




Topic overview plan –

Reception 2021-2022

	Term 1a	Term 1b	Term 2a	Term 2b	Term 3a	Term 3b
Topic	<i>Wonderful Me</i>	<i>Autumn magic</i>	<i>Home sweet home</i>	<i>Who's hatching?</i>	<i>Down at the bottom of the garden</i>	<i>Let's Tinker</i>
Curriculum Goals	I can talk about how people and families are different. I know how I can keep my body healthy I can make a healthy breakfast. I can create a portrait.	I know about some British animals. I know how the environment changes in Autumn. I know about some different celebrations. I know how and why we celebrate Christmas.	I know about different homes. I know about some of the buildings in town. I know some difference between town and countryside I can create a map	I know about some animals that lay eggs I know how some animals grown from a baby to an adult. I know some recipes with eggs. I know how and why we celebrate Easter	I know about some different minibeasts I can grow some seeds I can create a miniature world for fairies and elves. I know about different fruit and vegetables.	I can create a picnic I can create a robot I can explore with water I can plan a camping trip.
Experiences (including parents)	School nurse/dentist visit Shared Breakfast Portrait Gallery	Walk in the woods Animals dress up day Nativity	Trip into Didcot Fire Engine visit	Mystery Egg Lambing, Earth Trust (half day)	Photos of magnified things (What do you think it is?) Sutton Courtenay, minibeasts (half day)	Cardboard box day Strawberry picking and café at Q Gardens Beale Park
Experiences with Red Dragon	Peace at Last (week 4)	Room on the Broom (Week 2)	Antarctica / Lost and Found (week 5)	Easter celebration (last week)	Minibeast dress up day (week 1)	Camp site experience (week 4)
Role Play opportunities	Home Goldilocks Dentist Doctors	Potion lab Percy Parkeeper's hut Christmas at home Post Office Christmas shop	Builder's Yard Local shop Vet Police Train station	Restaurant Café Take away service	Garden Centre Red Hen's Bakery Shoemaker's workshop	Campsite Tourist office Workshop
Prime Areas C&L PSED PD Eco-warriors	Colour Monster: Behaviours and emotions Me and my family? Difference Fine Motor skills Looking after myself (handwashing, teeth)	Kindness Elves Eco-Warriors Staying safe Friends Harvest / Christmas: sharing and giving	Understanding difference Looking after ourselves: doctors, fitness Crossing the road / road safety Emergency services Eco-Warriors	Asking questions Healthy eating Eco-Warriors	Caring for and taking responsibility for our local environment Respect – no matter how small Eco-Warriors	Having a go at new things, not giving up, making links Growth Mindset Eco-Warriors



	brushing, getting dressed, healthy eating)					
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Drawing Club 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Goldilocks and the Three Bears • Little Red Riding Hood • The Gingerbread Man • Peace at Last (RD) • Five Minutes Peace • Aunt Amelia 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What's in the Witch's Kitchen? • Room on the Broom (RD) • Hansel and Gretel • Percy the Park Keeper • The Magic Porridge Pot • Stick Man 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Three Little Pigs • Town Mouse and Country Mouse • Kipper • Way Home for Wolf • Lost and Found (RD) • Home (Alex T Smith) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Somethingosaur • The Very Hungry Caterpillar • The Ugly Duckling • Chicken Licken • The Odd Egg 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Ant and the Grasshopper • Jack and the Beanstalk • The Little Red Hen • The Elves and the Shoemaker • The Something • The Enormous Turnip 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mrs Armitage on Wheels • Mrs Armitage, Queen of the Road • Mrs Armitage and the Big Wave • The Most Magnificent Thing • 3 Billy Goats Gruff • Whatever Next
Phonics	Phase 2	Phase 2	Phase 2 / 3	Phase 3	Phase 3	Phase 4
Writing opportunities	Create a family album Label a body Label family pictures, add names	Spells and potion recipes Label an animal Letter to Santa Christmas cards	People who help us role play	How to look after a dragon Recipes with eggs	Minibeast fact file Plant packet instructions	Instructions manual for a robot: Labelled diagram of a robot, what it does, how it works Postcards for new children



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Maths						
RE (See separate plan)	Harvest	Divali Christmas	Chinese New Year	Mother's Day Easter		
Understanding the World	My body, keeping fit and healthy Families People and cultures Clothes – from around the world, old and new	Autumn British Wildlife My Environment Recycling – make recycled paper	My home, different homes around the world Buildings around town Building materials Jobs people do Homes old and new, including appliances	Spring Eggs New life / life cycles	Minibeasts – bug hotels Seeds – gardening Magnifiers Look at seeds in different fruits	Wheels, cogs Engines Sails / boats / floating Engineers / Robots Magnets Inventions old and new
EAD	Drawing Collage Painting Clay Keith Haring Giuseppi Arcimbaldo	Sewing - joining Nature Art Clay modelling Stick modelling Printing Weaving Andy Goldsworthy James Brunt	Printing Collage Junk modelling Painting Colouring with pens Van Gogh Mondrian	Painting – colour mixing Junk modelling Fruit printing Printing Sewing – decoration Eric Carle Jackson Pollock	Drawing Seed collages Clay fairy doors Collage Printing Transient natural art Weaving Matisse Andy Warhol	Collage Junk modelling Loose parts pictures Drawing Finger printing Yvonne Coomber Georgia O'Keefe
Music Listen and Perform	Body Percussion Vocal Sounds Singing nursery rhymes	Rhythms Singing	Music from around the world	Singing	Minibeast rhythms Creepy Crawlle Calypso	Different instrument sounds Junk percussion Mrs Armitage sounds rap Portside Pirates



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Cooking	What makes a healthy breakfast? Gingerbread men Porridge & Toast Orange juice	What do people eat at Christmas? Apple crumble Soup Mince pies Seasonal food	Where does our food come from? (Packaging and maps) Enchiladas Pizzas	How do you cook an egg? Frittatas Cupcakes	How can we get our 5 a day? Fruit salad Smoothies Flapjack	What can you eat outdoors? Picnic / sandwiches Pick and mix salad Scones
Outdoor Explorers	Gross Motor Rules Keeping safe Fire rules Physical	Autumn ID / spotter Sticks Leaves Birds & bird feeders Sound & colour Patterns James Brunt	Winter Windy Day Ice Clouds & sky Starry Night – Van Gogh School Building Den Building	Spring Rain Bird boxes Planting seeds ID / spotter	Snails & spirals - Matisse Minibeasts Bees ID / spotter Pond Fairy & Elf	Summer Sun / shadows Water Bubbles Clouds Georgia O'Keefe Beach Sea Shells