

Curriculum Overview Nursery

	Themes	Half Term 1	Half Term 2
Autumn	Big Question	Who am I? What happens in autumn?	What happens at night? What is a winter wonderland?
	Big Start	Stay and Play with Parents	Hot Chocolate and a Book
	Big Finish	Carving Pumpkins	Visit from Santa and Nativity
	Texts	Lulu's First Day, Hair Love / Leaf Man, Five Little Pumpkins	Night time, Dream Snow / Snowball, Dear Santa
	Visits/Visitors	Parents from different cultural backgrounds	Pantomime - Derby Theatre, Visit from Santa
	Science	Human Body / Autumn	Water / Winter
	History / Geog	Families / Local Area	Special Events
	Art / DT	Autumn Collage	Colour Mix – J Pollock
	Music	Sound / Rhymes	Performing
	Reading	Story / Nursery Rhymes	Story / Nursery Rhymes
	Writing	Story / Non -Fiction / Poetry	Story / Non -Fiction / Poetry
	Maths	Counting / Shape	Counting
	Computing	Cause and Effect Toys	Electrical Objects
	RE	Harvest	Diwali / Christmas
	PSHE	Relationships	Bullying Matters
	PE	Physical Development / Fundamentals	Physical Development / Fundamentals
Spring	Big Question	How many colours are in a rainbow?	How do plants and animals grow?
	Big Start	Making Rainbow Jelly	Stroking a Pet
	Big Finish	Rainbow Art with Parents	Farm Experience
	Texts	Red Rockets and Rainbow Jelly, The Colour Monster, Brown Bear, Brown Bear what do you see?	Oh Dear! Noisy Farm, Who is in the egg?
	Visits/Visitors	Firefighter or Police Officer	Bluebell Dairy Farm
	Science	Colour and Light	Animals / Spring
	History / Geog		Memories
	Art / DT	Rainbow Art – Seurat	Making a Hat
	Music	Rhythm	Singing
	Reading	Story / Nursery Rhymes	Story / Nursery Rhymes
	Writing	Story / Non -Fiction / Poetry	Story / Non -Fiction / Poetry
	Maths	Counting / Sorting	Counting / Number
	Computing	Cameras / Phones	Remote Control
	RE	Chinese New Year	Church / Easter
	PSHE	Exploring Emotions	Being Responsible
	PE	Physical Development / Fundamentals	Physical Development / Fundamentals
Summer	Big Question	Why is moving healthy?	Can you tumble?
	Big Start	Making a Fruit Salad	School Expedition
	Big Finish	Cake Picnic with Parents	Sports Day
	Texts	The Very Hungry Caterpillar, Colin and Lee, Mini Rabbit Not Lost	Ready Steady Mo!, Every Bunny is a Yoga Bunny The Frog Olympics
	Visits/Visitors	Walk to the Shops, Nurse, Health Visitor, Chef	Sports Coach, Yoga Instructor
	Science	Animals & Plants Human Health	Weather / Summer
	History / Geog	Environment	Journeys / Maps
	Art / DT	Fruit Art – P Picasso	Making an Obstacle Course
	Music	Responses	Preferences
	Reading	Story / Nursery Rhymes	Story/Nursery Rhymes
	Writing	Story / Non -Fiction / Poetry	Story/Non -Fict/Poetry
	Maths	Number / Weight	Position / Shapes
	Computing	Technological Toys	Technological Equip
	RE	Mosque / Eid	Diversity
	PSHE	Being Healthy	Diversity & Difference
	PE	Physical Development / Fundamentals	Physical Development / Fundamentals