

Area of Learning	Autumn I Feelings, friends and family self-understanding, emotional regulation, friendships, play, staying healthy	Autumn 2 Seasons autumn focus change in season, harvest, celebrations, performance	Spring I Our world In the moment planning term	Spring 2 Pets and farm animals Observation, showing interest in things familiar, appreciation of nature and animals	Summer I When I grow up, I want to be	Summer 2 Growing
Trips				Farm Living eggs		
Main curriculum link	Personal Social Emotional Development Communication and Language	Expressive Arts & Design	Maths Understanding the World	Understanding the world	Writing	Reading
	Increasingly follow new rules.  Begin to understand how others might be feeling. Teach emotions explicitly. I emotion a week.  • happy  • sorry  • kind  • angry  • worried  Help to find solutions to conflicts and rivalries.	Take part in simple pretend play.  Explore colour and colour-mixing.  Remember and sing entire songs.  Sing the pitch of a tone (high/low) Sing the melodic shape - moving up and down, (down and up) of familiar songs.	Exploring materials. Talk about the difference between materials. Talk about what they see.  Explore ad talk about different forces they can feel.  Know that there are different countries in the world and talk about the differences.	Understand the key features of a life cycle.  Begin to understand the need to respect and care for all living things.  Explore how things work.	Use a comfortable grip when holding pens and pencils.  Show a preference for a dominant hand.  Use some of their print and letter knowledge in their early writing. For example: writing a pretend shopping list that starts at the top of the page; write 'm' for mummy.	Understand the five key concepts about print:  - Print has meaning - Print can have different purposes - We read English text from left to right and from top to bottom - The names of the different parts of a book  Develop their phonological awareness Recognise words with the same initial sound, such



		Play instruments with	Solve real world		Write some letters	as money and		
	Develop their sense of	increasing control.	mathematical		accurately.	mother		
	responsibility and	, and the second	problems.			<ul> <li>Use magnet letters</li> </ul>		
	membership of a		Make comparisons			to spell a word		
	community.		between objects related			ending like ''at'.		
			to size, length, weight			Encourage children		
	Become more outgoing		and capacity.			to put other letters		
	with unfamiliar people,					in front to create		
	in the safe context of		Talk about and			rhyming words like		
	their setting.		identify the patterns			'hat' and 'cat'.		
			around them.			Use some of their print and		
	Show more confidence in					letter knowledge in their		
	new social situations.					early writing. For example:		
			We can talk about			writing a pretend shopping		
			similarities and			list that starts at the top of		
			differences of the			the page; write 'm' for		
			world, places and living			mummy.		
			things. We can					
			recognise how and why			Write some letters		
			we look after our pet.			accurately.		
			Explore animal habitats					
			and observe change.			I book a week plus 10 regular		
						books		
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10 key story books	<ol> <li>We're Going on a Bear Hunt</li> <li>Goldilocks and the Three Bears</li> <li>Guess how much I love you</li> <li>The Gruffalo</li> </ol>							
throughout the year			7. The Gruffalo 8. Whatever Next					
			9. Mr Big					
			10. The Colour Monster					
	5. The Three Little	Pigs	10. The Colour Monsier					
Mathematics	Begin to show 'finger	Knows that the last	Experiment with their	Talk about and explore	Make comparisons	Talk about and identify		
	numbers' up to 5.	number reached when	own symbols and	2D and 3D shapes (for	between objects relating	patterns around them. E.g.,		
	'	counting a small set of	marks as well as	example, circles,	to size, length, weight	stripes on cloths, designs on		
	Number rhymes and	objects tells you how	numerals.	rectangles, triangles	and capacity.	rugs and wallpaper.		
	-	many there are in total.		and cuboids) using	' '			



	songs.  Develop recognition of up to 3 objects	Link numerals and amounts: e.g., showing the right number of objects to match the numeral, up to 5.	Solve real world mathematical problems with numbers up to 5.  Support children to solve problems using fingers, objects and marks.  Draw children's attention to differences and changes in amounts, such as in stories.	informal and mathematical language: 'sides', 'corners', 'straight', 'flat', 'round'  Select shapes appropriately for building. Combine shapes to make new ones — an arch, a bigger triangle etc.  Understand position through words alone — e.g., 'The bag is under the table' — with no pointing.	Provide experiences of size changes. E.g., 'can you make the puddle larger?' 'What happens when you stretch play dough?'	Use informal language like, 'pointy', 'spotty', 'blobs' etc.  Notice and correct an error in a repeating pattern  Begin to describe a sequence of events, real or fictional, using words such as 'first', 'then'
		Simple Concepts Quantity empty full more lots	Simple concepts Space In Out Under Behind Top Bottom	Simple concepts Sound noisy quiet loud	Simple concepts Touch/look dry wet Movement fast slow	Simple concepts Size big little fat
Physical Development	Teach skills needed to use small and large equipment appropriately and safely.	Ball skills Skip, hop, stand on one leg and hold a pose for a game.	Take part in group games/teams.	Use and remember sequences and patterns of movements which are related to music and rhythm.	Crawl, walk or run across a plank, depending on its length and width.	Develop movement, balancing, riding (scooters, trikes and bikes)



	Paint and make marks.  Be increasingly independent as they get dressed etc and meeting their own care needs.  Make healthy choices.	Handling tools, choosing right resources to carry out their own plan.  Be increasingly independent as they get dressed etc and meeting their own care needs.  Make healthy choices.	Be increasingly independent as they get dressed etc and meeting their own care needs.  Make healthy choices.	Be increasingly independent as they get dressed etc and meeting their own care needs.  Make healthy choices.	Be increasingly independent as they get dressed etc and meeting their own care needs.  Make healthy choices.	Be increasingly independent as they get get dressed etc and meeting their own care needs.  Make healthy choices.
Music	Listen with increased attention to sounds.	Remember and sing entire songs.	Explore musical instruments.	Clap or tap to the pulse of songs or music, encouraging children to do this.	Sing the pitch of a tone sung by another person (pitch match)  Sing the melodic shape (moving melody, such as up and down, down and up) of familiar songs.	Play instruments with increasing control to express their feelings and ideas.
Phonics	Singing nursery rhymes.  Hearing for environmental sounds, especially when playing outside.  Story/circle times to build listening skills.	Silly rhyming strings — "it's so windy today — windy, mindy, sindy, kindy, lindy."  Read rhyming stories and join in with rhymes and repeated phrases.  Change the words of simple songs etc with rhyming words.	Spot and suggest rhymes Recognise and hear words with the same initial sound	Recognise and hear words with the same initial sound  Begin to oral segment and blend words (c-a-t, h-o-p)	Count or clap syllables in words  Begin to read some individual letters (with picture clues) by saying the sound aloud.	Use some of their print and letter knowledge in their early writing.  Read some individual letters by saying the sounds aloud.  Blend sounds into words so they can read short words made up of known lettersound correspondences.

