

	AUTUMN 1	AUTUMN 2	SPRING 1	SPRING 2	SUMMER 1	SUMMER 2
Focus books that will be read over the course of the week.	People Who Help Us	People who Inspire us/ How People Celebrate	Australia – On Land	Australia – Under The Sea	Button Workshop	Birds, Bees, Bugs and Butterflies
course of the week.	CLOSESTIPE CLUES TOTH BOOK TOTH	Little People, BIG DREAMS ANUKKAH Chitisana S Siory Chitisana S Chitisana S Siory	The Rainbow Serpent The Rainbow Serpent	THE CIANT DEEP	BALIKA BHUMINI THE FETTOR SETTOR BLOSSOM & BLUE THE GRANDING BUTTON BERTIE THE RADIOLE SETTOR	DO YOU SUPERWORM LOVE BUGS? The Very Hungry Caterpillar
Events and Celebrations	Doctor Visit 21/9/24	Nativity Performance (10/12/24)	STEAM Week (10 th -14 th Feb)	World Book Day (6/3/25)	5 Button Workshops with Helen Hamil 25/4/25	Graduation from EYFS (tbc)
	Vet Visit (1/10/24)	Christmas Button Workshop (tbc) Theatre visit (tbc) Remembrance Day (11/11) Diwali 31/10/24 1/11/24 Hannukah (25/12/24-2/1/25) Christmas (25/12)	Visiting Zoo (tbc) Chinese New Year (29/1/25) Valentine's Day (14/2/25)	Pancake Day	29/4/25 6/5/25 13/5/25 20/5/25 Trip to The Wetlands Centre (11/6/25)	Fathers' Day (15/6/25)



Building Relationships

others' needs.

CURRICULUM OVERVIEW Reception

School - Parent Links	Family photos What did you get up to Class Journal & teddy Parent visits for topic Parent Weekly Readers Library books start going home Curriculum Evening Reading books start to go home Mathseeds	Parents Evening Open classrooms Parent Weekly Readers Nativity Performance Mathseeds	Parent Weekly Readers EYFS Phonics Meeting Helpers during STEAM Week Mathseeds Homewriting books	Parent Weekly Readers Parents' Evening Open classrooms Mathseeds Homewriting books	School Summer Fair Parent Weekly Readers Helpers on Trip Mathseeds Homewriting books	Reports Sports Day Parent Weekly Readers Mathseeds Homewriting books	
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	Self Regulation Show an understanding of their own feelings and those of others, and begin to regulate their behaviour accordingly. • Set and work towards simple goals, being able to wait for what they want and control their immediate impulses when appropriate. • Give focused attention to what the teacher says, responding appropriately even when engaged in activity, and show an ability to follow instructions involving several ideas or actions. Managing Self Be confident to try new activities and show independence, resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge. • Explain the reasons for rules, know right from wrong and try to behave accordingly. • Manage their own basic hygiene and personal needs, including dressing, going to the toilet and understanding the importance of healthy food choices.						

Work and play cooperatively and take turns with others. • Form positive attachments to adults and friendships with peers. • Show sensitivity to their own and to



Jigsaw	Being in my world 1.Who Me?! 2. How am I feeling today? 3. Being at School 4. Gentle hands 5. Our Rights 6. Our responsibilities	I'm special, I'm me! 1. What am I good at? 2. I'm Special, I'm Me! 3. Families 4. Homes 5. Making Friends 6. Standing Up for Yourself	Dreams and Goals 1.Challenge 2. Never Giving Up 3. Setting a goal 4. Obstacles and Support 4. Obstacles and Support 5. Flight to the Future 6. Footprint Awards	Healthy Me 1. Everybody's Body 2. We like to move it, move it! 3. Food Glorious Food 4. Sweet Dreams 5. Keeping Clean 6. Safe Adults	Relationships 1.My family and me 2. Make friends, make friends, never ever break friends Part 1 3. Make friends, make friends, never ever break friends Part 2 4. Falling Out and Bullying Part 1 5. Falling Out and Bullying Part 2 6. Being the best friends we can be	Changing Me 1. My Body 2. Respecting My Body 3. Growing Up 4. Fun and Fears Part 1 5. Fun and Fears Part 2 6. Celebration	
Communication and Language	Listening, Attention and Understanding Listen attentively and respond to what they hear with relevant questions, comments and actions when being read to and during whole class discussions and small group interactions. • Make comments about what they have heard and ask questions to clarify their understanding. • Hold conversation when engaged in back-and-forth exchanges with their teacher and peers. Speaking Participate in small group, class and one-to-one discussions, offering their own ideas, using recently introduced vocabulary. • Offer explanations for why things might happen, making use of recently introduced vocabulary from stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems when appropriate. • Express their ideas and feelings about their experiences using full sentences, including use of past, present and future tenses and making use of conjunctions, with modelling and support from their teacher.						
Physical Development	energetically, such as run Fine Motor Skills Hold a pencil effectively i	ning, jumping, dancing, hopp	ping, skipping and climbing. ing – using the tripod grip in		, balance and coordination w inge of small tools, including		



Literacy

Comprehension

Demonstrate understanding of what has been read to them by retelling stories and narratives using their own words and recently introduced vocabulary. • Anticipate (where appropriate) key events in stories. • Use and understand recently introduced vocabulary during discussions about stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems and during role play.

Word Reading

Say a sound for each letter in the alphabet and at least 10 digraphs. • Read words consistent with their phonic knowledge by sound-blending. • Read aloud simple sentences and books that are consistent with their phonic knowledge, including some common exception words.

Writing

Write recognisable letters, most of which are correctly formed. • Spell words by identifying sounds in them and representing the sounds with a letter or letters. • Write simple phrases and sentences that can be read by others.

Literacy	Sounds covered:	Digraphs covered:	Introduce Once Upon a	Once Upon a Picture	Once Upon a Picture	Once Upon a Picture
	m,a,s,d,t,i,n,p,g,o,	Ay, ee, igh, ow, oo, 00,	Picture	Comprehensions	Comprehensions	Comprehensions
	c,k,u,b,f,e,l,h,sh,r,	ar, or, air, ir,ur, er, ou,0w,	Comprehensions			
	j,v,y,w,th,z,ch,qu,x,nk	oy, oi, ire, ear,ure		Phonics Groups	Phonics Groups	Phonics Groups
			Phonics Groups			
	Read individual letters by	Introduce letter		Handwriting sessions for	Handwriting sessions	Handwriting sessions
	saying the sounds	formations	Introduce Handwriting	letter formation	for letter formation	for letter formation
	for them.		sessions			
		Read some letter groups		Form lower-case and capital	Form lower-case and	Form lower-case and
	Blend sounds into words,	that each represent one	Form lower-case and	letters correctly.	capital letters	capital letters
	so that they can read	sound and say sounds	capital letters correctly.		correctly.	correctly.
	short words made up of	for them.		Spell words by identifying		
	known letter– sound		Introduce simple	the sounds and then writing	Independent writing	Independent writing
	correspondences.	Read a few common	sentence writing	the sound with letter/s.		
		exception words			Write short sentences	Write short sentences
		matched to the school's			with words with	with words with
		phonic programme.			known sound-letter	known sound-letter
					correspondences using	correspondences using
		Read simple phrases and			a capital letter and full	a capital letter and full
		sentences made up of			stop.	stop.
		words with known				
		letter–sound				
		correspondences and,				



		where necessary, a few exception words. Re-read these books to build up their confidence in word reading, their fluency and their understanding and enjoyment.				Re-read what they have written to check that it makes sense.
Maths (White Rose)	Match, sort and Compare Talk about measure and patterns	It's me 1, 2, 3 Circles and triangles 1,2,3,4,5	Shapes with 4 sides Alive in 5	Mass and capacity Growing 6, 7, 8	Length height and time Building 9 and 10	Explore 3D shapes Number formation
Maths (Development Matters)	Count objects, actions and sounds. Link the number symbol (numeral) with its cardinal number value. Compare numbers. Select, rotate and manipulate shapes to develop spatial reasoning skills. Continue, copy and create repeating patterns.	Subitise. Link the number symbol (numeral) with its cardinal number value. Understand the 'one more than/one less than' relationship between consecutive numbers.	Select, rotate and manipulate shapes to develop spatial reasoning skills Compose and decompose shapes so that children recognise a shape can have other shapes within it, just as numbers can.	Explore the composition of numbers to 10. Compare length, weight and capacity.	Explore the composition of numbers to 10. Compare length, weight and capacity.	Count beyond ten. Automatically recall number bonds for numbers 0–5 and some to 10. Compose and decompose shapes so that children recognise a shape can have other shapes within it, just as numbers can.



Maths

Number

Have a deep understanding of number to 10, including the composition of each number. • Subitise (recognise quantities without counting) up to 5. • Automatically recall (without reference to rhymes, counting or other aids) number bonds up to 5 (including subtraction facts) and some number bonds to 10, including double facts.

Number Patterns

Verbally count beyond 20, recognising the pattern of the counting system. • Compare quantities up to 10 in different contexts, recognising when one quantity is greater than, less than or the same as the other quantity. • Explore and represent patterns within numbers up to 10, including evens and odds, double facts and how quantities can be distributed equally.

Understanding the World

Past and Present

Talk about the lives of the people around them and their roles in society. • Know some similarities and differences between things in the past and now, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class. • Understand the past through settings, characters and events encountered in books read in class and storytelling.

People, Culture and Communities

Describe their immediate environment using knowledge from observation, discussion, stories, non-fiction texts and maps. • Know some similarities and differences between different religious and cultural communities in this country, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class. • Explain some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries, drawing on knowledge from stories, nonfiction texts and (when appropriate) maps.

The Natural World

Explore the natural world around them, making observations and drawing pictures of animals and plants. • Know some similarities and differences between the natural world around them and contrasting environments, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class. • Understand some important processes and changes in the natural world around them, including the seasons and changing states of matter.

Expressive Art and Design

Creating with Materials

Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function. • Share their creations, explaining the process they have used. • Make use of props and materials when role playing characters in narratives and stories.

Being Imaginative and Expressive

Invent, adapt and recount narratives and stories with peers and their teacher. • Sing a range of well-known nursery rhymes and songs. • Perform songs, rhymes, poems and stories with others, and (when appropriate) try to move in time with music.