

Reception Termly Expectations

	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Communication and Language	<p>Understand how to listen carefully and why listening is important.</p> <p>Develop social phrases.</p> <p>Engage in story times.</p> <p>Listen carefully to rhymes and songs, paying attention to how they sound.</p> <p>Learn rhymes, poems and songs</p>	<p>Learn new vocabulary and use new vocabulary through the day. Use new vocabulary in different contexts.</p> <p>Listen to and talk about stories to build familiarity and understanding.</p> <p>Retell the story, once they have developed a deep familiarity with the text, some as exact repetition and some in their own words.</p> <p>Listen to and talk about selected non-fiction to develop a deep familiarity with new knowledge and vocabulary.</p>	<p>Ask questions to find out more and to check they understand what has been said to them.</p> <p>Articulate their ideas and thoughts in well-formed sentences.</p> <p>Connect one idea or action to another using a range of connectives</p> <p>Describe events in some detail.</p> <p>Engage in non-fiction books.</p> <p>Listen to and talk about selected non-fiction to develop a deep familiarity with new knowledge and vocabulary.</p>
Personal, Social, and Emotional Development	<p>See themselves as a valuable individual.</p> <p>Build constructive and respectful relationships.</p> <p>Express their feelings and consider the feelings of others.</p> <p>Identify and moderate their own feelings socially and emotionally.</p> <p>Think about the perspectives of others.</p> <p>Manage their own needs.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Personal hygiene • healthy eating • tooth brushing 	<p>Show resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge.</p> <p>Express their feelings and consider the feelings of others.</p> <p>Identify and moderate their own feelings socially and emotionally.</p> <p>Think about the perspectives of others</p>	<p>Know and talk about the different factors that support their overall health and wellbeing: regular physical activity</p> <p>Sensible amounts of 'screen time'</p> <p>Express their feelings and consider the feelings of others.</p> <p>Identify and moderate their own feelings socially and emotionally.</p> <p>Think about the perspectives of others</p>

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • having a good sleep routine • being a safe pedestrian 		
Physical Development	<p>Revise and refine the fundamental movement skills they have already acquired: • rolling • crawling • walking • jumping • running • hopping • skipping • climbing</p> <p>Develop their small motor skills so that they can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently. Suggested tools: pencils for drawing and writing, paintbrushes, scissors, knives, forks and spoons.</p> <p>Develop the skills they need to manage the school day successfully: • lining up and queuing • mealtimes</p>	<p>Progress towards a more fluent style of moving, with developing control and grace.</p> <p>Use their core muscle strength to achieve a good posture when sitting at a table or sitting on the floor.</p> <p>Confidently and safely use a range of large and small apparatus indoors and outside, alone and in a group. Develop overall body-strength, balance, co-ordination and agility.</p>	<p>Develop the overall body strength, co-ordination, balance and agility needed to engage successfully with future physical education sessions and other physical disciplines including dance, gymnastics, sport and swimming.</p> <p>Further develop and refine a range of ball skills including: throwing, catching, kicking, passing, batting, and aiming. Develop confidence, competence, precision and accuracy when engaging in activities that involve a ball.</p> <p>Develop the foundations of a handwriting style which is fast, accurate and efficient</p>
Literacy	<p>Read individual letters by saying the sounds for them.</p> <p>Blend sounds into words, so that they can read short words made up of known letter–sound correspondences.</p> <p>Read some letter groups that each represent one sound and say sounds for them.</p> <p>Read a few common exception words matched to the school’s phonic programme.</p>	<p>Read a few common exception words matched to the school’s phonic programme.</p> <p>Read simple phrases and sentences made up of words with known letter–sound correspondences and, where necessary, a few exception words.</p> <p>Re-read these books to build up their confidence in word reading, their fluency and their understanding and enjoyment.</p> <p>Form lower-case and capital letters correctly.</p>	<p>Form lower-case and capital letters correctly.</p> <p>Spell words by identifying the sounds and then writing the sound with letter/s.</p> <p>Write short sentences with words with known sound-letter correspondences using a capital letter and full stop.</p> <p>Re-read what they have written to check that it makes sense.</p>

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<p>Understanding of the world</p>	<p>Talk about members of their immediate family and community</p> <p>Name and describe people who are familiar to them.</p> <p>Comment on images of familiar situations in the past.</p> <p>Describe what they see, hear and feel whilst outside.</p> <p>Understand the effect of changing seasons on the natural world around them.</p>	<p>Compare and contrast characters from stories, including figures from the past.</p> <p>Explore the natural world around them</p> <p>Understand the effect of changing seasons on the natural world around them.</p>	<p>Draw information from a simple map</p> <p>Understand that some places are special to members of their community.</p> <p>Recognise some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries.</p> <p>Understand the effect of changing seasons on the natural world around them.</p>
<p>Expressive Arts</p>	<p>Sing in a group or on their own, increasingly matching the pitch and following the melody.</p> <p>Explore and engage in music making and dance, performing solo or in groups.</p>	<p>Develop storylines in their pretend play.</p> <p>Watch and talk about dance and performance art, expressing their feelings and responses.</p>	<p>Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings. Return to and build on their previous learning, refining ideas and developing their ability to represent them. Create collaboratively, sharing ideas, resources and skills.</p> <p>Listen attentively, move to and talk about music, expressing their feelings and responses.</p>
<p>Mathematics</p>	<p>Count objects, actions and sounds</p> <p>Explore the composition of numbers to 10.</p> <p>Continue, copy and create repeating patterns.</p>	<p>Compare numbers.</p> <p>Understand the 'one more than/one less than' relationship between consecutive numbers.</p>	<p>Subitise.</p> <p>Link the number symbol (numeral) with its cardinal number value.</p> <p>Count beyond ten.</p>

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	Compare length, weight and capacity.	Select, rotate and manipulate shapes to develop spatial reasoning skills. Compose and decompose shapes so that children recognise a shape can have other shapes within it, just as numbers can.	Automatically recall number bonds for numbers 0–5 and some to 10.
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