

EYFS Long Term Curriculum Plan

Nursery



Statement of intent for curriculum in EYFS

In the Early Years Foundation Stage at St Mary's Catholic Primary school and Nursery, we believe in providing a secure foundation for future learning and development for our pupils. We continuously encourage pupils to be independent, curious, creative and resilient learners who show respect for each other, their communities and the environment. Through our teaching and learning strategy, we develop pupils' communication skills, ensuring that they know how to appropriately express themselves and feel heard. By establishing effective and supportive relationships with pupils, our EYFS aims to ensure that pupils feel valued as an individual, are empowered to meet their own needs and enjoy their learning experience whilst achieving the early learning goals.

EYFS Long Term Curriculum Plan - Topic Overview						
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Cycle 1	Superheroes/ People who help us Autumn	The Frozen World Christmas (3 weeks)	Space	Farm Easter	Mini beasts	Summer/The Seaside
Cycle 2	Rainforests	People who help us/Into the woods/Autumn Christmas (3 weeks)	Transport/Tra vel	Dinosaurs Easter	Once upon a time	Under the sea/Pirates

*Festivals and Celebrations will be covered throughout the year at the appropriate times.



Long Term Plan - Cycle 1 - NURSERY

		Autumn 1 Topic: Superheroes/ People who help us	Autumn 2 Topic: The Frozen World / Christmas	Spring 1 Topic: Space	Spring 2 Topic: Farm / Easter	Summer 1 Topic: Mini Beasts	Summer 2 Topic: Summer/The Seaside
Hook/Memorable experience/trip/visitor		Bacup Fire station visit PCSO Autumn Walk	Christmas nativity, Party and visit from Santa. Christmas Trip	Space Day	Chicks/Tadpoles in class Smithhills Farm Trip - EYFS	Butterflies in class Bug hotel	EYFS Summer trip
English links - Texts NB Mark making opportunities will be on-going throughout the year		Super Duck Super Worm Super Kid Ten Little Superheroes My Mum is Supermum! Superbat!	Stickman The Dinosaur that Pooped Christmas Gruffalo Gruffalo's child A Christmas Story	Aliens love underpants The Dinosaur That Pooped a planet Whatever Next!	The Easter Story The Chicken Book Rosie's walk Where's my egg? Tractors	Superworm The Very Hungry Caterpillar Snail and the Whale Yucky Worms!	Where's everybody going? Picnic Whimpy Shrimpy Oi! Get off our train! Hooray for fish!
Phonics Letters & Sounds On completion of Letters and Sounds, children who are ready will move onto RWI.		Aspects 1-7 *Nursery rhymes will be ongoing throughout the year					
Maths links NB basic counting and number learning on-going all year across all topics		Counting songs/nursery rhymes Number language More/less/lots Colours Numicon Sorting 2D Shape	Concept of number Counting to 10. Counting out quantities from a larger group Measurement/Size Comparison	Counting out from a smaller group. Matching quantity to Numicon Making Patterns	Selecting a given amount from larger quantities Sharing quantities between 2 Counting to 10	Recognising numerals 0-5 Recording using marks/symbols.	Matching quantities Recognising numerals Recording using marks/symbols Consolidate counting to 10.
RE Following the Come & See Scheme of work		Domestic Church: Myself Baptism/Confirmation: Welcome	Advent/Christmas: Birthday	Local Church: Celebrating	Eucharist: Gathering Lent/Easter: Growing	Pentecost: Serving Reconciliation: Friends	Universal Church: Our World
PSED		Rules and routines Caring for others Making friends Fire safety/Community heroes	Staying safe on Bonfire night Christmas spirit: love and kindness, joy and goodwill.	My family celebrations	Life Caravan: looking after myself Acts of kindness	Being brave and helping others Building good friendships	Healthy me Staying safe in the sun and near water Safety with transport
PE		FMS - Superworm	FMS - How to Catch a Star	FMS - Space	FMS - Rosies Walk	FMS - Mini Beasts	FMS - Seaside
Understanding	Geography	Where do I live?	What animals live in the polar regions? Where are the polar regions?	Where is the moon?	Where do food and animals come from?	Where do they come from? Where do they live and what do they eat?	Holidays around the world Transport Comparing other beaches to British beaches

	History	Black History Month Mary Seacole	Remembrance Day Bonfire Night Guy Fawkes	Space landings			
	Science		Winter clothing Melting / ice investigations Floating/Sinking Seasonal changes	Earth and other planets Can we breathe in space? How do we get to space? Who works in space? Day/night	Job of a farmer Farm animals/animal coverings Life cycle of a hen Use of senses Plant & animal growth	Naming and classification Different ways of moving Habitats Life cycle of a butterfly	Shadows What animals live at the seaside? Seasonal changes
	Computing	Learning the basic on/off on nursery equipment Basic mouse skills Daily software games to develop operational skills	Bonfire digital artwork			Programmable toys, remote control toys	Staying safe on the computer
Expressive Arts & Design/ Role Play Area NB home corner with enhancements will be on-going across the year	Superhero headquarters Police station/fire station/hospital Shape fire engines / large scale team painting	North Pole/Santa's Workshop Autumn/Winter, Christmas craft	Dark den with rocket /Space investigation Star constellation artwork	Farm Shop Woolly Sheep art Easter Craft	Adventurers on the climbing frame Symmetrical butterfly paintings	Ice cream shop/Punch & Judy/Summer themed area Lentil starfish	→
Art	Jackson Pollock		Mondrian		Georges Seurat		
DT		Gingerbread men - food/nutrition	Junk Model Rockets - structures		Bugs - textiles		

Long Term Plan - Cycle 2 - NURSERY

		Autumn 1 Topic: Rainforests	Autumn 2 Topic: People who help us/ Into the woods/Christmas	Spring 1 Topic: Transport/Travel	Spring 2 Topic: Dinosaurs/Easter	Summer 1 Topic: Once Upon a Time	Summer 2 Topic: Pirates/Under the Sea
Hook/Memorable experience/ trip/visitor		Zoo Lab visit	Police/Fire Fighters visit, Christmas nativity, party and visit from Santa	Plane Spotting	Chicks/Tadpoles in class	Butterflies in class	EYFS end of year farm trip
English links - Texts NB Mark making opportunities will be on-going throughout the year		Walk through the Jungle Elmer Tiger who came for tea Dear zoo	Traditional Tales/ The Dinosaur that Pooped Christmas Gruffalo/Gruffalo's child	Mr Gumpy's Motor Car Duck in the Truck The Train ride Cars and Trucks and things that go Cars!	The Dinosaur that pooped series Cave Baby Harry & The Dinosaurs The Easter Story	Not now Bernard Fairy Tales Otto Bear Cinderella The Three Little Pigs	Where's everybody going? Whimpy Shrimpy Oi! Get off our train! The rainbow fish Munch, Crunch, Pirates Lunch.
Phonics Letters & Sounds On completion of Letters and Sounds, children who are ready will move onto RWI.		Aspects 1-7 *Nursery rhymes will be ongoing throughout the year.					
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PE Following the ICC Scheme of work for PE		FMS - Rumble in the Jungle	FMS - Superworm	FMS - Transport	FMS - Mini Beasts	FMS - Castles	FMS - Seaside
PSED		Rules and routines Caring for others Making friends	Staying safe on Bonfire night Christmas spirit: love and kindness, joy and goodwill.	My family celebrations	Life Caravan: looking after myself Acts of kindness	Being brave and helping others Building good friendships	Healthy me Staying safe in the sun and near water Safety with transport
Understanding of the World	Geography	Which animals live in the rainforest? Comparing British wildlife to rainforest animals	Seasonal changes Local environments	Exploring transport Travelling across the sea/air/land	Where does animal food come from? Where do animals live?	Where are castles located?	Holidays around the world Transport Comparing other beaches to British beaches Who are Pirates?
	History	Black History Month	Mary Seacole Remembrance Day Bonfire Night Guy Fawkes	First car/plane Who made the first car/plane?	When did Dinosaurs exist? Survival of Dinosaurs	What were castles used for? Who lives in them?	Do Pirates exist today? How do they travel? Seasonal changes

					Recognise different traits Fossils		
	Science	Planting vegetables and plants in the garden	Winter clothing Seasonal changes	Moving vehicles - materials	Life-cycles Plant & animal growth	On-going observations and care for our plants, animals and vegetables Life cycles	Shadows 
	Computing	Learning the basic on/off on nursery equipment Basic mouse skills Daily software games to develop operational skills				Programmable toys, remote control toys	Staying safe on the computer 
	Expressive Arts & Design/ Role Play Area NB home corner with enhancements will be on-going across the year	Campsite/Vets Shape printing Elmer models	Goldilocks and Three Bears house/ Santa's workshop Autumn/Winter, Christmas craft	Train Station Painting with cars Transport/Travel crafts.	Adventurers on the climbing frame Easter Craft	Castle Creating own castle prints and shields	Ice cream shop/Punch & Judy/Summer themed area Symmetrical butterfly paintings
	Art	Jackson Pollock		Mondrian		Georges Seurat	
	DT	Structures - Toilet roll trees			Easter Cards	Dragon biscuits - food/nutrition	