

	Reception 2025 -26					
	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Literacy	Books- My favourite stories, Colour Monster goes to School, Peace at Last, I'm not Scared. Autumn 1 little wandle phonics, Name writing, writing cvc words. Pathways to Write - We're Going to Find the Monster- Narrative	Books- People Who Help Us – Non-fiction, A superhero like you, Stories with a Christmas theme Simple sentences, Name writing, Story sequence, Autumn 2 little wandle phonics. Drawing Club - The Christmas Pine Pathways to Write - Festivals! - Simple captions	Books- Snow and Ice non-fiction, Castles non-fiction, Zag, Jack and the Beanstalk, The Great Race. Story writing, character description, setting description, non-fiction sentences. Drawing Club – Penguin	Books-, Whatever Next, Here Come the Aliens, My Most Exciting Eid, Non-fiction about chicks. Non-fiction writing, story sentences, character descriptions, Drawing Club- Aliens Love Underpants, Chicken Licken	Books- Pirate Pete. Character descriptions, story sentences, story writing, writing questions and non-fiction writing. Drawing Club – The Night Pirates. Pathways to Write- Clem and Crab - Retell the story and write a letter	Books-, Plants Non-fiction, The bug collector. Character descriptions, story sentences, story writing, writing questions, mini books and non-fiction writing. Drawing Club – The Enormous Turnip. Pathways to Write – Supertato - Retell of the story
Mathematics	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. Subitise. Compositions to 3. Patterns		Alive in 5, Mass and capacity, Growing 6,7,8, length, height and time, building 9 and 10, exploring 3D shapes.		To 20 and beyond, How many now?, manipulate, compose and decompose, sharing and grouping, visualise, build and map, making connections.	
Topic	Ourselves My Family/Where do I live? Day and Night	Celebrations People Who Help us Christmas	Castle Snow and Ice Chinese New Year	Space Eid Easter- New Life	Animals and their environments Pirates	Keeping healthy Plants and Mini beasts Holidays and moving on
Role play	Home Corner	Home Corner Emergency service depot	Castle Artic Village Chinese Banquet	Space station Garden Centre	Animal environments Pirate ship	Café Supermarket Home
EAD Expressive art and design	Junk Modelling Colour Mixing Construction Music- Hearing and listening	Construction Planning Crafts Dance Music- Winter performance (singing)	Junk Modelling Painting Sculpture Drawing using different medias Expressing feelings through art and dance.		Junk Modelling Sculpture Painting Drawing	
UTW Understanding the world	Families Maps Community Natural World Special Places Nocturnal animals Light and Dark Shadows Day and night	Local area Seasons Emergency Services Festivals Celebrations Local Area	Castles- Past and Present. Celebrations Snow and Ice- similarities and differences, polar regions, different environments.	Space- looking at different environments to ours, moon landings, and planets. Celebrations New Life- Explore the natural world, look and compare environments, changing seasons.	Farm, Jungle and Under the sea- comparing environments, exploring the natural world and comparing environments. Pirates- Map skills and comparing environments.	Keeping Healthy- Discussions about family and lifestyle. Plants and Mini beasts- comparing environments. Transition- Celebrating special times, past, present and future.
Physical Development	Basic introductory skills Basic Skills e.g. running, hopping, jumping, catching, throwing and climbing. Drawing Using tools	Fundamentals Movement Letter formation Tooth brushing	Gymnastics + Dance Developing control, strength, coordination, balance and agility. Balance Bikes Tooth brushing Pencil control linked to letter formation Scissor skills		Ball skills + Games Refining fine motor skills Tooth brushing Developing fluency, control, movement and strength. Letter formation	
RE	Being Special- Where do we belong?		What stories are special and why? Compare to Islam and Christianity Why is Easter special for Christians?		Why is the word 'God' so important to Christians? What places are special and why? Comparing Islam and Christianity	
PSED	Families, feelings, relationships, independence. Mini Minds Matter	Children's Interests Feelings Taking turns/sharing Resilience Persevering Mini Minds Matter	Building relationships, discussing feelings, resilience and perseverance. Mini Minds Matter	Looking at the perspective of others, healthy living and lifestyle. Mini Minds Matter	Valuing their individuality Respectful relationships Discussing feelings Mini Minds Matter	Thinking about the perspective of others Discussing own needs Mini Minds Matter
Other	Sandon Street – physical / senses Family Picnic	Visit from fireman/police/doctor High street library Winter Performance	Sandon street for snow and ice Castle Ball .	Mother's Day Performance	Farm Trip Booknic	Sandon Street for mini beast hunt Visit to Year 1 Father's Day Performance