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	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Assessment	Baseline Assessment Leuven Scales Mark Making ECAT	Phonological Awareness Pupil Progress Check Mark Making Fine Motor Skills	Baseline Assessment ECAT Leuven Scales Pupil Progress Check	Phonological Awareness Fine Motor Skills Pupil Progress Check Mark Making	Baseline Assessment ECAT Leuven Scales Pupil Progress Check	Phonological Awareness Mark Making Fine Motor Skills Pupil Progress Check – End of year assessment
Parental Involvement	McMillian Coffee Morning Harvest Festival Halloween Stay and Play Family Board Games Club	Parents Meetings Christmas Production Christmas Crafts Stay and Play Family Learning – Early Word Together Program	Valentine's Day Stay and Play Blyton Bookworms – after school club	EYFS Easter Eggstravaganza – parent and carers event. Parents Meetings	Careers Event – Parental visits My Mam/Dad/Carer is an …	Teddy Bears Picnic Sports Day End of year Parents Meeting
Overarching Theme	Getting to know you…	Long ago…	Once upon time…	Growing and Changing…	Help is at hand…	Where shall we go?
Texts	Goat goes to playgroup – Julia Donaldson We're going to a Birthday Party - Mara Mumford This is me – George Webster Our School is a Family – Shannon Olsen	Binny's Diwali – Thirty Omirgar Sparks in the Sky – Twinkl Original The Poppy Story Not so loud Oliver – Tony Maddox Little Robin Red Vest – Jan Fernley	Peace at Last – Jill Murphy Bird build's a nest – Martin Jenkins Little Home Bird – Jo Empson My first book of birds – Zoe Ingram The Chinese New Year –	Pip and Egg – Alex Latimer Tad – Benji Davis Hello Spring – Jo Lindly Little Caterpillar – books by igloo We're going on a egg hunt – Laura Hughes	Food Fight - Alex Latimer A Superhero like you – Dr Ranj Broccoli's Big Day - Mike Henson The Very Hungry Caterpillar – Eric Carle	What the Ladybird Heard at the Seaside – Julia Donaldson We're going on a Treasure Hunt – adaptation Michael Rosen Bracelets for Bina's Brothers - Rajani LaRocca

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	Find your Happy –Emily Coxhead Once there were Giants - Martin Waddell All about families- Usborne Little Red Hen – Mary Finch Little Acorn – books by igloo The Pumpkin who was afraid of the Dark – Michelle Robinson	The First Christmas – Bible	Joanna Troughton The Runaway Pancake – Usborne The Kiss – Eoin McLaughlin Traditional Tales The Three Little Pigs Goldilocks and the three bears The Three Billy Goats Gruff	Farmer Duck - Martin Waddell Sam plants a sunflower – Katy Petty The Easter Story – Bible	My Butterfly Bouquet - Nicola Davies Busy People - Police Officer Here to Help – information texts	The best loved bear - Dianna Noonan
Planned Trips/Visitors	Autumn Walk / Local Park Local Area Walk Tesco Fruit and Vegetable Shop	A visit to Santa – Green Fingers Garden Centre	Library Visit – The Word	Farm Visit – Whitehouse Farm	Visits from the emergency services	Beach Visit – Littlehaven Beach
Festivals and Events	Harvest Halloween Black History Month World Mental Health Day Anti-Bullying Week	Diwali Bon Fire Night Remembrance Day World Kindness Day National Nursery Rhyme Day Christmas	The Big Bird Watch Chinese New Year Shrove Tuesday Valentine's Day Children's Mental Health Week	Mother's day World Book Day Eid Easter World Oral Health Day World Sleep Day	Father's Day World Mental Health Week	National Healthy Eating Week Raksha Bandhan

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Personal, Social and Emotional Development/ RSE/Our Lives	Following rules and routines Select and choose activities and resources independently. Become more confident in a familiar setting.	Remember rules. Develop independence beginning to manage basic care needs. Play with others.	Talk about feeling and emotions and begin to understand how others might be feeling.	Develop a sense of responsibility and membership of a community.	Make healthy choices about food, drink, activity and tooth brushing.	Talk and find solutions to solve conflicts.
Communication, Language and Literacy- Speaking and Listening	Develop communication skills using longer sentences. Understand 2 part questions or instructions.	Sing a large repertoire of songs Start a conversation with others and take many turns Use talk to organise themselves and their play.	Use a wider range of vocabulary Knows many rhymes and able to talk about a familiar book.	Pays attention to more than one thing at a time. Be able to tell a long story.	Enjoys listening to longer stories and can recall events. Understand why questions.	Be able to express a viewpoint, debating and disagreeing with others.
Physical and P.E	Movement and Music – dough and squiggle Continuous provision outdoors	Movement and Music – dough and squiggle Continuous provision outdoors	Movement and Music – dough and squiggle Continuous provision outdoors	Movement and Music – dough and squiggle Continuous provision outdoors	Movement and Music – dough and squiggle Continuous provision outdoors	Movement and Music – dough and squiggle Continuous provision outdoors Sports Day Sports Week
Literacy- Comprehension, Word Reading,	Phonological Awareness –	Phonological Awareness –	Phonological Awareness – Nursery Rhymes	Phonological Awareness – Nursery Rhymes	Phonological Awareness – Nursery Rhymes	Phonological Awareness – Nursery Rhymes

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Writing and Spelling	Nursery Rhymes environmental sounds, body percussion musical instruments	Nursery Rhymes voice sounds, compound words, syllables	Rhyming words	Initial sounds, alliteration	Onset and rime	Oral blending and segmenting
Mathematics Number and Numerical patterns White Rose Education • Counting • Subitising • Comparison • Pattern • Space, Shape and Measure	Recognise up to 3 objects Recites numbers to 5 Beginning to show numbers on fingers. Using prepositional vocabulary Describe a familiar route Simple ABAB patterns	Say one number name for each item in order Understands the last number identifies the amount of objects Links amounts to numerals. Use language of more and fewer.	Name 2D and 3D shapes and use words to describe them Select shapes and use them for a purpose	Experiments with their own marks, symbols as well as numerals. identify patterns around them, notice and correct errors on repeating patterns	Measure and compare objects linked to size, weight, and capacity.	Solve mathematic problems with numbers up to 5. Begin to describe a sequence of events using first, then.
Understanding the World- History, Geography, R.E and Science	**History**: Growing up - When I was a baby, look how much I have grown? My birthday. Changes over time. Black History Month –	**History**: Remembrance Day Bon Fire Night Diwali **Geography:** A visit to Santa in the local area Weekly visits to Forest School	**History**: Chinese New Year Shrove Tuesday **Geography:** A visit to the local area (library) **Science:** Seasons – Winter	**History**: Growing and changing - life cycles **Geography:** A visit to the Farm **Science:**	**History**: Eid **Geography:** Places we go for help – dentist, doctors, hospital **Science:** Healthy Eating Oral hygiene	**History**: Reflection on our learning journey in nursery **Geography:** A visit to the beach including fieldwork skills. **Science:**

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	Reclaiming Narratives **Geography:** The world around me - My house, my bedroom, my school, the metro, shops and the local area. Weekly visits to Forest School **Science:** Seasons - Autumn My body and senses **Religious Education:** Harvest	**Science:** Light and Dark **Religious Education:** Christmas	Exploring materials The Big Bird Watch **Religious Education:** Let's find out about the Bible. Let's hear stories about Jesus.	Seasons - Spring Life cycles plants and animals **Religious Education:** Let's find out about the Easter story.	**Religious Education**: Let's find out about baptism, church visit	Seasons - Summer **Religious Education**: Let's find out about Raksha Bandhan
Expressive Arts and Design- Music, Art and Design and DesignTechnology	**Art:** Self-portraits Transient art Focus Artist - Yayoi Kasuma Pumpkins	**Art:** Focus Artist – Vincent Van Gogh - Starry Nght	**Art:** Chinese New Year mud painting, cherry blossom crafts	**Art:** Still life drawing / painting spring time flowers. Flower Sculptures.	**Art:** Photographer - Carl Warner; fruits and vegetables landscapes	**Art:** Local artist Joanne Wishart - Coastline **Design Technology:**

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	Design Technology: Cooking and Nutrition – Making cakes for birthdays / Macmillan. Making soup for Harvest Junk Modelling building homes and houses.	**Design Technology:** Christmas crafts	**Design Technology:** Junk modelling and construction materials building bridges and structures. Cooking and Nutrition - Pancakes	**Design Technology:** Easter Crafts	**Design Technology:** Cooking and Nutrition – a healthy fruit smoothie	Junk modelling and construction materials building transport.