

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Topic title	Me and My	Stories and	Cold Places	Growing	Minibeasts	At the seaside
	Community	Rhymes				
	This project supports children with settling into the new rules and routines of school and encourages them to make new friends and feel confident in their class. It teaches children about being helpful, kind and thoughtful at home and at school. This project also teaches children how they are unique and special, the importance of friendship and how people in their family, school and local community are important and can help	This project supports children to develop a love of stories and reading. It encourages children to learn, retell and act out familiar and traditional tales including <u>Cinderella</u> , <u>Gol</u> <u>dilocks</u> , <u>Little Red Riding</u> <u>Hood</u> , <u>The Three Little</u> <u>Pigs</u> and <u>The Three Billy</u> <u>Goats Gruff</u> .	This project teaches children about the changes that happen during winter, including the types of weather associated with winter. It also explores places that have snow all year round and the types of animals that live there	This project teaches children about food and farming and explores themes, including where food comes from, what plants and animals need to grow and survive and what constitutes a healthy lifestyle	This project provides opportunities for outdoor learning and teaches children how to care for the plants and animals in their local environment and how to stay safe in the sun. This project teaches children about invertebrates that live in their gardens and local environment	This project teaches children about the plants and animals that live at the seaside. It also explores holidays in the past and the importance of keeping safe in the Sun
Memorable	them. Dentist visit	Nativity	Fun in the snow	Chicks – growing from	Caterpillars turning into	Cleethorpes Trip
experience	Balance Bikes	,		eggs	butterflies	



First Hand Experiences	Go on a listening walk - what can they hear. Autumnal walk to identify signs of autumn.	Visit to the local library. Church Visit	Winter icy morning exploration	Chicks – growing from eggs Spring walk – signs of spring	Butterfly House Trip	Cleethorpes Trip Summer walk – signs of summer
Core Texts	Five Minutes Peace – Jill Murphy	Goldilocks and the Three Bears – Nicola Baxter Gingerbread man – Traditional tale Stick Man – Julia Donaldson Stick Man – Julia Donaldson	Arctic animals – Jill MacDonald Folar Bear Polar Bear What Do You Hear? – Bill Martin Jr Bill Martin Jr One Snowy Night (A Percy the Park Keeper Story) – Nick Butterworth;	Jack and the Beanstalk – Traditional Tale	Hungry Caterpillar – Eric Carle Vucky worms – Vivian French Mad about Minibeasts – Giles Andradae	Splash Anna Hibiscus! - Atinuke Billy's Bucket – Kes Gray Rainbow Fish – Marcus Pfister
Communication and Language	Provision experiences - playing together and role play	Provision experiences - playing turn taking games	Provision experiences – Talk partner work	Provision experiences – Talk partner work	Provision experiences – Talk partner work	Provision experiences – Talk partner work



Listening, attention and	Listening, attention and	Listening, attention and	Listening, attention and	Listening, attention and	Listening, attention and
understanding	understanding	understanding	understanding	understanding	understanding
Knows to look and listen	Raises hand to speak	Waits their turn when an	Plays and listens to	Shows that they have	ELG
when an adult is	during carpet sessions.	adult is speaking to	friends at the same time.	listened by adding to	Listens attentively and
speaking.	Takes turns talking to an	someone else in the	Shows that you have	something the speaker	responds to what they
Begins to show what	adult.	environment with	listened by commenting	has said.	hear with relevant
good listeners do – eyes	Understands the	support.	on something that has	Decides whether they	questions, comments
looking, ears listening,	expectation of listening	Understands why	been said.	agree or not with the	and actions when being
sitting still and quiet for	carefully.	listening is important.	Remembers key points	points made by the	read to and during
a short period of time (5-	Will maintain sustained	Takes turns talking to a	from a story told	speaker.	whole-class discussions
10 minutes).	eye contact with the	friend in the	without props or	Responds to other	and small group
Listens to a picture book	speaker whilst listening.	environment.	pictures.	pupils' opinions.	interaction.
story that is stage	Shows that they are	Engages in story time/	Innovates stories into	Builds a picture in the	ELG
appropriate (repetitive).	listening by giving the	non-fiction and make	their own everyday play.	mind about the story	Holds conversation
Identifies characters in a	speaker their full	comments about what is	Listens carefully to	(and expresses this).	when engaged in back-
story.	attention.	happening.	rhymes poems, and	Listens to and talks	and-forth exchanges
Can remember what	Joins in with stories and	Listens to and talks	songs, paying attention	about stories to build	with their teacher and
happens in a story.	rhymes they like.	about books, applying	to how they sound.	familiarity and	peers.
Listens to songs with	Follows a story with	new knowledge and	Learns rhymes, poems	understanding.	ELG
repetition and joins in.	props and pictures to	vocabulary.	and songs.	Retells the story, once	Make comments about
Shows an understanding	support.	Takes on different roles	Understands rhyme and	they have developed a	what they have heard
of simple questions.	Begins to learn and use	in their play.	makes up their own,	deep familiarity with the	and ask questions to
Follows one-step	new vocabulary with	Acts out familiar stories	e.g., "Humpty Dumpty	text; some with exact	clarify their
instructions directed to	support.	in their own play.	sat on a wall, Humpty	repetition and some in	understanding.
the group.	Begins to retell stories in	Learns rhymes and	Dumpty kicked a ball."	their own words.	
	their play.	poems in small groups.	Can answer more-	Listens to and talks	Performs a range of
	Learns songs as a whole-	Shows preference for	complex questions.	about selected non-	rhymes, poems and
	class to present to	favourite stories.	Responds to a string of	fiction to develop a deep	songs off-by-heart (from
	others.	Follows two-step	requests one after	familiarity with new	memory).
	Begins to repeat familiar	instructions that include	another (not quickly).	knowledge and	
	refrains in stories, e.g.	prepositions.		vocabulary.	
	"Run, run as fast as you			Can use simple	
	can, you can't catch me,			questions.	
	I'm the Gingerbread			Ask questions to find out	
	Man."			more and to check they	
	Can answer simple			understand what has	
	questions.			been said to them.	



	Follow simple two-step instructions. Responds to own name and will change their activity when encouraged to by adults.			Follows a series of instructions directed to them as a group.	
Speaking Will interact using voice. Greets adults in the setting politely and looking at them. Looks at someone they are being spot to. Will listen to longe stories and join in w familiar refrains; ca remember what happens. Listens to songs wi repetition and join Use sentences that well formed. (How they may still have difficulties with grammar. For exan saying "sheeps" ins of "sheep" or "goe instead of "went"). Copies and practice explores the mean new vocabulary tal	Has confidence toexpress themselvesusing their voice.Uses their mannerswhenwhen speaking to adultsin the classroom setting.Raises hand to speakrduring carpet sessions.withBegins to retell stories inantheir play.Learns songs as a whole-class to present toothers.s in.Explains something usingt aresimple sentences,ever,including ordering,somestating what happenedand what might happen.nple,Begins to use words toorganise and sequenced"eventsStarting to link simplees andsome irregular	Speaking Able to pronounce most phonemes accurately. Contributes to a group discussion. Takes on different roles in their play. Acts out familiar stories in their own play. Learns rhymes and poems in small groups. Uses observations in their speech to clarify meaning or give simple detail. Asks questions to check they understand what has been said to them. Beginning to use and describe in the present tense when something is happening. Uses language to create a story in imaginative play. Explores new vocabulary, sounds and	Speaking Speaks at an appropriate volume. Waits their turn when an adult is speaking to someone else in the environment with support. Uses their manners when speaking to peers and other adults in the school environment. Develops social phrases, e.g., "Good Morning." "How are you?" Innovates stories into their own everyday play. Learns rhymes, poems and songs. Actively engages in story time. Plans what they will say before starting to converse. Uses words accurately to organise and sequence	Speaking Explores new vocabulary, sounds and intonation. Responds to others by building on what the speaker has said. Contributes purposefully to a class discussion. Listens to and talks about stories to build familiarity and understanding. Retells the story, once they have developed a deep familiarity with the text; some with exact repetition and some in their own words. Listens to and talks about selected non- fiction to develop a deep familiarity with new knowledge and vocabulary. Describes events with	Speaking ELG Participates in small group, class and one-to- one discussions, offering their own ideas, using recently introduced vocabulary. ELG Offers explanations for why things might happen, making use of recently introduced vocabulary from stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems when appropriate. ELG Express their ideas and feeling about their experiences using full sentences including use of past, present and future tenses and making use of
	"men", "teeth".	intonation.	events.	some detail.	conjunctions, with



	from topics stories and non-fiction texts.	Uses new vocabulary/phrases in play and communication throughout the day.	Vocabulary starts to include a wider range of simple adjectives.	Beginning to use and describe in past tense something that has happened. Applies new vocabulary in their play/imaginary play and new contexts. Uses new vocabulary in different contexts.	Uses talk to help work out problems and organise thinking and activities explain how things work and why they might happen. Articulates their ideas and thoughts in well- formed sentences.	modelling and support from their teacher.
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	Self Regulation Talks with others to solve conflicts with support. Separates from main carer in new setting. Talks about things of immediate interest to them. Explores new environment and resources. Knows to look and listen when an adult is speaking. Sits on the carpet next to others during 'class teach'. Follows one-step instructions directed specifically to them, e.g., referred to by their name.	Self Regulation Shares resources with support from an adult. Respects the property of the setting and those belonging to others. Can express their own present emotions. Can recognise simple emotions in others. Waits their turn during question-and-answer sessions on the carpet. Raises hand to speak during carpet sessions. Follows simple repetitive daily routines with support.	Self Regulation Beginning to resolve conflicts with others, with support and without aggression. Expresses their feelings. Beginning to consider the impact of their own actions on others. Enters a classroom/space quietly and sits down without fussing, reading to begin an activity. Works with peers calmly and shares resources with others. Follows simple repetitive daily routines. Engages fully with tidy up times even when in play.	Self Regulation Translates behaviour expectations to different environments and adults, e.g., sits quietly in the hall for assembly, but talks to friends during lunchtime. Can reflect on how they felt in a specific situation. Identifies and moderates their own feelings socially and emotionally. Can manage a range of emotions in a classroom setting. Considers the feelings of others. Waits their turn when an adult is speaking to someone else in the environment. Refrains from interrupting other speakers in all situations.	Self Regulation Talks with others to solve conflicts independently. Distances oneself from any unpleasant or inappropriate behaviour by others. Begins to understand how others might be feeling, to show empathy.	Self Regulation ELG Shows an understanding of their own feelings and those of others, and begins to regulate their behaviour accordingly. ELG Sets and works towards simple goals, being able to wait for what they want and control their immediate impulses when appropriate. ELG Gives focussed attention to what the teacher says, responding appropriately even when engaged in activity, and shows an ability to follow instructions involving several ideas or actions.



Managing selfConfident to talk to other pupils when playing.Knows and understands what the classroom behaviour expectations are.Selects and uses activities of interest.Manages their outer clothing, e.g., put their own coat on, take it off and hang it on their peg. Use the toilet independently and washes their hands when reminded – not necessarily able to clean themselves properly.With encouragement, pupils will make healthy choices about food, drink, sleep and physical activity.	Managing self Confident in asking adults for help. Welcomes and values praise for achievements. Completes an activity for a sustained period. Meets the classroom behaviour expectations with support and guidance. Enjoys the responsibility of carrying out small tasks. Can remove their own jumper. Go to the toilet and are clean and dry throughout the day. Independently wash their hands with soap and water without reminders. With encouragement, pupils will make healthy choices about food, drink, sleep and physical activity.	Managing self Becoming more confident in new social situations. Begins to self-reflect. Learns from their mistakes to improve an outcome next time. Beginning to follow classroom behaviour expectations independently. Will participate in a wide range of activities. Can get dressed and undressed with support. Understand why we wash our hands. Identifies what healthy choices are.	Starts tasks quickly and maintains focus during completion. Managing self Takes responsibility for their self and their own belongings. Completes an activity with focus and attention to detail, ignoring distractions. Recognises how and when they meet the behaviour expectations. Will select and use appropriate activities and resources to complete a successful outcome. Can get dressed and undressed with support. Understands and knows how to protect themselves against different weather conditions - clothing, sun cream drinking water etc. Knows the importance of making healthy choices.	Managing self Shows confidence in the face of an unfamiliar activity or situation. Shows resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge. ELG Know right from wrong and try to behave accordingly. Is confident supporting peers to make choices in order to complete a successful outcome. Can get dressed and undressed independently. Might need help with tricky items, e.g., buttons. Talks about why we make healthy choices. Begin to use cutlery independently.	Managing self ELG Be confident to try new activities and show independence, resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge, explain reasons for rules. ELG Know right from wrong and try to behave accordingly. Manages their own basic hygiene and personal needs, including dressing, going to the toilet and understanding the importance of healthy food choices.
Building Relationships	Building Relationships	Building Relationships		Building Relationships Takes steps to resolve conflicts with other	Building Relationships



	Demonstrates friendly behaviour, initiating	Initiates play, offering cues to my friends to	Engages more actively in group work.	Building Relationships Builds constructive and	pupils, e.g., finding a compromise.	ELG Works and plays
	interactions. Play is kept going by	join me. Forms relationships with	Can return to their play after a break and	respectful relationships. Is able to share and take	Tries to include others in their play who may be	cooperatively and take turns with others.
	Play is kept going by responding to what others are saying or doing. Plays in a group, extending and elaborating play ideas. Demonstrates friendly behaviour, initiating interactions with peers and other familiar adults. Is becoming less adult- reliant when experiencing emotions. Listens to adults and responds appropriately.	Forms relationships with friends and familiar adults. Is starting to be able to identify simple emotions and how they can affect them, e.g., happy, sad, angry. Is able to follow simple instructions and requests	commence and extend its focus. Starts conversations and consider what others say. Can identify when they require support or help. Listens to peers as well as adults.	Is able to share and take turns successfully. Alters play depending on interactions and ideas from others Spends time with their chosen friendship group as well as other groups. Starts to find solutions to issues and problems they have. Shows sensitivity when dealing with peers. Starts to accept that we need to be polite to everyone, even if we disagree with them.	reluctant to participate. Can express their gratitude and congratulate others for their kindness, e.g., when they help, support you. Is starting to control their emotions in order to not affect their friends. Starts to identify how best to respond to another individual when that individual is expressing emotion	ELG Forms positive attachments to adults and friendships with peers. ELG Shows sensitivity to their own and others' needs.
Physical Development	Gross Motor Shows control, flexibility and awareness of own body, for example, runs and jumps confidently landing safely on two feet. Moves in a variety of ways for example, skipping, slithering, and shuffling.	Gross Motor Shows improved spatial awareness. Is aware and follows safety rules, for example, not running near the climbing frame area. Can move body parts in response to music (stamping and clapping).	Gross Motor Adjusts speed and direction, for example, when in chasing games. Travels skilfully and safely on and around, for example, on the climbing frame, over and through. Can start to express feelings using music.	Gross Motor Can move in a wide range of ways with flexibility and spatial awareness, for example, skilfully and confidently: • rolls • crawls • jumps • hops • skips • climbs.	Gross Motor ELG Negotiate space and obsta consideration for themselv ELG Demonstrate strength, bal when playing. ELG Move energetically, such a dancing, hopping, skipping	ves and others. ance and coordination as running, jumping,



pla exa pol and leg Sho stre one	ayground. For ample, a fireman's le or balance beam d starts to sit cross- ged on the carpet. ows some core ength by standing in e place, running in a	and can hop confidently, using a balance bike, scooter etc. Demonstrates better core strength by balancing on one foot or on a plank and can sit comfortably in a school chair.	example – from one stepping tyre to the next. Walks, jumps, hops to sound. Core strength is further improved and demonstrates better posture whilst sitting at the table or on the carpet.	skilfully throw/kick a large ball. Might be able to pop bubbles with one finger, trace a shape or line with one finger. Can self-balance, for example, when walking across a PE bench. Understands how to pull themselves onto	
blo <u>Fin</u> Sho wh	ne Motor ows some control nen making a variety	Fine Motor Shows increasing control and awareness, for example, beginning to	<u>Fine Motor</u> Control when drawing people details emerging	something higher (climbing frame). <u>Fine Motor</u> Can control tools well to make more-complex pictures, for example,	Fine Motor ELG Holds a pencil effectively in preparation for fluent writing (using the tripod grip in almost all cases).
res Car sha dra ano Giv	sources. n control larger apes, for example, aws large-scale lines d circles. ves meaning to marks	draw people (head with legs). Further control, for examples, drawings include squares, rectangles and circles, crosses, and letters. Controlling some letter	such as fingers, arms, and trunk. Majority of letters are recognisable, and the majority formed correctly. Tripod grasp used.	combines shapes to create another (a rectangle and a circle to form a hat). Better control means that majority of letters are recognisable, and the majority formed	ELG Uses a range of small tools, including scissors, paintbrushes, and cutlery. ELG Begins to show accuracy and care when drawing.



	Some dexterity, for example, five finger grasps used, uses threading equipment with control. Uses large paintbrush. Uses large-scale simple construction to create simple models (Duplo).	example, adder letters and caterpillar letters are formed correctly. Some lower-case letters are formed correctly. Shows control to hold and play instruments. Increasing dexterity, for example, uses/holds scissors correctly or using a knife and fork with support/modelling by an adult. Dexterity and strength allow pupils to squeeze, roll, and pinch playdough. Uses medium brushes.	Uses smaller-scale threading equipment with control (beads). Uses smaller construction. Using a knife and fork to cut softer foods. Uses a hole punch and treasury tags.	Controls their limbs, for example, keeps a steady beat when playing an instrument and can tap a rhythm to words. Shows control when filling in a template with coloured pencils or paint. Cuts around circles and other shapes with control. Dexterity is good as tripod grip used and with good control. Gaining confidence in using a knife and fork to cut up own food. Joins using hole punches and split pins. Holds a smaller paintbrush correctly.		
Literacy	Word Reading Orally segment and blend words. Beginning to recognise some individual letters (Phase 2) by saying the sounds for them. Hears Phase 2 initial sound phonemes	Word Reading Recognise all 26 alphabet letters by saying the sounds for them. Blends sounds together to read VC or CVC words containing Phase 2/3 individual graphemes.	Word Reading Fluently reads CVC words and captions using Phase 2 letters and sounds. Recognises some letter groups that each represent one sound (digraphs + trigraphs)	Word Reading Begins to read words and sentences containing Phase 3 letters and sounds. Knows grapheme/phoneme for long vowels: ai, ee, igh, oa and oo (moon).	Word Reading ELG Says a sound for each letter in the alphabet and at least 10 diagraphs. Fluently reads words and sentences containing	Word Reading ELG Reads words consistent with their phonic knowledge by sound blending. ELG (Fluently) reads aloud simple sentences and



Joins in with known songs.	Begins to read words and sentences containing Phase 2 sounds. Tracks letters in word reading. Read text from left to right. Read HFW from Phase 2 letters and sounds. Joins in with rhymes and stories.	and says sounds for them, e.g., sh, ch, th, ng. Tracks words (LtoR) in sentence reading. Identifies rhymes.	Reads words with initial two-letter consonant blends, e.g., bl, br, cl, cr, etc. Recognises how many syllables there are in a word. Identifies rhymes.	Phase 3 letters and sounds. Knows grapheme/ phoneme for oi, ow, ar, or, ur. Reads words with initial three-letter consonant blends, e.g., spl, spr, etc. Reads HFW from Phase 3 letters and sounds. Suggests words to complete a rhyming string.	books that are consistent with their phonics knowledge, including some common exception words. Knows grapheme/phoneme for er, air, ear. Desired All Phase 3, sh, ch, th, ng, ai, ee, igh, oa, oo, ar, or, ur, er, oi, ow, air, ear. (17 grapheme/phonemes.) Non-negotiable for 10
Comprehension Holds a book and turns the pages from the front to the back. Understands what a letter is.	Comprehension Understands what a word is. Tells a story to a friend. Will ask for help when they do not understand a word.	Comprehension Understands what a sentence is. Talks about settings, characters and key events in books. Re-read corrections when an adult points out where they have gone wrong. Answers simple retrieval questions.	Comprehension Talks about their favourite book. Re-reads books to build up their understanding and enjoyment. Answer simple sequencing questions. Recognises and joins in with predictable or repetitive phrases.	Comprehension Anticipates (where appropriate) key events in stories. Demonstrates understanding of what has been read to them by retelling stories and narratives using their own words and recently introduced vocabulary. Beginning to answer simple inference	graphemes including long vowel sounds, e.g., sh, ch, th, ng, ai, ee, igh, oa, oo, ar. Comprehension Uses and understands recently introduced vocabulary during discussions about stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems and during role play. Answers simple vocabulary questions. Beginning to check the text makes sense and self-correct when a mistake is made.

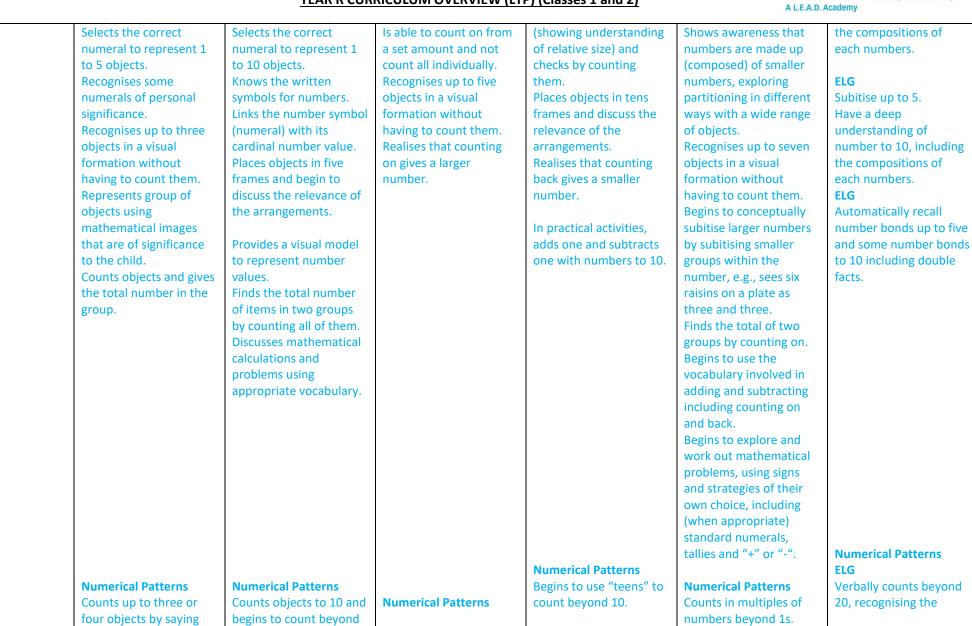


			Answers prediction questions based on what has happened so far.	questions, e.g., can infer what a character is by what they say and do. Shows an awareness of punctuation (full stops) and when reminded, pause when reading.	Beginning to link what they have read or heard to their own experiences. ELG Demonstrate understanding of what has been read to them by retelling stories and narratives using their own words and recently
					introduced vocabulary. ELG Anticipate where appropriate key events in stories. ELG Use and understand recently introduced vocabulary during discussions about stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems and
Writing Taught that writing goes from left to right. Draws their own large- scale lines and circles (clockwise). Uses tools for mark marking with increasing control.	Writing Ladder Letters I, i, t, u, y, and j are correctly formed. Curly Caterpillar Letters c, o, a, d, e, g, q, s, and f are correctly formed. Has dominant hand for writing.	Writing Taught that writing goes from left to right. One-Armed Robot Letters r, n, m, k, b and p are correctly formed. Majority of letters are recognisable. Tripod grasp used.	Writing Taught that writing goes from left to right. Zig-Zag Letters v, w, x, and z are correctly formed. All letters are recognisable, and the	Writing Majority of letters sit correctly on the line. Angles/tilts paper to one side to get the correct position.	during role play. Writing ELG Writes recognisable letters, most of which are correctly formed. ELG Spells words by identifying sounds in them and representing



Mathematics	Uses threading equipment with increasing control and confidence. Five finger grasps used. Identifies sounds in own name and other familiar words. Beginning to write some individual letters (Phase 2) by saying the sounds for them. Can tell an adult about what they have drawn or painted. Audio storytelling Pupils use spoken language to retell stories (maybe supported by a sentence stem). Emergent writing continues. Pupils are beginning to mark make in the environment during continuous provision (some words may have the correct initial letter(s)). Creates representations of people, objects and events. Focus numbers – 1, 2, 3,	Uses pincers and tweezers with increasing control and confidence. Can copy shapes, letters and numbers Writes words containing the Phase 2 graphemes known. Writes CVC containing the Phase 2 graphemes known. Might need support to retain sentence. E.g., the cat sat on the mat. Spells taught HFW. Copies print in the environment, e.g., door. Begins to label pictures (sometimes with initial sounds/letters known). Gives meaning to the marks as they write. Is mark making during continuous provision with a purpose. Words may have a group of letters with a space in between.	Writes a captions containing the Phase 3 graphemes known. Support given to help retain caption. Knows grapheme /phoneme for the digraphs sh, ch, th, ng. Orally rehearses a sentence with support before writing. Writes simple sentences as a result of discussing ideas with the teacher (guided/shared writing). Uses a finger space in between words.	majority are formed correctly. Sits with a straight back with feet on the floor. Writes a captions containing the Phase 3 graphemes known. Support given to help retain caption. Knows grapheme /phoneme for long vowels ai, ee, igh, oa and oo'(moon). Spells taught HFW. Uses pictures (b/m/e) to plan a story. Composes their own sentence(s) before writing. Uses a full stop at the end of some sentences. Says what they have written.	Digits 0-9 are correctly formed. Some capital letters are correctly formed. Writes a captions containing the Phase 3 graphemes known. Knows grapheme/ phoneme for oi, ow, ar, or, ur. Transitional writing Uses a capital letter at the beginning of some sentences. Write sentences with HFW and decodable words that match the school's phonic programme. Reads back what they have written to check it makes sense.	the sounds with a letter or letters. Knows grapheme/phoneme for er, air, ear. Applies Phase 2 and Phase 3 graphemes to their writing. ELG Writes simple phrases and sentences that can be read by others. Writes short sentences with words with known letter-sound correspondences using a capital letter and full stop.
iviatnematics	A Number	7, Number	Number	Number Estimates how many objects they can see	Will put numerals in order with increasing confidence (ordinality).	ELG Have a deep understanding of number to 10, including

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one number name for each item. Becomes familiar with the language of counting. Begins to use mathematical vocabulary e.g. more, less, the most, the least, bigger, smaller. Sorts and classifies objects according to self- selected criteria. Identifies patterns in the number system, e.g., on a 100 square.	 10. Counts out up to six objects from a larger group. Counts back in 1s. Touch counts objects when counting. Finds one more or one less from a group of up to five objects. Identifies repeating patterns and continues them. Sorts objects according to given criteria, e.g., 5, 0. 	Counts an irregular arrangement of up to 10 objects. Finds one more or one less from a group of up to 10 objects. Chooses familiar objects to create and recreate repeating patterns beyond AB patterns and begins to identify the unit of repeat.	Uses the language of "more" and "fewer" to compare two sets of objects. Compares numbers. Uses number names and symbols when comparing numbers. Links the number symbol (numeral) with its cardinal number value.	Counts out up to 10 objects from a larger group. Understands the "one more than/one less than" relationship between consecutive numbers. Uses mathematical vocabulary confidently. Continues, copies and creates repeating patterns in number exploring odds and evens, doubles etc.	patterns of the counting system. ELG Compares quantities up to 10 in different contexts, recognising when one quantity is greater than, less than or the same as the other quantity. ELG Explores and represents patterns within numbers up to 10, including evens and odds, double facts and how quantities can be distributed equally.
Shape, space and measure Talks about and explores 2D and 3D shapes (for example, circles, rectangles, triangles and cuboids) using informal and mathematical language: sides, corners, straight, flat, round. Can identify simple positional language, e.g., under the table. Makes comparisons between objects relating to size, length, weight and capacity.	Shape, space and measure Uses informal language and analogies, (e.g. heart-shaped and hand- shaped leaves), as well as mathematical terms to describe shapes. Sequences objects in order of size.	Shape, space and measure Becomes familiar with measuring tools in everyday experiences and play.	Shape, space and measure Enjoys composing and decomposing shapes, learning which shapes combine to make other shapes. Is increasingly able to order and sequence events using everyday language related to time.	Shape, space and measure Composes and decomposes shapes so that pupils recognise a shape can have other shapes within it, just as numbers can. Beginning to experience measuring time with timers and calendars.	Shape, space and measure Uses own ideas to make models of increasing complexity, selecting blocks needed, solving problems and visualising what they will build. Enjoys tackling problems involving prediction and discussion of comparisons of length, weight or capacity, paying attention to fairness and accuracy.

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Understanding	Past and present	Past and present	Past and present	Past and present	Past and present	Past and present
the world	Uses the environment	Remembers and talks	Uses the vocabulary;	Recognises and	Shows an understanding	ELG
	(visual timetables) to	about significant events	today, tomorrow, and	describes special times	of the passing of time	Talks about the lives
	sequence and discuss	in their own	yesterday in the correct	or events for their family	through the life cycle of	around them and their
	the day's structure using	experiences.	context.	or friends.	plants, animals and mini	roles in society.
	vocabulary – now, next.	Knows the names of the	Names the four seasons.	Orders and sequences	beasts.	
	Talks about their	days of the week and	Understands that some	pictorial representations	Sequences the basic	ELG
	immediate family.	their order.	historical events were	of their daily routines or	stages of human life	Knows some similarities
	Takes an interest in and	Understands their	before them, their	tasks based on	cycle. (Year 1)	and difference between
	comments on unknown	birthday celebrates the	parents, and their	experience.	Begins to	things in the past and
	objects, exploring their;	day that they were born.	grandparents.	Takes an interest in and	organise/sequence their	now drawing on their
	textures, mass, moving	Knows when their	Takes an interest in and	comments on images of	own story ideas on a	experiences and what
	parts etc. (Guided	birthday is (home	comments on images of	familiar situations from	story map using story	they have read in class.
	through hypothesising	project).	familiar situations from	the past.	stems structure as	
	function.)	Understands the	the past.	Hypothesises about the	support, including the	ELG
	Vocabulary: hard, soft,	generational	Hypothesises about the	function of artifacts,	vocabulary first, next,	Understands the past
	bumpy. spikey, cold,	relationships in a basic	function of artifacts,	based on creative ideas	after that and finally.	through settings,
	smooth, heavy, light,	family tree including	based on creative ideas	or past experiences.	Justifies hypothesis	characters and events
	spins, winds (add precise	their siblings, mum, dad,	or past experiences.	Answers and asks 'why'	regarding artifacts using	encountered in books
	when sourced objects	and grandparents.	Answers and asks 'why'	questions about text	existing knowledge or	read in class and
	and seen opportunities).	Takes an interest in and	questions about text	that has been read to	seeking more	storytelling.
	Knows people in the	comments on unknown	that has been read to	them.	information; asking	
	school environment and	objects, exploring their;	them.	Engages in non-fiction	questions, building on	
	their roles: Head	textures, mass, moving	Engages in non-fiction	books.	the ideas of others, or	
	Teacher, site manager,	parts etc. (Guided	books.	Listens to and talks	using images and books.	
	office manager, school	through hypothesising	Listens to and talks	about non-fiction books	Foci: observation of	
	cook.	function.)	about non-fiction books	applying new knowledge	change over a period.	
	Takes an interest in the	Vocabulary: hard, soft,	applying new knowledge	and vocabulary.	Compares and contrasts	
	different roles of people	bumpy. spikey, cold,	and vocabulary.	Foci: Observation of	the different stages in	
	who support their	smooth, heavy, light,	Foci: Observation of	similarities	the life cycle of plants,	
	community and makes	spins, winds (add precise	<u>difference</u>		animals, and mini	
	observations of their	when sourced objects	Notes for come back to		beasts.	
	role, uniforms,	and seen opportunities).	consider moments in		Compares and contrasts	
	transport.	Knows people in the	time, what		the basic stages of	
		school environment and	events/periods are		human life cycle.	



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Understands that not	their roles: Head	important and why?			
everyone celebrates the	Teacher, site manager,	What are the pupils			
same celebrations, but	office manager, school	gaining from that			
what how we celebrate	cook.	specific period?			
are similar.	Takes an interest in the				
	different roles of people				
	who support their				
	community and makes				
	observations of their				
	role, uniforms,				
	transport.				
	Understands that not				
	everyone celebrates the				
	same celebrations, but				
	what how we celebrate				
	are similar.				
	People, culture and	People, culture and			People, culture and
	communities	communities	People, culture and	People, culture and	communities
People, culture and	Understands that not	Knows that people have	communities	communities	ELG
communities	everyone celebrates the	different beliefs and	Knows that people have	Knows the landmark	Describes the immediate
Celebrates and	same festivals, but how	traditions that affect	different beliefs and	buildings (including	environment using
comments on the visual	we celebrate is similar;	their lives.	traditions that affect	places of worship) in the	knowledge from
differences (supported	special foods,	Knows that there is a	their lives.	local environment and	observation, discussion,
through similarities)	decorations, music,	link between stories and	Knows that there is a	discusses their	stories, non-fiction texts
between us all as a	special clothes, gifts etc.	festivals: Diwali and The	link between stories and	importance.	and maps.
cohort.	Takes an interest in and	Story of Light, The	festivals: Diwali and The	Draws own plans/maps	
Talks about their home	comments on unknown	nativity story, The Easter	Story of Light, The	of immediate	ELG
and the places they go	objects, exploring their;	story, Chinese New Year	nativity story, The Easter	environment.	Knows some similarities
to in their immediate	textures, mass, colour,	 The great race. 	story, Chinese New Year	Foci: Application od	and differences between
environment.	moving parts etc.	Answers and asks "why"	 The great race. 	<u>observation</u>	different religious and
Creates different play	Talks about their home	questions about text	Answers and asks "why"	Makes inferences about	cultural communities in
environments -beach,	and the places they go	that has been read to	questions about text	locations in books based	this country, drawing on
city, forest, etc, in small-	to in their immediate	them.	that has been read to	on previous knowledge	their experiences and
world play with support,	environment.	Engages in non-fiction	them.	or experiences:	what has been read in
naming their features;	Creates different play	books.	Engages in non-fiction	clothing worn	class.
	environments -beach,		books.	buildings	



trees, river, mountains	city, forest, etc, in small-	Listens to and talks	Listens to and talks	•	foods	ELG
etc.	world play with support,	about non-fiction books	about non-fiction books	•	weather	Explains some
Knows that some places	naming their features;	applying new knowledge	applying new knowledge	•	animals	similarities and
are far away, and we	trees, river, mountains	and vocabulary.	and vocabulary.	•	landscape	difference between life
cannot walk there.	etc.	Describes the natural	Knows that the country			in this country and life in
Foci: Immediate	Knows that some places	landscape of a biome	we live in is England.			other countries, drawing
observations	are far away, and we	(tundra).	Names some hot and			on knowledge from
Makes observations of	cannot walk there.	Knows we have different	cold countries.			stories, non-fiction texts
landscapes in photos,	Foci: Immediate	environments in this	Knows that different			and (when appropriate)
books, and videos.	observations	county; water/sea,	countries have different			maps.
	Makes observations of	woods, beaches, etc.	landscapes (biomes).			
	landscapes in photos,	Answers and asks "why"	Knows about the			
	books, and videos.	questions.	lifestyle of people in			
		Engages in non-fiction	other countries for			
		books.	example: foods, home,			
		Listens to and talks	clothing, significant			
		about non-fiction books	buildings, languages, and			
		applying new knowledge	culture. (European).			
		and vocabulary.	Knows what an island is.			
		Knows what a globe is	Takes a personal interest			
		and that it represents	in maps and globes			
		the world.	asking questions to			
		Knows the basic colour	extend knowledge.			
		key on a map or globe;	Knows that there are			
		blue is the sea, green	many different countries			
		and brown is the land	in the world.			
		and white is snow.	Knows some of the			
		Creates own map of	features of the biomes			
		imaginary location using	(tundra , desert, forest,			
		basic key; tree, sea, sand	grassland/savanna,			
		etc	oceans).			
		Foci: Observation of	Foci: Observation of			
		difference	similarities			
		Discusses the differences	Makes links between			
		between a biome with	their knowledge of			
		an extreme climate	<u> </u>			
		an extreme climate	biomes to classify			
			animals.			



The natural worldobjects, based on their own exploration.Shows curiosity in the environment aroundObserves and talks about the changes in objects over a period outdoors.Foci: Immediate observationsFoci: Observation of change	The natural world Takes part in simple experiments led by an adult (floating and sinking) discussing the differences in the objects. Makes simple predictions with support. Foci: Observation of difference Observation after a session. Answers and asks "why" questions. Engages in non-fiction books. Listens to and talks about non-fiction books applying new knowledge and vocabulary. Names the four seasons and talks about their differences and the impact on their lives. Creating with materials	we do in England. The natural world Carries out simple set up experiment (sorting materials) that enables them to talk about similarities –classifying. <u>Foci: Observation of</u> <u>similarities</u> Pupils use new knowledge to classify animals therefore highlighting their similarities. For example, carnivore dinosaurs all have sharp claws and teeth. Understands animals have similar features to live in specific habitat. Camouflage, fur to protect from the cold etc.	The natural world Selects equipment to help them follow their own enquiry of interest, for example, which mini beasts live in the playground? Records observations in a number of ways; drawings, written work, photographs. Foci: Observation of change over a period Records observations to enable changes to be observed. Shows an understanding of the passing of time through the life cycle of plants, animals, and mini beasts. Sequences the basic stages of human life cycle. Creating with materials	The natural world ELG Explores the natural world around them, making observations and drawing pictures of animals and plants. ELG Knows some similarities and differences between the natural world around them and contrasting environments, drawings on their experiences and what has been read in class. ELG Understands some important processes and changes in the natural world around them, including the seasons and changing states of matter.
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Understands that they can use lines to employe a	The pro-cohometic stage of drawing develope as that	Drows a variaty of chicate with increased datail and
Understands that they can use lines to enclose a	The pre-schematic stage of drawing develops so that	Draws a variety of objects with increased detail and
space and begins to use these shapes to represent	pictures tell a story.	shapes, some based on detailed observations.
objects.	Combines shapes to create another	Selects own painting techniques, resources and tools
Drawings show what the child perceives as most	(a rectangle and a circle to form a hat).	to create representations.
important about the subject.	Representation become more mature with details	Knows which primary colours are mixed to make
Gives meaning to marks they make.	emerging.	secondary colours.
Marks recognisably represent an object (people with	Drawings begin to show some understanding of	Explains the process they went through when
head, arms, and legs).	basic observation.	making and the choices they made.
Drawings include squares, rectangles and circles.	Holds a smaller paintbrush correctly (matches pencil	Returns to and builds on their previous learning,
Uses large and medium brushes to add colour to add	grip) to support control and precision.	refining ideas and developing their ability to
lines in sweeping movements to make simple	Shows focus, concentration and control painting	represent them.
representations.	within lines on a template.	Creates collaboratively sharing ideas, resources and
Explores mixing colours and observes the changes.	Washes paint brushes when using a new colour.	skills.
Distinguishes between colours and names them.	Imitates a range of painting techniques modelled to	Effectively selects own resources and fixings for
Manipulates malleable materials to create shapes.	them Printing, stamping, colour wash.	their desired project.
Selects from a variety of resources to use in collage	Knows painted pictures needs to dry and stores	Beginning to understand and show some awareness
based on personal choices and criteria.	painting independently and safely.	of stability and balance when adding 3D
" Its pink , I like pink."	Uses a variety of colours when colouring and	components together.
Creates items of personal interest.	painting.	Explains the processes they went through whilst
Uses the environment/images to support the	Selects a colour for a purpose (yellow for the sun).	making and the choices they made.
decision of what to create.	Attempts to keep colours "clean" through washing	Evaluates and edits their work throughout the
Building blocks	brushes in between using colour due to their	making process.
Stage 4: Enclosures	knowledge of colour mixing.	
Closes spaces and creates enclosures.	Beginning to understand and explore that a colour	ELG
Expands building to take up large areas of space due	can be changed by adding black and white for	Safely uses and explores a variety of materials, tools,
to improved special awareness.	shades and tints and comments on observations.	and techniques, experimenting with colour, design,
Enclosures and bridges become the scenery for	Selects from a variety of resources for collage due to	texture, form and function.
imaginative play with props like dolls, animals and	their effectiveness to represent ideas (based on	ELG
toy cars.	aesthetics and malleability).	Shares their creation, explaining the process they
Beginning to cut a curved line.	"I used this paper because it is shiny like the fish	have used, makes use of props and materials when
Knows how to and can join construction pieces	scales".	role playing characters in narratives and stories.
together to build and balance.	Verbalises choices for collage and construction.	ELG
Plays with their creations.	Explores existing textures of objects and describes	Make use of props and materials when role playing
Trays with their creations.	them verbally.	characters in narratives and stories.
	Imitates marks and textures into clay/dough surface.	
	Says what they are going to make before doing so	
	and what it will look like.	



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	Creates objects for a given purpose (for play or given	
	functionality).	
	Explains to an adult what they have created and	
	what it is for.	
	Building blocks	
	Stage 5: Symmetry and Patterns	
	Pieces are selected due to their size and shape to	
	add symmetry and pattern.	
	Shows signs of creativity, as they add accessories to	
	their structures. Whether it is vehicles, dolls,	
	furniture, animals, or "loose parts" like scarves,	
	rocks, or gems, it adds to the building dynamics.	
	Cuts around circles, squares and images, confidently	
	changing cutting directions and the angle of hold.	
	Uses small construction materials that join in	
	different ways with confidence.	
	Starting to know when to use specific adhesives	
	(glue stick paper, PVA heavier items) and uses them	
	effectively.	
	Starting to know that paper can be joined in several	
	ways and applies this knowledge in their creative	
	work.	
	Staring to select construction pieces due to their	
	aesthetics, size or function.	
	Joins simple components in 3D structures effectively	
	using a selected method of joining (box modelling).	
	Shows pride in their creations, labelling them for	
	safe keeping.	
	Reflects on their project and says what worked well.	
	neneets on their project and says what worked wen.	
	Being imaginative and expressive	
Being imaginative and expressive		Being imaginative and expressive
	Uses available resources to create props to support	
Develops preference for forms of expression.	role-play.	ELG
Creates movement in response to music.	Develops storylines with detail in their pretend play,	Invents, adapts and recounts narratives and stories
Sings to themselves and makes up own songs.	for example, someone's birthday, they sing and	with peers and their teacher.
Sings to themselves and makes up own songs.	create a party.	ELG
	create a party.	



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Engages in imaginative role-play based on own first-	Creates scenarios in collaboration with others where	Sings a range of well-known nursery rhymes and
hand experiences that includes roles and simple	they have different roles.	songs.
narrative, for example, having dinner together,	Plans and communicates collaboratively about their	ELG
going to the shops.	play.	Performs songs, rhymes poems and stories with
Identifies and matches an instrumental sound, for	Notices what adults do, imitating what is observed	others and (when appropriate) tries to move in time
example, hears a shaker and indicates that they	and then doing it spontaneously when the adult is	with music.
understand it is a shaker.	not there.	
Sings a few familiar songs.	Thinks abstractly about music and expresses this	
Creates sounds in vocal sound games.	physically or verbally e.g., "This music sounds like	
Claps or taps to the pulse of the music he or she is	dinosaurs."	
listening to.	Distinguishes and describes changes in music and	
Claps or taps to the pulse of the song he or she is	compares pieces of music e.g., "This music started	
singing.	fast and then became slow." "This music had lots of	
Uses movement to express feelings.	instruments, but this music only had voices."	
Plays instruments with control to play loud/quiet	Sings in a group or on their own, increasingly trying	
(dynamics), fast/slow (tempo).	to match the pitch and follow the melody.	
Shows control to hold and play instruments to	Sings the pitch of a tone sung by another person	
produce musical sound, e.g., holding a triangle in the	with some success (starting to pitch match).	
air by the string with one hand and playing it with a	Sings the melodic shape (moving melody, such as up	
beater with the other.	and down, down and up) of familiar songs.	
	Adjusts movement to the sound of instruments, e.g.	
	walks, jumps, hops to the sound of a beating drum.	
	Replicates familiar choreographed dances, e.g.	
	imitate dance and movements associated with pop	
	songs.	
	Choreographs his or her own dances to familiar	
	music, individually or in small groups.	
	Keeps a steady beat whilst playing instruments: his	
	or her own steady beat in his or her creative music	
	making.	
	Taps rhythms to accompany words, e.g., tapping the	
	syllables of names/objects/lyrics of a song.	
	Plays along to the beat of the song they are singing	
	or music being listened to.	