterpillars Ten Little Ladybirds	Dear Zoo The Three Billy Goats
	Aaaaarrggggh Spider	The Three billy Goats
Role Play	Florist/garden centre	The Vets
Communication	Listening attention and understanding	Listening attention and understanding
and Language	Enjoy listening to longer stories and remember much of what happens	Enjoy listening to longer stories and remember much of what happens
0 0	Understand a question or instruction that has 2 parts (get your book	Understand a question or instruction that has 2 parts (get your book bag
	bag and line up at the door)	and line up at the door)
	Listen to others one to one or in small groups, when conversation	Listen to stories with increasing attention and recall
	interests them	Answer 'who', 'when' and 'where' questions
	Listen to stories with increasing attention and recall	Begin to understand 'why; questions e.g., why does the Caterpillar get so
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	Begin to understand 'why; questions e.g., why does the Caterpillar get	Listen to stories with increasing attention and recall
	so fat?	Show understanding of prepositions such as 'under', 'on top', 'behind' by
	Listen to stories with increasing attention and recall	carrying out an action or selecting correct picture
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	Listen carefully to rhymes and songs, paying attention to how they	Pictures by Eric Carle
	sound	Polar Bear, Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See? What Do You See?
	JASPERS BEANSTAIK Wiggly Wiggly Caterpillars No Extraord and Med Malan Ten Wriggly, Wiggly Caterpillars	What Do You See! by Bill Martin, it. Rod Campbell Rod Campbell



Speaking

Use a wider range of vocabulary

Join in with repeated refrains and anticipates key events and phrases in rhymes and stories

Sing a repertoire of songs

Know many rhymes

Talk about familiar books

Tell a long story

Use longer sentences – 4 to 6 words

Start a conversation and continue for many turns

Use talk in imaginary play situations

Use talk in pretending that objects stand for something else in play, e.g., 'This box is my castle

Retell a simple past event in correct order (e.g. went down slide, hurt finger)

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Physical Development

Fine motor skills

Use one handed tool for example making snips in paper
Use a comfortable pencil grip – encourage tripod grip
Start to develop skills using a knife and fork
Show a preference for a dominant hand
Become independent in doing up zips/buttons
Begin to use anti-clockwise movement and retrace vertical lines
Imitate drawing simple shapes such as circles and lines
Copy some letters, e.g. letters from their name
Use pencils and pens to draw freely
Use simple tools to effect changes to materials
Begin to form recognisable letters in their names (not copied)

Gross motor skills

Continue to develop movement, balancing, riding bikes and bat skills Skip, hop, stand on one leg and hold a pose in a game e.g. musical stature

Use large muscle movements to wave flags/streamers and make marks Collaborate with others to manage large items e.g. safely move the large blocks

Move freely, with pleasure and confidence in a range of ways, such as slithering, shuffling, rolling, crawling, walking, running, jumping, and hopping

Use anticlockwise movement and retrace vertical lines Show increasing control over an object in pushing, patting, throwing, catching or kicking







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Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Building Relationships

Play alongside others rather than just by themselves

Play with 1 or more other children, extend and elaborate on play ideas Confident to talk to other children when playing, and will communicate freely about own home and community

Play in a group, extend and elaborate on play ideas, e.g. build up a role-play activity with other children

Show kindness and consideration of others in shared play activities

Self-Regulation

Develop appropriate ways of being assertive

Learn to tolerate delay when needs are not immediately met, and understand wishes may not always be met

Show ability to follow simple instructions after giving focussed attention to what an adult has said

Talk about their feelings using words like, 'angry' or 'worried'.

Begin to understand how others might be feeling

Begin to be able to negotiate and solve problems without aggression, e.g. when someone has taken their toy

Identify and moderate their own feelings socially and emotionally e.g. stay calm in the face of frustration

Managing self

Select and use activities and resources, with help when needed helping them to achieve a chosen goal or one suggested to them Develop their sense of responsibility and membership of a community. Shows confidence in asking adults for help

Enjoy responsibility of carrying out small tasks

Begin to accept the needs of others and take turns and share $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) \left(1\right)$

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Welcome and value praise for what they have done

Show more confidence in social situations

Develop their sense of responsibility and membership of a community.

Develop confidence to speak to others

Manage all their own personal needs confidently and independently

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Building Relationships

Practise skills of assertion, negotiation and compromise and look to a supportive adult for help in resolving conflict with peers

Seek out others to share experiences with and may choose to play with another child who has similar interests

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Literacy

Word reading

Begin to develop phonological awareness

Recognise words with the same initial sound

Recognise and suggest rhymes

Count and clap syllables in a word

Recognise familiar words and signs such as own name and advertising logos

Show awareness of rhyme and alliteration









Comprehension

Begin to be aware of story structures

Engage in extended conversations about stories, learning new vocabulary

Understand that print has meaning

Understand that we read print left to right, top to bottom

Hold books the correct way up and turns pages

Suggest how a story might end

Writing

Write some letters accurately

Write some or all of their name

Use some of their print and letter knowledge in early writing e.g. a pretend shopping list, writing 'a' for apple

Use some clearly identifiable letters to communicate meaning, represent some sounds correctly

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Mathematics

Number

Show an interest in numerals in the environment

Recognise up to 3 objects, without having to count them individually (subitise)

Show 'finger numbers' up to 10

Link numerals and amounts: for example, showing the right number of objects to match the numeral, up to 5.

Experiment with their own symbols and marks as well as numerals Compare quantities using language: 'more than', 'fewer than' Solve real world mathematical problems with numbers up to 5 Separate a group of three or four objects in different ways, begin to recognise that the total is still the same

Subitise with numbers greater than 5

Count confidently beyond 10

Compare numbers using mathematical vocabulary e.g. 'more than', 'less than' equal to

Number patterns

Extend and create ABAB patterns – stick, leaf, stick, leaf Notice and correct an error in a repeating pattern Continue and create repeating patterns

Shape, space and measures

Talk about and identify patterns around them. For example: stripes on clothes, designs on rugs and wallpaper. Use informal language like 'pointy', 'spotty' etc.

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Notice and correct and error in a repeating pattern

Use the language of length and height - compare different lengths and heights









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Describe a familiar route. Use spatial words in play including: 'in', 'on', 'under', 'up', 'down', 'beside' and 'between' e.g. "Let's put the troll under the bridge and the billy goat beside the stream

Begin to describe a sequence of events, real or fictional using words such as 'first,' 'then', 'after', 'before'



Understanding the World

People culture and communities

Know some of the things that make them unique, and talk about some of the similarities and differences in relation to friends or family Continue to develop positive attitudes about the differences between people

Talk about members of their immediate family and their community

The Natural World (Science/Geography)

Talk about some of the things they have observed such as plants, animals, natural and found objects
Plant seeds and care for growing plants

understand the key features of the life cycle of a plant and animal Develop an understanding of growth and changes over time Comment and asks questions about aspects of their familiar world such as the place where they live or the natural world

Describe what they see, hear and feel whilst outside







Past and Present

Remember and talk about significant events in their own experience Talk about people who help us
Talk about things that make them unique

Technology

Show skill in making toys work by pressing parts or lifting flaps to achieve effects such as sound, movements or new images Complete a simple program on a computer

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Explore and talk about different forces they can feel

Talk about the difference between materials and changes that they notice Talk about some of the things they have observed such as plants, animals, natural and found objects

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Show care and concern for living things and the environment





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Remember and talk about significant events in their own experience Begin to make sense of their own life story and family history

Technology

Complete a simple program on a computer
Use ICT hardware to interact with age-appropriate computer software



Expressive Arts and Design

Creating with materials

Join different materials

Explore different textures

Draw with increasing complexity and detail

Explore colour and colour-mixing

Explore what happens when they mix colours

Use construction materials

Join construction pieces together to build and balance

Explore and learns how sounds can be changed

Choose particular colours to use for a purpose

Select tools and techniques needed to shape, assemble and join materials they are using

Being imaginative and expressive

Begin to develop complex stories using small world equipment Make imaginative and complex 'small worlds' with blocks and construction kits

Respond to what they have heard, expressing feelings and thoughts Create their own songs or improvise a song around one they know Play instruments with control to express feelings and idea

Engage in imaginative role-play based on own first-hand experiences Create movement in response to music

Build stories around toys, e.g. farm animals needing rescue from an armchair 'cliff'

Use available resources to create props to support role-play Create their own songs, or improvise a song around one they know Play instruments with increasing control to express their feelings and ideas

Sing to self and make up simple songs

Begin to build a repertoire of songs and dances

Create simple representations of events, people and objects

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