EYFS – Long Term Plan (2023-24)

The Prime Areas in EYFS are: Personal, Social and Emotional Development, Communication and Language, Physical Development. These areas underpin everything that we do in Early Years.

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Literacy	Colour Monster:	Christmas:	Looking after	Easter:	Mini-Beasts:	Celebrate
	*Creation of	*Stick Man	ourselves:	-The Easter	*Mad About	Summer:
All children are heard read 1:1 each	own colour	*Jesus	*Charlie & Lola	story	Minibeasts.	*Oi, Get off our
week.	monster and	Christmas Party	visits the	-The Rhyming	*The hungry	train
	talking about	*The Night	dentist.	rabbit	Caterpillar	*Summer
Phonics:	emotions (PSHE	Before	*Peppa Pig –	-We're going on	*The Bee Book	Poems
Essential Letters & Sounds (ELS)	link)	Christmas	Dentist trip	an Egg Hunt	*Superworm	*Sharing a Shell
The children take part in a phonics			*Aliens love		*Bug Hotel	
session every day, which incorporates	Little Red Hen	The Jolly	underpants	Sowing and		
phoneme recognition, letter	*Story Telling	Postman	*Supertato	Growing:		
formation, word writing and sentence	*Alternative	-Letter writing	*The Kings	*Vincent Van		
formation.	endings	-Story mapping	Pants	Gough –		
	Puppets &	(linked to		Sunflowers		
Creation Station:	Telling their	geography)		*Katie and the		
We have a 'creation station' where the	own story	-Role play		Sunflowers		
children have free access to writing,	*Writing	masks		*Eco Girl		
cutting and sticking resources.	opportunities	-Role play tags		*From Seed to		
Invitations to play are also added to	*Story ordering	for writing and		Sunflower (non-		
this area.		attaching.		fiction)		
	Squirrels that					
	Squabbled					
	(linked to PSHE)					
Maths	NCETM Maths	NCETM Maths	NCETM Maths	NCETM Maths	NCETM Maths	NCETM Maths
	Planning	Planning	Planning	Planning	Planning	Planning
Maths is incorporated in all areas of						
the continuous provision.	White Rose	White Rose	White Rose	White Rose	White Rose	White Rose
We have a maths corner with many	Maths Planning	Maths Planning	Maths Planning	Maths Planning	Maths Planning	Maths Planning
resources the children can freely	(covering	(covering	(covering	(covering	(covering	(covering
access.	pattern, shape	pattern, shape	pattern, shape	pattern, shape	pattern, shape &	pattern, shape &
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Art Rotation of medias each day: - Oil Pastels - Poster Paints - Dabbers - Watercolours - Paint sticks Junk modelling is a permanent feature in EYFS.	All about me: Self-portraits, with a focus on facial features and colours we use. Do we all look the same (links with PSHE). Andy Goldworthy Art – art plans	Colour Mixing – primary and secondary colours. Andy Goldworthy Art – art plans	Van Gough – Starry Night (focus on patterns).	Van Gough – Sunflowers (focus on shapes, colours, observational drawings, repeated patterns).	The children are revisiting learning from the previous terms in outdoor and indoor learning opportunities. Revisit – colour mixing. Clay work: creation of minibeasts.	The children are revisiting learning from the previous terms in outdoor and indoor learning opportunities. Revisit – Create a self-portrait and see progression.
D&T	Cause and Effect:	Rolling balls, stud	. •	ing different bubble	es, building with diffo compared to size, te	
Science (Linked to Understanding the World) We encourage every child to explore, problem solve, observe, predict, think, make decisions and talk about the world around them.	Autumn: Observe the changes in the season, the seeds that we discover on different trees, why some leaves change colour and fall and other don't. Exploring with magnets:	Hibernation: Hedgehogs – discover why hedgehogs hibernate (hedgehog house in Forest School). RSPB – The Big Garden Birdwatch (linked with Year 4).	Teeth Cleaning/Oral Hygiene: *Sorting Activity - healthy/not healthy? *Healthy lunchbox *Visit: Dental hygienist & Nurse PANTS (Linked with PSHE): *Body awareness *Design own pants	Spring: Observe the changes in the season: buds on trees, bulbs growing, changes in the weather etc.	Mini-Beats: *Class trip to Hinchingbrooke Park *The lifecycle of tadpoles (frog spawn brought into EYFS). *Mini-beast hunting in Forest School (and creation of clay models). *The importance of Bees and	Outdoor Water Play: Floating and sinking Holiday: Clothing you'd wear for a summer holiday. What fabric would you choose? Year 4 – Science Experiment: link with EYFS

	What's magnetic and what's not? Little Red Hen: -Baking Bread and watching the change in state. Talking about the texture of the ingredients used.	Looking after our bodies – the effect of exercise: *Linked to Jo Wicks and creating our own Joe Wicks workouts. Ice: Sea Creatures What is ice?	which bees produce honey? *Creation of bug hotel (sustainable, safe place for mini- beasts). Sowing & Growing: Observing the changes over time.	
History	*The children talk about their families and those significant in their lives right now (present). We talk to the children about their families following the home visits. *To know some similarities and differences between things in the past and now, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class (use of language: today, yesterday and tomorrow). *We read many stories and can make predictions about when this story was written from: the language used and the characters.			
Geography	Where do we live? *The children complete a s *Ashley Bear (our class ma far etc. *During our visit to the libr children can create their or *Comparison of where we a city different from where * Book focus: When reading	rary, photos are taken of the local are wn town. live to cities children have visited and we live (look at photos and videos). ng books, we look at creating maps for e children's walk to school. why?	ecognising print. the weekend. Makes links to travel, near and a and cellotaped to wooden bricks so the d London (often linked to current affairs). How is or treasure, walks, treasure hunts etc. This may	

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Music	Harvest Songs Singing Hands – Makaton (Good Morning) Nursery Rhymes - daily	Christmas Songs Singing Hands – Makaton (We wish you a Merry Christmas) Nursery Rhymes - daily	Singing Hands – Makaton (Give a Little Smile) Nursery Rhymes - daily	Easter Songs — I'm a spring chicken Singing Hands — Makaton Nursery Rhymes - daily	Singing Hands – Makaton Nursery Rhymes - daily	Ash Class Assembly: Mini- Beast songs (Out of the Ark) Nursery Rhymes – daily
RE We expose the Early Years children to the celebrations from our diverse faith calendar. We focus on faiths within our setting and also expose children to religions they may not be aware of.		Christmas (Christian Celebration) *The Christmas Story *Small world – nativity Diwali (Hindu Festival)	Chinese New Year – Year of the Dragon Shrove Tuesday and Ash Wednesday (Christian Celebrations)	Ramadam – Holy Month (Starts 11 th March) – Muslim Festival Holi (Hindu Holy Day) – 25 th March Easter 31 st March - (Christian Festival)	Eid 9 th -12 th April (Muslim Celebration)	Hanukah (Jewish Festival) Eid al adha 17 th – 20 th June (Muslim Celebration)
PSHE (Many links made throughout the planning frame.)	Think Equal: (weekly sessions) – Activities are also provided in the continuous provision. Emotion Station: We have an emotion in the classroom which supports children in recognising their emotions. We focus on the story 'The Colour Monster' for the first half term and many children link their feeling to a colour. We have emotion pebbles, fans, colour monster teddies, books, writing/drawing templates to support them in this area. PSE – Personal, Social and Emotional Development is a Prime Area in the EYFS Framework.					

Life Education Bus: All about my body.		