

Foundation Class Year Planner

These are overview themes recognising the links between some of our adult-led learning that may be developed upon in the continuous provision. We follow ITMP (In the Moment Planning) in the children's play and use Birth to 5 Matters as guidance to support our curriculum and understanding of development and progression.

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Theme	Me!	Mystery & Magic	Fairytales	Heroes	Minibeasts	Wonderful world
Key Events	Talk like a Pirate Harvest Halloween	Diwali Bonfire Night Remembrance Christmas	Chinese New Year Valentine's day	World Book Day Mother's Day Holi Easter	Bank Holiday Harwell Feast	Father's Day Sports Day Transitions
Drawing Club (PSED, CL, PD, Lit, M, UW, EAD)	Smeds and Smoos Night Pirates The Gruffalo Rainbow Fish	What's in the witch's kitchen? Aliens love underpants Room on the Broom Not Now Bernard	The Three Billy Goats Gruff Jack and the Beanstalk Little red Hen Who's been eating my porridge?	Supertato Smartest Giant in Town Smiley Shark	Superworm Bad-tempered Ladybird What the ladybird heard	The Bog Baby The tiger who came to tea The tin forest
Nature Focus (PSED, CL, UW, EAD)	Autumn Sticks, leaves, owls	Autumn Spiders, hedgehogs, birds	Winter Hibernation, Northern lights, rocks, nature art, worms, snow	Spring Rain, flowers, seeds, rainbows, baby animals	Spring/Summer Beans, butterflies, tadpoles, flowers, wind, storms	Summer Clouds, bees, herbs, sunshine and shadows, streams, fossils
PE and Swimming	Swimming – water confidence	PE - Gymnastics	PE - Dance	PE – Ball skills	Swimming -water confidence	Swimming – water confidence
RE (PSED CL UW)	What makes people special?	What is Christmas?	How do people celebrate?	What is Easter?	What can we learn from stories?	What makes places special?
PSHE (PSED CL UW)	Being me in my world	Celebrations	Dreams and Goals	Healthy me	Relationships	Changing me
Music & Rhyme (PSED UW EAD)	Autumn inspired Beat, Rhythm	Fireworks Christmas Play - Singing	Goldilocks song Fairy tale songs and rhymes	Vivaldi – 4 seasons, response to music	Minibeast rhymes and songs Cautious caterpillar	Carnival of the Animals Pitch
Visits/visitors	n/a	Autumn village walk & mapping	Posting a letter	Police/Firemen Lambing	Caterpillars / Frogspawn / eggs	Farms2ewe Church visit

Specific language focus – Drawing club, Helicopter Stories, Story Basket