

Whole year Curriculum overview											
Year Group	Advent				Lent			Pentecost			
F1	Look what I can do now	Why are the leaves falling down	Caring for pets	What is Christmas?	Why is it cold outside?	Traditional tales- Can I become a story teller?	Time to grow	Healthy eating- What do you like to eat?	How many colours in a rainbow?	It's summer time	People who help us
PSED	Circle times to support speaking and listening skills and forming relationships. Modelling in role play areas how to form relationships with new peers and adults. Introduce and model daily routines and classroom rules.				Circle times to develop speaking and listening skills, turn taking, forming relationships, talking about home and community and introduce ways of expressing feelings. Modelling in role play areas how to share resources and accept the needs of others and build up role play activity with other children. Reinforce understanding of daily routines and classroom rules.			Circle times to show confidence in speaking and listening skills, turn taking, forming relationships, talking about home and community and introduce ways of expressing feelings. Modelling in role play areas how to share resources and accept the needs of others and extend and elaborate role play activity with other children by initiating conversations. Secure understanding of classroom rules and behaviour expectations.			
Physical Development	Explores movement in a variety of ways through soft play, ring games, kimbles and action songs linked to topics. Introduced to using PE small apparatus. Begin to develop cutting and sticking skills. Introduce chunky mark making tools Disco dough Introduce fundamental dressing skills (putting on aprons/coats/ simple dress up clothes) Hand washing Scissor control- introducing using scissors and scissor safety				Develop movement in a variety of ways through soft play, ring games, kimbles and action songs linked to topics. Develop skills in using PE small apparatus. Continue to develop cutting and sticking skills. Develop control of using chunky mark making tools. Disco dough and digit disco Develop fundamental dressing skills (putting on aprons/coats/dress up clothes) Scissor control- using loop, adult assisted scissors – beginning to snip			Demonstrates skill when moving in a variety of ways through soft play, ring games, kimbles and action songs linked to topics. Applying and using skills in using PE small apparatus. Teach key vocabulary to describe the effects of activity on their body. Continue to develop cutting and sticking skills in art activities linked to topics Develop control and introduce medium sized mark making tools and begin to copy some letters. Disco dough and digit disco Develop fundamental dressing skills (putting on aprons/coats/dress up clothes) Scissor control- using loop, adult assisted or child scissors- snipping.			
Communication and Language	Speaking and listening sessions Peace at Last You'll soon Grow Titch!	Speaking and listening sessions Pumpkin soup Autumn Harvest Divali	Speaking and listening sessions Where have you two been? Spot Dear Zoo The zoo vet	Speaking and listening sessions The Christmas story. The Jolly Christmas postman. Santa comes to Leicester.	Speaking and listening sessions Winter Snow Bear and the Snow Cloud Whinnie in Winter Role play related to topic	Talk for Writing The Gingerbread man Goldilocks and the Three Bears The Three Billy Goats Gruff The Three Little Pigs	Talk for Writing Spring Spring animals Jaspers Bean On the Farm The Tiny Seed What's that noise? Easter	Speaking and listening sessions The Very Hungry Caterpillar Oliver's Vegetables	Speaking and listening sessions Duckies Rainbow Mrs Rainbow Planting a rainbow Elmer	Talk for Writing Summer Summer time Whinnie in summer Role play related to topic	Talk for Writing Non-fiction books – police, fire service, doctors. Diggers Role play related to topic

	<p>Five minutes Peace</p> <p>Role play related to topic</p> <p>Story time sessions: Cows in the Kitchen All about me Guess how much I love you</p>	<p>Smith the Lonely Hedgehog Where have you two been?</p> <p>Story time sessions: Weather Peace at Last Autumn stories</p>	<p>Paula the vet Tabby McTat Non-fiction Pet care books/posters.</p> <p>Role play related to topic</p> <p>Story time sessions: Harvest Pets Dogs Other animal/pet related stories</p>	<p>Lift flap book-who's present is this? Santa's 12 days of Christmas</p> <p>Role play related to topic</p> <p>Story time sessions: Christmas – non-fiction</p>	<p>Story time sessions: Winter non-fiction Stories about winter</p>	<p>The Little Red Hen</p> <p>Role play related to topic</p> <p>Story time sessions: Different versions of the above stories</p>	<p>Story time sessions: Spring non-fiction Stories about spring and farm animals</p>	<p>Eat your greens Goldilocks I will not no never eat a tomato Eat your peas</p> <p>Role play related to topic</p> <p>Story time sessions: Food related stories. Non-fiction books on where our food comes from</p>	<p>Whinnie the Witch The mixed up Chameleon</p> <p>Story time sessions: Snail Trail and other colour or art related books both fiction and non-fiction</p>	<p>Story time sessions: Summer non-fiction Stories about Summer</p>	<p>Story time sessions: Stories about different types of people doing different types of work</p>
<p>Understanding of the World</p>	<p>How our bodies grow. What we can do with our bodies – jump, run walk etc... Label the parts of the body. How to look after your teeth Busythings- Create a face. Photo of family at home visit. Talk about their family. Talk about favourite story books</p>	<p>Autumn Walk Autumn and the seasonal changes in around us Autumn animals - hibernation Diwali Bonfire night</p>	<p>Different pets and things they need. Noises pets make People who help pets when they are ill Role play- vets, looking after pets at home animal sound recognition- CD game- Busythings- worm world- caring for pets, animal muddle. Photos of their pets.</p>	<p>Christmas decorations and food from around the world. Role play- Nativity Story Puppets- Nativity Story Busythings- decorate the Christmas tree, Christmas presents. Christmas decoration day-whole key stage. Perform play to parents. Christmas party. Santa cam</p>	<p>Winter walk Winter and the seasonal changes around us Explore snow and ice Role play -winter area Create a mini world winter area Busythings - snowman Clothes sort – what we wear in the winter.</p>	<p>Make Gingerbread men, porridge, bread Bride building. House building for three pigs joining construction pieces. Busythings- Traditional Tales activities Watch different versions of the stories. Read traditional tales from around the world</p>	<p>Spring Walk Spring and the seasonal changes around us. What changes happen in spring to animals and plants Growing seeds. Observe changes in plants. Know the names of farm animals and their young. Busythings – create a spring flower. Clips of seeds growing, sunflower growing, farm animals. Mother's Day celebrations</p>	<p>Healthy eating, what food is good for us. Recognise and name vegetables and fruit What happens to food over time Healthy and unhealthy food sorting Food we like and dislike Clips of fruit or vegetables growing and then rotting. Busythings - Sandwich/pizza making Food from around the world, where food comes</p>	<p>Skittle Rainbows Rainy day pictures What makes a rainbow appear Busythings - colour mixing Clips of rainbows and colour/light catchers Kandinsky - the meaning of different colours for different people Share their favourite colour and why- family to share theirs</p>	<p>Summer Walk Summer and the seasonal changes around us. What Explore what we do outside in the summer time Clothes worn in summer and why. Busythings - create a summer scene. RE Link – Create God's wonderful world using CAFOD site</p>	<p>People who help us at home/school/ local community 'people who help' us to visit –what they do and why Clips of different jobs and how these people help us Busythings- design a building, people matching game Jobs around the world - how are they different/same</p>

	Parents encouraged to join in with stories.						Lent and Easter celebrations	from, where it grows. Food from the children's home cultures		Clips of what different people do in the summer Summer in other countries. Summer time celebrations	Jobs people in their family do
Expressive Arts and Design	Self Portraits. To begin to develop cutting and sticking skills. Rhyme time songs and songs related to topic. Musical instruments introduced to be used with simple songs.	Firework Pictures Autumn paintings and printing using natural objects – leaves, pine cones etc... Leaf rubbings. Leaf Hedgehogs or squirrels. Rhyme time songs and singing action songs related to autumn	Create pets using different collage materials. Role Play vets. Rhyme time songs and songs related to topic, using claps, instruments tapping, shaking to the beat.	Christmas decoration day- whole key stage Clay angels. Christmas play and songs. Christmas cards. Christmas Angel calendar presents. Christmas Wreath. Christmas photo frame Christmas puppets and crib.	To look at the work of the German expressionists – Der Blaue Reiter and Die Brücke and create winter paintings in these styles. Colour mixing on foil using cold colours to create a winter sky, tearing skills used to add paper winter tree. Snowman paintings. Painting with ice. Snowflake cutting skills. Winter role play – snow play, arctic animal play.	Role play each story. Story puppets. Create a gingerbread man Paintbrush skills- paint the goats and bridge following around a cut out shape. Songs related to topic.	Bottle print Blossom Spring flowers chalk and paint pictures Paper Flowers Baby farm animals multi-media pictures Mother's Day cards Easter Cards Songs related to topic.	Fruit and vegetable printing Role play the stories. Role play healthy eating café Songs related to topic.	To look at the work of Kandinsky concentric circles – painting challenge and cutting skills circles with paper. Know colour names, explore colour mixing - rainbows Songs related to topic.	Summer and Beach multimedia paintings using a variety of brushes. Role play going on holiday to the beach Songs related to topic.	Role play jobs: -Doctors surgery -Police helping -Fire service outside -Shop keepers -Cleaners Draw their favourite job Songs related to topic.
Eco		School Grounds		Litter	Marine	Energy	Biodiversity	Healthy Living		Waste & Water	Transport Global Citizenship