



Term Planner




Year: Nursery Term: 1 and 2 Topic: This is our life and Snap Crackle and Pop

Trip: Local to post box and church




Class book/s: Little Red Riding Hood / 3 Little Pigs / Funnybones / Winnie the Witch

Parent Workshop – Come and play and Christmas crafts

	Week 1 w/b 3.9.18	Week 2 w/b 10.9.18	Week 3 w/b 17.9.18	Week 4 w/b 24.9.18	Week 5 w/b 1.10.18	Week 6 w/b 8.10.18	Week 7 w/b 15.10.18	Week 8 w/b 22.10.18
Whole School	3rd TD day 6th Read a Book Day	New topics begin 10th 'Our Terrific Topic Opener' 14th National Teaching Assistant Day 14th Eco and School Councillors voted	21st International day of Peace -certificates based around peace	26th Macmillan Coffee Morning 26th European Languages Day	4th National poetry day 5th World Teachers' day		Y4 Legge House Book monitoring 17th Parents' evening 18th Parents' evening	Themed days to celebrate remembrance of WW1
Communication and Language	I'm special because... Story time in small groups. Mummy finger song	Rhymes. Listening to stories Polar bear story. What's your name song.	Lucy's picture story. I'm shy. Tiddler fish. Listening walk.	Little bear and his picnic lunch. Listening walks The big bad wolf quiz.	Funny bones. Sounds I know. Where is grandma?	Tree faces What are you good at? What happened to the wolf?	How are you feeling? What can you hear? How do we make soup?	Discuss all about me bags and WW1. Talk about families and siblings. And whether they are bigger or smaller.
Physical Development	Draw pictures of self. Toileting. Baby shark song. Kicking ball. Walking upstairs	Mount stairs and climb equipment. Tortilla faces. How to put on your coat. Taking off shoes.	Draws lines and circles. Cutting humpty pictures Dancing. Name writing	Cutting and sticking. Wanted pictures. Shoe changing. Name writing.	Catches ball and balances on one foot. Scone making. Picture recipe.	Walk to post box. Writing letters to the wolf. Move like a fox game.	Monster collage Making soup. Removing shoes Washing hands. Practicing our coats.	Practicing coats Removing shoes Cutting cucumber And buttering bread for snack.
Personal, social and emotional development	Settling in. Separating form parents.	Introduce superhero bear. Selecting own toys.	Feelings. Praise. Taking turns.	Friends feelings. Asking for help. Connect 4/ sharing	Play in groups and demonstrate friendly behaviour.	I am unique. Sharing games Implement reward wall.	Poorly bear- sort problems. How are you feeling?	All about me bags. Taking turns to share our toys.
Literacy	Recognise and write name. When I grow up book.	Funny words that sound the same. Looking at super bear photos. Reading books.	Library books. Humpty dumpty song. 1,2,3,4,5 caught fish.	Logos. Changing library books. 5 little monkeys Head shoulders knees and toes.	Sounds I know. Drawing lines and circles. Reading letters from Mr wolf.	Gingerbread man Story. Listen to the sound game and guess what it could be.	Topsy and Tim go to hospital. Change library books. Incy wincy spider game.	Looking at books that children used to wear. Singing party songs.
Mathematics	Height/eye colour chart. Coloured Dinos- counting 1-5 or 10 and above.	Numbers games Counting 1-5 or more. Counting amounts correctly.	Shape/Space Routines and what's next? Build house using shapes.	Positional language Matching shape, number and quantity.	Big vs little Counting games Hopscotch Number splat	Matching number to quantity. Sequence of events.	How much have we grown? What is money? Counting our money	Rations. Cutting food in half and half again. Matching mummies to babies game.
Understanding the world	All about me bunting. Collage bodies. Dentist visit Talking about family.	Discuss family photos. Similarities and differences.	Care and concern for living things. Guinea pig caring Explore humpty house. Blow painting	Technological toys Taking photos on ipad. Exploring the wolfs car. Forest walk.	Baby Photos. Have we changed? Who's in our family? Special times discussion.	Where might we see a river? Exploring school and pirate ship. Finding acorns and apples to paint.	Nurse visit What we do when were poorly? Shop visit to buy bread.	Party day- experiencing different foods from around the world.
Expressive arts and design	Paint themselves. Finger paint tree. Pizza faces	Joins in with singing and dancing.	Role play Arts and crafts	Construction Arts and crafts Lolly stick house.	Instruments. Arts and crafts Cornflour scones	Poo play dough Cutting & sticking on gingerbread man	Doctors and nurses colouring. Writing why people are poorly.	WW1 clothing painting. Learning our colours.
Number of the week	One	Two	Three	Four	Five	Six	Seven	Eight
Word of the Week	Girl/Boy	Ears	Eyes	Hands	Mouth	Nose	Body	

Opportunities for								
British Values 	Where we belong	All About Me	Google maps	I am special because	I am special because	I am special because	I am special because	I am special because
Outdoor Learning 	Keeping safe outdoors	Nature walk	Vision walk	Mud brushes	Use field for parachutes.	Tree faces	Den making	WW1
Local Links 	Where we are in comparison to the location of our class			Our locality				
Topic book	Picture and name	Fingerprint tree	I am special	Next step	Clay tree faces	Parent inv.	My parent thinks	Pic collage
Environment	Home corner, family life, reading – This is your Life, turning into Santa's grotto in December							
Rhyme	Hello/goodbye song	Green frog	1,2,3,4,5	Teddy bears picnic	This is the way		Miss Polly	

	Week 9 w/b 5.11.18	Week 10 w/b 12.11.18	Week 11 w/b 19.11.18	Week 12 w/b 26.11.18	Week 13 w/b 3.12.18	Week 14 w/b 10.12.18	Week 15 w/b 17.12.18
Whole School	9 th Fireworks	Anti Bullying week KS2 Feeling Safe survey 16 th certificates based on being a good friend 16 th Children in Need		30 th St Andrew's day	5 th KS2 Christmas dinner 6 th EYFS & KS1 Christmas dinner 7 th Christmas fayre	All topics end EYFS and KS1 Christmas plays	19 th Christmas at the church 20 th Christmas party days 21 st Christmas Jumper day
Communication and Language	Fire safety I'm a rocket Review a book.	Artist- Jackson Pollock What his painting look like?	What makes me amazing?	Christmas show	Santa got stuck up the chimney Elf song	Nativity rehearsals We wish you a merry xmas	The Christmas story
Physical Development	Brush firework pictures Firework play dough	Pipe cleaner colander Toilet roll rockets	Drawing spiders Walking like a spider Balancing on benches.	Writing invites for show	Wrapping station Xmas cards	Adventure zone Parachute games	Moving to music – dancing with rhythm and responding to different rhythms.
Personal, social and emotional development	Row your boat encouraging friendships.	Forest fire – behaviours and boundaries			Walking to post-box routines and boundaries	Games- sharing Turn taking sharing	Games- sharing Turn taking Waiting
Literacy	Looking at books in the campsite. Who's in the book and what are they doing?	Whatever next Look at book to make a rocket.	Argh spider	Stickman/ Topsy & Tim go to hospital. Rudolph the red nose reindeer	Jolly Christmas postman Letters	Aliens love pantaclaus	The Christmas story Looking at different Christmases in our all around the world book.
Mathematics	Rocket shapes Unifix matching cards and glass beads.	5 little men Name rockets	Peg numbered spider	Positional language- making stickman	Heavy/light parcels	Addition and subtraction with presents	Matching number to quantity in shopping game
Understanding the world	Diwali Henna painting Fire lady visit Visit form mums in Shari's	Police visit Web painting	Dentist visit Bug hotel Spider webs	Nurse visit Collect stick for stickman	Postman visit Where do you live? Visit to post box to post our Santa letters.	Santa visit	What we do at Christmas? Party games
Expressive arts and design	Salt dough lamps Art rocket tray Firework brush painting.	5 Little men Splat painting Making webs.	Tin foil spiders Drain pipe spider	Design you own stickman Stickman pants	Xmas cards Jolt postman pants	Paint on ipad pictures of Christmas trees or Santa.	Painting Drawing Party
Word of the Week	Diwali	Police	Spider	Hospital	Letter	Santa	Christmas

Opportunities for							
British Values 	Democracy – we are going to learn to vote by sing unifix or people for or book to read						
Outdoor Learning 	Splat painting	Bug hunting in the bug hotel	Exploring the forest	Find sticks in forest – use for a variety of reasons	Walk to post box	Present hunt with numbers	Bark rubbing
Local Links 	We are going to make visits to the local church whilst going here to look at surrounding environment and to make comparisons with other areas.						

Summary of topic:

This is our life

This topic has worked well and allowed observations to focus on children’s interests and the way they learn. All children have settled into nursery happily and effectively. The children loved the Grandma and big bad wolf so focused more time on this focus. We used hot seating and based our golden rules on helping the wolf to be part of our happy class and keeping our rules. The children have already established a routine and we have had good parental feedback.

Snap, crackle and pop

This topic again worked really well for this time of the year and encouraged language development which related to real life experiences (fireworks). The children are really growing in confidence and are really enjoying the democracy that we have introduced and taking on the ownership for their own learning. Children are starting to play with others and friendship groups and sharing of experiences are emerging. Funnybones and Argh spider stories the children loved and wanted to learn more. Curiosity cubes were introduced in this topic. Daily routines are embedded and expectations are becoming more established.

A very creative and exploratory term that engaged all children and allowed risk taking.

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