



Term	Term 1A	Term 1B	Term 2A	Term 2B	Term 3A	Term 3B
Overarching theme	All About Me	Senses Celebrations	Transport	People Who Help Us	Minibeasts	Farm Animals
Early Reading/ Phonics	Phase One – Environmental Sounds	Phase One – Instrumental Sounds	Phase One – Body Percussion	Phase One – Rhythm and Rhyme	Phase One – Alliteration and Voice Sounds	Phase One – Oral Segmenting and Blending
Purposes for Writing	Mark making – talking about the marks they make Self-portrait (Independent Write)	Creating KW group sensory books (That's not my...) Christmas cards Shopping list Letter to Santa	Valentine's Day cards Mother's Day Cards Money envelopes Designing own vehicle Self-portrait and name writing (Independent Write)	Group stories Eid Cards Easter cards Labelling Name writing	Name writing Father's Day Cards	Caption/Recount of trip Name writing Self-portrait and name writing (Independent Write)
Core Texts	It's My Birthday Ten Little Fingers and Ten Little Toes Five Minutes Peace From Head to Toe So Much Non-fiction – My First Body (DK books)	My Five Senses Polar Bear, Polar Bear, What Do You Hear? Brown Bear, Brown Bear, What Do You See? That's Not My... (touch) The Snowman The Christmas Story	We All Go Travelling By The Train Ride Who Sank The Boat? Maisie Goes by Plane Maisy's Chinese New Year Non-fiction – My first Things that go (DK books)	Charlie the Firefighter (Twinkl book) Burglar Bill Maisy Goes to Hospital The Easter Story Non-fiction – People Who Help Us – Fire Fighters, Police, Hospitals	Superworm The Very Hungry Caterpillar The Very Busy Spider Snail Trail Bee My Friend Non-fiction – First Facts Bugs (DK books)	A Farmer's Life for Me What the Ladybird Heard Farmer Duck Non-fiction - My First Farm Let's Get Working (DK books)

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		Non-fiction – What Do You Celebrate? By Whitney Stewart				
Becontree Author Focus (See Nursery List)	Nick Sharratt		Traditional Tales, Rhymes and Poems		Lucy Cousins	
Maths	Introduction to number 0-5 Rote counting to 5 Having awareness of space and size Number rhymes/ songs Showing up to 3 on fingers Completing puzzles		Rote counting to 5 and beyond Number rhymes/ songs Counting objects 0 to 3 Showing up to 5 on fingers Recognising numbers to 3 2D shapes Positional language Patterns		Counting objects 0 to 5 Recognising numbers to 5 Number rhymes/ songs with numbers to 10 Rote counting to 10 Attempting to write numbers 0-5 Comparing size, weight, height etc Developing mathematical vocabulary in play Comparing quantities and using language such as 'more than' 'fewer than' 2D and 3D shapes Positional language Patterns	
Key rhymes, poems and songs that children will learn Focus for the half term	Head, Shoulders, Knees and Toes I Have Ten Little Fingers The Finger Family Song If You're Happy and You Know It	Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star Five Senses Song Christmas Songs I'm A Little Snowman	Row Row Row Your Boat We All Go Travelling By Down at The Station The Wheels on the Bus	Miss Polly Had a Dolly Five Little Firemen Five Currant Buns Sleeping Bunnies	Incy Wincy Spider There's a Worm at the Botton of my Garden Baby Bumble Bee Fuzzy Wuzzy Caterpillar	Baa Baa Black Sheep Old MacDonald Had a Farm This Little Piggy Little Bo Peep
Parent partnership	Promoting Independence Workshop Parent/ teacher consultations Parent welcome day – 24.10.25	Communication and language workshop Parent welcome day (Christmas) – 12.12.25 (this day may change)	Fine Motor Skills/ Early writing workshop Parent welcome day – 13.02.26 Parent/ teacher consultations	Early maths workshop Sponsored Bunny Hop/ Easter Bonnet Parade Parent welcome day 27.03.26	Parent welcome day – 22.05.26	Parent welcome day – 10.07.26

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Mini themes, events, festivals, trips	Centenary Celebrations (week 3 and 4) Body Parts My family Colour Black History Month Harvest Festival Diwali 20.10.25	My Senses Autumn Bonfire Night 01.11.24 World Nursery Rhyme Week/ concert w/b 17.11.25 Christmas Christmas Concert	Counting traffic on the road Visit to Goodmayes Library Chinese New Year - 17.02.26 Little City Role Play	Visits from People who help us e.g. Police, Paramedic, lollypop lady, dentist, Pancake day - 17.02.26 Visit to Dagenham Fire Station World Book Day 05.03.26 Mother's Day 15.03.26 Easter Easter Bonnet Parade	Growing Caterpillars to Butterflies	Father's Day 15.06.25 Sport's day Foxburrows Farm Healthy eating
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