


Nursery Curriculum map

 Nursery		Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
INTENT		Our ambitious, knowledge-rich curriculum has been sequenced to equip our pupils with the knowledge and skills to ensure they are happy, healthy global citizens ready to take their place in modern Britain. The broad and balanced curriculum is creative, coherent and inclusive and, together with our Christian values (Koinonia, Compassion, Hope, Wisdom, Trust and Worth), enables the pupils to be self-motivated, independent learners.					
Prime Area	Communication and Language	The development of children's spoken language underpins all seven areas of learning and development. Pupils will engage in back-and-forth interactions with adults and peers, in a language-rich environment, to develop this. Communication and language development is a focus in all areas of our curriculum; focus words and sentence stems will be identified and used each week to aid this. Pupils will also engage in a communication carousel four times a week to build vocabulary and oracy.					
Prime Area	Physical Development	Repeated and varied opportunities to explore and play with small world activities, puzzles, arts and crafts and the practice of using small tools to develop proficiency, control and confidence.					
Prime Area	Personal, Social and Emotional Development	Self Regulation Managing Self Building Relationships	Self Regulation Managing Self Building Relationships	Self Regulation Managing Self Building Relationships	Self Regulation Managing Self Building Relationships	Self Regulation Managing Self Building Relationships	Self Regulation Managing Self Building Relationships
Specific Area	Literacy	Environmental sounds	Little Wandle Foundations for Phonics	Little Wandle Foundations for Phonics	Little Wandle Foundations for Phonics	Little Wandle Foundations for Phonics	Little Wandle Foundations for Phonics
		Poems requiring actions <i>(Poetry Basket 2 - All About Me)</i>	Traditional Nursery Rhymes	Poems requiring actions <i>(Poetry Basket 2 - Weather and the Natural World)</i>	Traditional Nursery Rhymes	Poems requiring actions <i>(Poetry Basket 2- Dinosaurs)</i>	Poems requiring actions <i>(Poetry Basket 2- Minibeasts/Animals)</i>
Specific Area	Maths	Cardinality and Counting	Comparison	Composition	Pattern	Space and Shape	Measure
Specific Area	Understanding the World	It's Good to be me	Let's Celebrate	Our Wonderful World: Countries and Travel	Our Wonderful World: Plants	People who Help us	Animals and me
Specific Area	Expressive Arts and Design	Children will have access to a range of mark making and other art materials throughout the year to build their imaginations and creative skills.					
		Talk 4 Writing and Helicopter Stories will be used to support children in recounting, adapting and inventing narratives.					
		Children will work on reciting rhymes and poems, singing songs, playing instruments and moving in time to the music.					
Religious Education	Christianity: Who made the Wonderful World?	Christianity: Why is Christmas Special for Christians?	Christianity: Why do Christians Believe Jesus is Special?	Christianity: What is so Special About Easter?	Christianity: Who Cares for this Special World and Why?	Christianity: How did Jesus Rescue People?	

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