

# Year Group Curriculum Plan Reception

2023/2024	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
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Core Value RE Focus	Thankfulness F4 Being special, where do we belong? -To discuss what makes them special -To look at the differences and similarities of ourselves -To discuss our families and who lives in our home	Peace F2 Why do Christians perform nativity plays at Christmas? - To look at the Christmas story, the characters in the story, the setting and the importance of the story – that Jesus was born and he was a very special baby To look at the meaning behind Christmas -To retell the Christmas story using props -To discuss why Christmas is important to Christians	Hope F1 Why is the word God so important to Christians?	Love F3 Why do Christians put a cross in the Easter garden? What makes Mum special? -To understand the real meaning behind Easter -To retell the Easter story -To discuss why mothers are celebrated and why they are special -Easter 'messy church' day	F5 Which places are special & why?  -To investigate different special places in our homes and special buildings -Pentecost 'messy church' day To look at what makes the children special and why. Look at the term 'unique', what does this mean -What is the children's special place, why is it special? -Does a special place have to be a building or can it be anywhere? -Think about special places in our community – Rainbows, guides, Swimming etc. – What makes these special? Such as wearing a uniform, belonging to something - Talk about Church as a special place – Why is it special? What makes it special? Look at pictures of a Church. Look at \$t John's Church in Baildon more specifically. Does anyone	Community F6 Which stories are special and why? -To explore children's favourite books and discuss why -To talk about the Bible being a special book for Christians -To share stories from the Bible
Key P4C Texts and skills	All dogs walk and jump and run, but dogs don't fly - it can't be done, can it?	How can he show them that although he may look a little scary, he is just a great big softy	A book to offer inspiration	Explores themes of anxiety, cooperation, curiosity, responsibility and being a risk-taker.	go to Church? – Can they share their experiences?  Too  Explores themes of loneliness and friendship.	Explores themes childhood worries and how to overcome them.

#### **British Values** skills

#### **Democracy** We all have a voice

- -To express and justify my opinion
- -To know mine and others' views count
- -To understand the importance of teamwork
- -To make choices and begin to understand and respect the democratic process

## Individual Liberty How do I feel?

- -To develop an awareness of my own needs, views and feelings
- -To talk about how I feel
- -To be sensitive to and respect the feelings of others

## Rule of Law Living together and getting along (The Little Red Hen)

- -To know what is right/ wrong and can apply this in my life
- -To understand the need for rules

## **Mutual Respect and Tolerance** Everyone is special

- -To know that there are similarities and differences between people: likes, gender, appearance, abilities, families, cultural backgrounds, etc.
- -To know that people have things in common but everyone is unique.
- -To identify and respect the similarities and differences between people.

5-a-day class readers:

Multicultural **Traditional Bible** Poem / Rhyme **Non Fiction** 

Multicultural - Handas Surprise – following Handa as she walks to her friend



Traditional Tale Little Red Riding Hood



Bible - Ruth, Naomi and Boaz links to Autumn and worked hard and was rewarded



Non - Fiction

Multicultural -Walk the world a Christmas time



Traditional Tale – Cinderella



Bible – The Lost Sheep





Non – Fiction – The Bia **Book of Festivals** 



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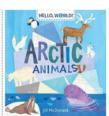


Traditional Tale – Where the wild hings are



Bible - The Two Sons





Non - Fiction -Arctic Animals



Multicultural – Mama Panyas Pancakes



Traditional Tale -Three Billy Goats Gruff



Bible - The House on







Non - Fiction -Imagine if Veggies



Non – Fiction – Endangered Animals

Multicultural – We all

went on safari

Traditional Tale –

**Enormous Crocodile** 

Bible - Animal Tales



Multicultural – This is how we do it?



Traditional Tales – The Princess and The



Bible - Ten Lost Coins







Non – Fiction – Bee

Personal. Social and **Emotional** Focus and skills

## Setting expectations and Rules **Exploring emotions**



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-To explore our feelings and emotions -To find out what makes a aood friend

## **Developing Routines in** school Fire Safety

- -To continue to establish routines in school
- -To ensure the children are aware of how to keep safe during bonfire night

## **Managing Feelings**

- -To discuss the importance of the environment and our impact
- -To continue to develop way to manage own feelings

## **Problem Solving**

- -To develop ways to problem solve
- -To continue to develop ways to manage feelings
- -Discuss points of view and listen to others ideas

## **Road Safety Opinions**

- -To develop an awareness of road safety
- -To consider others ideas and opinions

## **Water Safety** Transition

- -To develop awareness of water safety -Preparing for the transition
- to Year 1
- -Planning new beginnings (vear 1)
- -Explore changes

	-To settle into the routine of school					
Core Topic	Taking care of ourselves  - Health and wellbeing - Brushing teeth - Healthy lunches  Marvellous Me!	Let's Celebrate!	Winter Wonderland	Un-Traditional Tales	Into the Wild	Superheroes
	What makes me special?	How do you celebrate?	Can a polar bear and	Was the wolf really guilty?	Who lives in the woods?	Changes
		-	penguin be friends?			Do all superheroes wear capes?
Core Texts	RISSING HAND  Whater First  Wh	Bentla dearth Checks the Median  A HUNGRY LION  AND IN DESCRIPTION  AND IN THE CONTROL OF THE CO	LOST = FOUND  RUBY'S  CHINESE	THE TRUE STORY OF THE 3 LITTLE PIGS!	The Tiger Who Came to Tea GRUFFALO	STEERITATO Per lands ? Par Land
	THE COLOR MONSTER salva place demonstra	Notivity story	NEW YEAR NEW	O Ladybird First Favourite Tales  Gingerbread  Man	Oi! Get off our Irain  Dear  Corth	SUPERIERO SEED
		CARLO CARROLL				
		AND THE PROPERTY OF THE PROPER			help my world	
Writing Focus	Writing about our family	Writing about celebrations	Retelling a Story	Exploring different forms of		Writing a report
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Reading Focus and Skills	Comprehension  Opportunity to discuss and retell stories Picture books introduced for 1:1 reading  Word Reading Begin to link sounds to letters Recognise letters and link to sounds they make	Comprehension  Retell stories in their own words through small world and reading areas Introduce new vocabulary  Word Reading Model Blending and children to repeat blending	Comprehension  Anticipate key events in stories Exploring new vocabulary in texts  Word Reading Continue to model blending Linking sounds to letters Linking digraphs to sounds Reading confidently books with words	Comprehension  Making Predictions about traditional tales and non-traditional tales  Using the vocabulary from the text to retell the story in play.  Word Reading Tricky words and simple sentences	Comprehension  Discuss the use of persuasive vocabulary in stories  Word Reading  Tricky words and simple sentences Saying a sound for all letters of the alphabet Confident with at least 10 diagraphs Consistent blending	Comprehension Exploring new vocabulary Make predictions about text Discuss characters in the story Word Reading Saying a sound for all letters of the alphabet Confident with at least 10 diagraphs Consistent blending Reading books to match ability including tricky words and simple sentences
Reciprocal reading	Incredible You  YOU  The Very Last Leaf  LEAF	Cake by Sue Hendra  CAKE  We all Celebrate  Celebrate!	Winter sleep  Winter Sleep  Polar Bear, Polar Bear, What do you hear?	Focus on traditional tales: The Enormous turnip  Overstative transmitter  Hansel and Gretel  Hansel and Gretel  The Ugly Duckling  The Ugly Duckling	Let's go outside – Amy Pixton  Mad about Minibeasts – Giles Andreae  Mog The Forgetful Cat – Judith Kerr	There's a super hero in your book – Tom Fletcher  We're Moving  We're Moving  Sam Plants a sunflower

Number Focus and skills	

## Getting to know you

-Week 1 – counting animals Week 2 - Favourite counting nursery rhyme Week 3 - Positional language, sequencing the school day

#### Just like me!

Week 4 - Identify matching buttons Identify matching socks Describe size and shapes of lids Sortina buttons in groups Collecting natural material and sorting

Week 5- Match sizes Compare – more and fewer Compare taller and shorter Compare longer shorter Capacity using boxes

Week 6 - AB Patterns with natural objects AB Patterns with household items AB shape patterns Spot the mistake in repeated pattern Patterns using body and movement

#### It's me 1, 2, 3!

-Week 1 - Number 1

Number 2 Number 3 Number 1,2,3 Sorting objects and subitising Number 1,2,3 Memory aame Week 2 - Sorting 1,2,3 Sorting 1,2,3 – dominoes Matching pictures to the numerals 1,2,3 Find 1 more and 1 less Composition of 3 Week 3 - Sorting shapes triangles and circles Make shape pictures using triangles and circles Circles and triangles with real life obiects. Positional language – where's teddy? Positional language -

#### Light and Dark

obstacle course

events

Week 4 - Number 4 Number 5 Number 4 and 5 Composition of 4 Composition of 5 Week 5 - Composition of 4 and 5 Cube shapes with 4 and 5 Finding 1 more to a number Finding 1 less 1 more and 1 less Week 6 - Sorting rectangles and squares Shape hunt Rectangles and squares Day and night Sequencing

### Alive in 5!

-Week 1 - One Less Zero Composition of 5 Composition of 5 Equal and unequal groups Week 2 - Composition of numbers How many altogether? Composition of numbers – 3 groups How many are hiding? (animals) How many are hiding (cubes) Week 3 - Balance scales Full and empty Measuring

#### Growing 6.7.8

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Week 4 - Representing 6 Making 7 Making 8 Matchina 6,7,8. One more and one less Week 5 - Matching 6, 78 Making pairs Combining 2 groups Combining 2 groups Addina more Week 6 - Comparing height Comparing length Days of the week Measuring height Measuring time

#### Building 9 and 10

Week 1 - Representing 9 and 10 Sorting 9 and 10 in different ways Order numbers to 10 Composition of 9 and 10 Bingo -Numbers to 10 Week 2 - Counting backwards from 10 Comparing within 10 Comparing numbers within 10 Making 10 Making 10 Week 3 – Building 9 and 10 Matchina 3D Shapes Real life objects Making 3D Prints Patterns Movement Patterns

## Consolidation

Week 4 - Activities for: Composition of 5 Equal and unequal aroups Measurement Zero Week 5 - ctivities for: Combining 2 groups Length and height Number 6 Number 7 Number 8 Week 6 - Activities for: 3D and Pattern Assessment 3D and real life images Investigate 3D shapes Patterns

#### To 20 and Beyond

Week 1 - Number Patterns Matchina Pictures to numerals Ten frame fill Estimating Ten frame subtraction Week 2 - Missing Numbers Ordering Numerals to 20 Race to 20 Bingo Which holds the most?

Week 3 - Find my match shapes Find my match – Models Match and fill Replicate my shape Tangrams

## First, Then and Now

Week 4 - Counting On Adding More Adding More Adding Unknown Then Adding Unknown First Week 5 - Take Away with Pebbles Take Away Take Away Unknown Then Pass it on

Week 6 - Making new shapes – Trianales Makina new shapes – Sauares Grandpa's Quilt Tangrams Pattern Blocks

#### Find My Pattern

Week 1 - Doubles Doubling Double Dice game Double Barrier Game Double Dominoes

Week 2 - sharing Picnic -Sharina More people! Grouping (1) Grouping (2)

Week 3 - Even and Odd One Odd Day Even and Odd (2) Match – Barrier Game How Many Cubes

#### On the Move

Week 4 - Harry and his bucketful of dinosaurs adding and subtracting Mr Gumpy's Outing -Composition of number How many Legs? Problem solving Making Boats Problem solving, how many marbles can the boat hold? Building Bridges -Which bridge is the lonaest?

Week 5 - Cuisenaire Rods -Comparing lengths Cuisenaire Rods – Staircase Bean bag game -Composition of number and number bonds Patterns

#### Week 6 -

Making maps Journey to school Obstacle course X marks the spot Designing mazes

#### **Past and Present** skills

#### Harvest

-To find out about the transition of Harvest festival, beginning to talk about the need to respect and care for the natural environment. Harvest gifts

#### **Bonfire Night**

-Share experiences of Bonfire night, talking about differences between materials and changes they notice e.g. fireworks, fire, Guy Fawkes

## Talk about images from the past:

Changes to the environment in time

## Talk about images from the past:

#### Easter

Share traditions about Easter – the Easter games e.g. egg rolling,

#### **Eco-Warriors**

-Share how we care for the planet, understanding the need to respect and care for the natural environment and all living things. (linking to how

#### Transition

-Talk about what we have enjoyed in Reception and share our favourite times. -What are we looking forward to? \_Begin preparation of the transition into Y1.

	Grandparents All about me Family traditions	Talk about images from the past:  WW1 remembrance  Christmas -Share traditions of Christmas and advent, looking at similarities and differences between religious and cultural communities, drawing on own experiencesLook at Christmas presents from the past and compare to what the children are wishing for	<ul> <li>Look at the changes that have happened in the last 100 years.</li> <li>Talk about what is causing changes</li> <li>Talk about then and now</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Compare the clothes worn to events</li> <li>Look at Easter around the world</li> <li>How do you celebrate Easter?</li> <li>Gingerbread man bridges created changed etc What did your design look like?</li> <li>How did it turn out?</li> <li>Changes that were needed?</li> </ul>	humans have damaged it in the past)  -Explore other ways we can help the planet in the future, (showing respect and care for the natural environment and all living things.)	understanding that changes occurTalk about changes that we are preparing for.
People, Culture and Communities skills	- Find out what it means to be part of a school community - Talk about themselves and their family, where we live  Harvest - To find out about the transition of the Harvest Festival - Charity in our community	Bonfire Night -Share experiences of Bonfire night, talking about keeping safe  Christmas - Discuss how Christmas is celebrated around the world Traditions within our own families - Diwali - To learn about the story of Rama and Sita Understand some traditions in the Hindu faith around Diwali.	Community  - To think about what it is like to live in the Polar Regions  - What is it like to live in Baildon?  - Are all our homes the same?  - Share photos of us stood outside our homes  - Talk about the different types	Fairtrade Fortnight  - Look at the countries involved and how people are supported  - Understand some of the reasons it is celebrated  - Talk about some produce that is fair trade   Easter  - Understand how Christians celebrate Easter and the events in the run up  - Investigate traditions around the world	<ul> <li>Eco Warriors</li> <li>Share how we care for our school and local environment.</li> <li>Go on a local walk to discuss positive and negative things</li> <li>Share how we care for the planet</li> <li>Explore other ways we can help the planet</li> </ul>	Transition - Community within school and the transition to KS1
The Natural World skills	Develop curiosity and questioning skills -Find out about nocturnal animals by asking questions about what they have observed -To explore autumn vegetables, noticing and commenting on change in their environment and outdoors -Discuss what their observations tell them Changing Season -Begin to recognise the changing season, making observations about autumn.	Changing Season -Begin to recognise the changing season, making observations about winter Be able to talk about what is happening/changing	Light and Dark -explore the contrasts of light and dark, commenting on change in their environment and outdoors. Ask questions about what they have observed. Changes in State  -Explore the Arctic and Antarctic, recognising some environments that are different from the one in which they live -Discuss what to wear in different environments -Explore the globe	Life Cycle  -To find out about Spring animals, making observations, and identifying the habitats of some animalsTo complete "Eggsperiments", explaining why some things occur -Observe tadpoles and the life cycle of a frog. Animals that lay eggs	Animals  -To find out about animals around the world and their habitats and explain why some things occur.  -To explore why some animals are in threat, showing a knowledge that the environment and living things are influenced by human activity.  -To research ways in which we can help the world	Growing & Planting  -To plant a seed and care for it -To observe changes in a seed, discussing their observations -To know what a plant needs to grow check -Identify and name the different parts of a plantgrow geranium

	- Be able to talk about what is happeniong/changing		using simple geographical words – Observe changes of state of water and ice, making observations, showing an understanding of freezing and melting.			
Expressive Arts and Design – Creating with materials skills	Independence Accessing Resources -Explore independently accessing resources around the classroom to create a desired effect e.g. paint a self-portrait with more than one colour with the features appropriately placed and detailed.  -Explore independent colour mixing, using both powder paint and poster paint	Celebration Crafts  -Use scissors to cut desired shapes  -use a range of sticking material e.g. glue and sellotape to fix pictures to card.  -Make Christmas decorationsby fixing lolly sticks together  -Diva – working clay, manipulating different materials  DT: creating diva lamps using clay by shaping and moulding	Boat Design  Design and make a boat which floats and evaluate it, by joining materials using range of techniques e.g. cutting, sticking, tying.  DT  Making kites with recycled materials	Easter -Easter 'messy church' day -To complete their own observation drawings and paintings of Spring flowers -Easter cards -Create a mother's day card - Easter art  Bridge Design -To design and create a bridges for the gingerbread man to escape the fox -Make gingerbread men to test the bridge	Seasons -Summer changes  Eco-Warriors -Create a rubbish monster -To explore how we stop oil spreading in water	Superheroes -Design super heroes -
Cooking and nutrition	Pumpkin Soup	Cooking and Nutrition -Enjoy making a range of Bonfire treats; Toffee apples,	Cooking and Nutrition -Pancake café	Make Easter nests and buns, observing solids being heated to turn into a liquid.	1	To plan a superhero café to keep healthy. Cut fruit to create a superhero shield.
Expressive Arts and Design – Being imaginative and expressive skills	Harvest songs  Cauliflowers Fluffy Big Blue Tractor Clap your hands and wiggle your fingers song (maths)  -Exploring music and discussing how it makes us feel	Nativity songs  Twinkle, Twinkle Little star, Away in a Manger  Phonics songs  Alphabet song  -Exploring the sounds of instruments and how we can change them to create a desired effect	Exploring beat and rhythm  Alice the Camel 10 Green Bottles Let's Jam!	Easter songs Hey, Here Comes Jesus Jesus Remember Me  Adding sounds to stories 3 little pigs Gingerbread Man	Using instruments to retell stories  The Tiger Who Came to Tea  Animal Songs The Old Grey Cat, Animal Tea Party Little Green Frog Animal Fair  -adding sound effects -exploring rhyme	People Who Help Us  People Who help us Let's Be Friends Keeping Healthy  -Exploring rhyme

Art Skills	Art Skills Focus	Exploring Art with Nature	Piet Modrian	Colour Wheels and Rainbows	Collage	Arcimboldo Giuseppe
	Marvellous Me Topics  Children to use mirrors to spot what makes us special what are our features Pencil drawings Self Portrait Painting self	Creating pictures using natural materials  Following a seasonal walk, using resources to create a seasonal picture  Exploring clay	Children to explore primary colours through the work of Mondrain  Children to be in the painting area of the classroom being modelled how to effectively use paint pumps and powder paints	Children to explore mixing colours with poster paints and powder paints.	Linked to animals and camouflage  Children to explore using tissue paper to create animal patterns for different habitats.	Vegetable printing and collage skills
PE Focus	Yoga	Gymnastics	to mix primary colours.  Yoga & Mindfulness	Dance	Athletics	Athletics
skills	-Joining the adventures of Tatty Bumpkin as the children develop core strength skills -Follow instructions -Listen to instructions -Join in with a story  -To get dressed and undressed Independently   Gymnastics -Find out expectations for PE in school -develop core strength -basic gymnastic shapes, rolls and methods of travelling -Look at the presentation	-Find out expectations for PE in school -develop core strength -basic gymnastic shapes, rolls and methods of travelling -Look at the presentation  Dance -To follow instructions to create a simple dance routine -To create their own simple dance routines -Nativity dances	-To continue to develop core strength -To explore ways to relax  Games - Children will: -To develop the ability to throw accurately at a targetTo use throwing skills in a small sided gameDevelop the ability to control a ball in a range of waysTo be able to use a bat or racket to move and control an objectTo develop the ability catch and bounce a ballTo develop the ability to kick a ball.	-Listen to familiar songs and learn dance routines for: *I'm a Little Teapot' *Wheels on the Bus' *Heads, Shoulders, Knees and Toes' -Children will use the new routines to create their own dances.  Games Children will: -To develop the ability to throw accurately at a targetTo use throwing skills in a small sided gameDevelop the ability to control a ball in a range of waysTo be able to use a bat or racket to move and control an objectTo develop the ability catch and bounce a ballTo develop the ability to kick a ball.	-Running in different ways , navigating obstacles and jumping, landing safely -Throwing and catching	-To master basic running skills -To throw objects at a target  Sports day practice -To join in with sports day -To practise the basic skills
Physical Development Gross	Learn how to move freely and i slithering, shuffling, rolling, craw skipping, sliding, and hopping.		Learn to copy actions for nurser front of an audience.	ry songs when performing in	Learn how to move freely and i slithering, shuffling, rolling, craw skipping, sliding, and hopping.	,

	Explore healthy bopdies and minds		Learn to catch a large ball using the palms of their hands and fingers.		Manouver around the outdoor area with care and confidence Looking at healthy bodies and minds	
Physical Development Fine motor	Learn to use a tripod grip to form recognisable letters Learn to use scissors to cut along a line. Learn to use scissors to cut out regular shapes, e.g. square, rectangle, triangle and circle Learn to peel carrots using a vegetable peeler independently and safely		Learn to hold a pencil correctly and use it effectively for writing, forming letters correctly.  Completing puzzles, arts, crafts and developing confidence with control when using tools.		Learn to hold a pencil correctly and use it effectively for writing, forming letters correctly.  Completing puzzles, arts, crafts and developing confidence with control when using tools.	
Curriculum Enhancement/ Parental Involvement	-Stay and Play sessions -School environment walks	-Stories round the fire pit -Remembrance Day	-Church Visit -Changes to the outdoors/ observations	-Observing changing to hot/ cold temperatures.	-Nell Bank	-Vet visit -Bug houses
Home Learning Opportunities	Autumn Pictures Autumn animals / walk project	Learning lines for the Christmas nativity Sharing customs and traditions from home.	Penguin Project	Make bird feeders as part of their topic	Search the home for appliances and create posters. Tiger research	Planting seeds and keeping a plant diary