	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Theme	Marvellous Me and Autmnn	Festivals & Celebrations	Winter Wonderland and traditional tales Traditional Stories	Hungry Caterpillars (Spring & Easter)	Animals around the world	Superheroes
Things we will cover	Myself and my family Things I like to do Where I live and who I live with Our school community Autumn	 Autumn Bonfire night Diwali Remembrance Sunday Christmas 	Winter Arctic Antarctic Animals Habitats Chinese New Year Storytelling. Looking at how stories have changed over time. What do they tell us?	 Mother's day Planting New Life Easter Pancake day Minibeasts Life cycle of a butterfly 	 Animal and habitats Animals in queensbury compared to animals in different countries Summer Under the sea 	 People who help us Emergency services Transition

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			Read different versions of the same stories.			
Books we will be looking at and potential writing opportunities	The Colour Monster goes to school. Super Duper You! Peepo The Hugasaurus Pumpkin Soup The Leaf thief Writing opportunities: Ascribing meanings to marks Story mapping	 Room on the broom Little red hen The story of Rama and Sita The Stick Man The Jolly Christmas Postman The Christmas Story Writing opportunities: Letter: from the witch Instructions: potions Story sequencing: nativity Christmas lists Letters to Santa Fact books Story maps 	 The Polar Bear and the Snow Cloud Lost and found Non-fiction texts One Snowy Night I love Chinese New Year Goldilocks and the three bears The gingerbread man Writing opportunities: Instructions for pancakes Fact posters 	 Supertato – The Great Eggscape The Odd Egg Mr Wolf's Pancakes Who is in the egg? Jasper's Beanstalk The very hungry caterpillar The tiny seed Writing opportunities: Labels: plants, lifecycles Instructions: how to look after an egg or a plant Wanted posters Maps 	 The Gruffalo What The Ladybird heard Giraffe's can't dance Rainbow fish Non-fiction books and factfiles Writing opportunities : Story maps Character descriptions: Gruffalo Instructions: how to roar 	 Super Daisy 10 Little Superheroes My Mum's a superhero Handa's surprise Non-Fiction texts Spreading my wings Writing opportunities: Instructions: how to Build a house for Three Little Pigs Lists: Things we need Postcards Fact files: different countries

Early Years 2024-25 Maps • Lists: Fact files: Story writing: shopping list animals innovate the for school trip Riddles: Who endina (Coop to buy am I? ingredients) linked to sea • Letters: to the creatures park keeper to say thank you. **Nursery rhymes** Wind the bobbin up 5 little men in a When Incy wincy spider Five little Hickory dickory dock flying saucer goldilocks went monkeys Heads, shoulder Twinkle twinkle Little Bo Peep to the house of swinging in a knees and toes Wheels on the bus little star Row, row, bears tree Nursery rhyme Five little ducks row I'm a little Jack and Jill week went swimming teapot Old one day Jingle Bells Macdonald In My Grass House Firework Poem By Hey, let's go! **Poems** Chocolate Cake Hallabaloo! My Shell By James Carter I wish By James By Shirley Hughes by Michael Rosen By James Matt (Reception) Goodfellow I'd Been Present at Carter Easter Acrostic Carter Out Christmas Past By Poem - Children and About By Paul Cookson The Shirley write together Snow by F. Ann Hughes Elliott Diwali food tasting 'Awe and Learn about our Chinese Easter bonnet Gruffalo's Growing school environment Banquet and parade Tea Party beanstalk wonder' Bonfire party Dragon dance Autumn Seasonal Mother's Day Farm visit Fire brigade Trip to Skipton Farm enrichment Walk crafts Christmas Ice surprises Father's day visit wonderland Porridge Gardening and Police visit tastina growing our own Nursery rhyme Nurse visit plants week Gingerbread Den building decorating Christmas sparkle The Nativity

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Nursery Communication and language



The development of children's spoken language underpins all seven areas of learning and development. Children's back-and-forth interactions from an early age form the foundations for language and cognitive development. The number and quality of the conversations they have with adults and peers throughout the day in a language-rich environment is crucial. By commenting on what children are interested in or doing, and echoing back what they say with new vocabulary added, practitioners will build children's language effectively.

Reading frequently to children, and engaging them actively in stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems, and then providing them with extensive opportunities to use and embed new words in a range of contexts, will give children the opportunity to thrive.

Through conversation, story-telling and role play, where children share their ideas with support and modelling from their teacher, and sensitive questioning that invites them to elaborate, children become comfortable using a rich range of vocabulary and language structures. Throughout the year children will develop these listening skills

- •Responding to questions and instructions directed to them
- •Following 2 part instructions
- •Taking part in short exchanges with others listening and responding to adults and peers
- •Taking turns in conversation
- •joining in with repeated refrains in rhymes and stories/ re-tell recite some familiar songs/ rhymes/ stories Throughout the year children will develop these speaking skills
- Articulating and speaking clearly
- •Speaking in 4-6 word sentences
- •Explaining feelings in simple terms i.e. I am sad because....
- •Expressing wants and needs, such as asking for particular resources
- •Using simple conjunctions to connect ideas such as 'and' and 'because'
- •Using some positional language
- •Retelling a story/ event (not always in correct order)
- •Joining in with repeated refrains in stories/ rhymes

Reception Communication and language



- Understand how to listen carefully and why listening is important.
- Engage in story times, rhymes, and songs.
- Maintain attention in whole class/groups.
- Follow 1 step instructions.
- Understand 'why' questions.
- Use sentences 4-6 words.
- Use talk to organise play.
- Learns new vocabulary.
- Listens to and talks about stories to build familiarity and understanding.
- Is developing social phrases.

- Listen in familiar & new situations.
- Engage in story times.
- Maintain attention in new situations.
- Ask questions to find out more and to check they understand what has been said to them.
- Follow instructions with 2 parts in a familiar situation.
- Start a conversation with peers and familiar adults and continue for many turns.
- Develop social phrases
- Listens to and talks about stories to build familiarity and understanding.
- Is able to describe events in some detail.
- Uses new vocabulary in different contexts.

 Listen attentively in a range of situations.

- Maintain attention during appropriate activity.
- Engage in nonfiction books.
- Consider the listener and take turns.
- Use talk to organise/stand for something else in play.
- Begin to use past tense.
- Begin to recount past events.
- Listens to and talks about stories to build familiarity and understanding.
- Listens carefully to rhymes and songs paying attention to how they sound.
- Learns rhymes, poems and songs.
- Listen to and talk about selected nonfiction to develop a deep familiarity

- Understand why listening is important.
- Maintain attention in different contexts.
- Use talk to help work out problems and organise thinking and activities explain how things work and why they might happen.
- Ask questions to find out more and check understanding.
- Articulate their ideas and thoughts in well-formed sentences.
- Listen to and talk about selected nonfiction to develop a deep familiarity with new knowledge and vocabulary
- Begin to connect one idea or action to another using a range of connectives.
- Describe events in some detail.
- Listens to and talks about stories to build familiarity and understanding.

- Listen and understand instructions while busy with another task.
- Maintain activity while listening.
- Understand how, why, where questions.
- Describe events in some detail.
- Express ideas about feelings and experiences.
- Articulate their ideas and thoughts in wellformed sentences.
- Use language to reason.
- Listens to and talks about stories to build familiarity and understanding.
- Makes comments about what he/she has heard and asks questions to

- Listen and respond with relevant questions, comments, or actions.
- Attend to others in play.
- Make comments and clarify thinking with questions.
- Retell the story once they have developed a deep familiarity with the text; some as exact repetition and some in their own words.
- Speak in wellformed sentences with some detail.
- Use new vocabulary in different contexts.
- Express ideas and feelings about his/her experiences using full sentences.
- Use past, present, and future tenses in conversation with peers and adults.
- Listen to and talk about stories to build familiarity and understanding.

and need	us of the children.	E	Early Years 2024-25		
			with new knowledge and vocabulary Is able to describe events in some detail.	clarify understanding.	Use conjunctions to extend and articulate their ideas. Listens to and talks about stories to build familiarity and understanding. Particiaptes in small group, class and one-to-one discussions, offering their own ideas and using recently introduced vocabulary.

Nursery
Physical
development
*Gross motor
skills
*Fine motor
skills

- Putting on coat
- Hanging up our coats.
- Taking off shoes and socks
- Knowing how to use the outdoors safely.
- Sweeping, balancing climbing
- Mark making
- Snipping with scissors
- Hand washing
 - Dough disco
 - Squiggle whilst you wiggle

Zipping up a coat

Dough disco

- Chalking
- Hand washing/hygiene
 - Moving freely jumping on and off objects over and through balancing and climbing equipment
 - Squiggle whilst you wiggle

- Knowing what makes us healthy
 - Putting on gloves/scarves
 - Dough disco
 - Squiggle whilst you wiggle
- Forming letters with correct pencil grip
- Using tools scissors/pencils/brush es
- Learn about eating a range of healthy foods
- Dough disco
- Squiggle whilst you wiggle

- Forming letters
 using the correct
 formation
- Using tools scissors/pencils/ brushes correctly
- Dough disco
- Kicking/passing/ rolling
- Squiggle whilst you wiggle

- Forming letters using the correct formation
- Using scissors/pencils/brush es correctly
- Simple games & adapting the rules/scoring
- Competitive games (winning and losing)
 - Dough disco
 - Squiggle whilst you wiggle

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Ongoing throughout the year

- 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.
- 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 spoon.
- Use their core muscle strength to achieve a good posture when sitting at a table or sitting on the floor.
- Develop overall body-strength, balance, co-ordination, and agility.

Computing that links to physical development by the end of early years.

- To know how to use an iPad or tablet appropriately.
- To know how to use my fingers on a touch screen, and control a mouse/touchpad on a computer.

Reception
Physical
development
*Gross motor
skills
*Fine motor
skills

- Putting on coat
- Hanging up our coats.
- Taking off shoes and socks
- Knowing how to use the outdoors safely.
- Sweeping, balancing climbing
- Pencil grasp
- Mark making
- Snipping with scissors
- Hand washing
- Dough disco (see progression document)

- Zipping up a coat
- Chalking
- Dough disco (see progression document)
- Forming initial letters
- Hand washing/hygiene
- Moving freely jumping on and off objects over and through balancing and climbing equipment
- Make short firework dances.
- Explore dynamics of travelling.
- Respond to music from various festivals.
- Make plates of dough food for special occasions
- Make junk models e.g. rockets for bonfire
- Talk about healthy practices.
- Develop our fine motor skills doing things like painting

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 Forming letters
 - Knowing what makes us healthy
 - Putting on gloves/scarves
 - Dough disco (see progression document)
 - We will
 continue to
 develop our
 find motor skills
 and pencil
 control using
 'dotty font'
 letters, tracing
 activities and
 using a range
 of small tools
 - Making playdough: white, glittery
 - Make playdough snow flakes
 - Cutting skills: making paper snowflakes
 - Cosmic Kids Yoga: Frozen
 - Keeping warm and safe in winter: winter clothes,

- Forming letters with correct pencil grip
- Using tools scissors/pencils/br ushes
- Learn about eating a range of healthy foods
- Dough disco (see progression document)

- Forming letters using the correct formation
- Using tools scissors/penci ls/ brushes correctly
- Dough disco (see progression document)
- Kicking/passi ng/rolling
- To begin to show accuracy and care when drawing.
- To hold a pencil effectively in preparation for fluent writing- using the tripod grip in almost cases.

- Forming letters using the correct formation
- Using scissors/pencils/ brushes correctly
- Simple games & adapting the rules/scoring
- Dough disco (see progression document)

and noo	Early Years 2024-25
	outside using large brushes, chalking round lines, digging and planting seeds and bulbs, threading beads. Playing near iced water Moving our bodies like snowflakes, snow storms, wind, rain etc lee fine motor play: scooping up ice and transferring it between containers.
Ongoing throughout the year	 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. 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 spoon. Use their core muscle strength to achieve a good posture when sitting at a table or sitting on the floor. Develop overall body-strength, balance, co-ordination, and agility. Revising and refining the fundamental movement skills he/she has already acquired; eg walking, crawling, running, jumping, hopping, climbing and skipping. Computing that links to physical development by the end of early years. To know how to use an iPad or tablet appropriately. To know how to use my fingers on a touch screen, and control a mouse/touchpad on a computer.

PE	Me and Myself	Movement and development	Throwing and catching	Ball skills	Fun and games	Working with others
Nursery Personal social and emotional development *Self-regulation *Managing self *Building relationships	 Transitioning to school Learning to self-regulate and how Learning about who can help me in the limportance of good hygiene Routines of classroom Making friends Sharing resources 	•	safety • Building confidence in trying	ers behaviour and its consequences or a class g turns es needs and feelings ips with adults and children	To be able to talk about a understanding of growth an Speaking to others confiderating account of one an organise their activity Talking about own ideas Being able to say which a others Being able to say what the	d decay over time dently nother's ideas about how to activities they like more than

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Talk about their feelings using words 'sad, happy, angry or worried'

Begin to understand how others might be feeling

Talk with others to solve conflict

Develop appropriate ways of being assertive

Increasingly follow rules, understand why they are important and do not always need an adult to remind them of a rule.

Play with one or more children, extending and elaborating play ideas

Help to find solutions to conflict and rivalries e.g. accepting not everyone can be Spiderman in the game and suggesting other ideas

Show more confidence in new social situations

Become more outgoing with unfamiliar people, in the safe context of their setting

Develop their sense of responsibility and membership of a community

Select and use activities and resources, with help when needed. This helps them to achieve a goal they have chosen, or one which is suggested to them.

Computing that links to PSED by the end of early years. This will repeated throughout nursery and reception.

- I can wait a short amount of time for something I want e.g.: a computer loading / an App to work.
- I know how to complete a familiar task independently and with support will try new things. E.g.: a computer programme / Beebots.
- I can select tools and resources that I need to complete a task of my own choosing.
- I know how to be safe online.
- I know that a password is secret.

Early Years 2024-25 SCARF SCARF SCARF SCARF **SCARF SCARF** Me and My Relationships **Valuing Difference Growing and Changing Keeping Safe Rights and Respect** Being my Best Looking after People who Me and my Marvellous me! What does Growing and help me and myself friends my body I'm special changing in keep me safe Looking after need? Friends and nature People who are Safety Indoors others special to me family I can keep When I was a and Outdoors Looking after my trying baby Including What's safe to environment Girls, boys and everyone I can do it! go into my families body

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Reception Personal social and emotional development

- *Self-regulation
- *Managing self
- *Building relationships



- Can talk about feelings.
- Welcome distractions when upset.
- Increasingly follow rules.
- Know likes and dislikes.
- Independently organise belongings in the morning.
- Manage personal hygiene.
- Build constructive and respectful relationships.
- Manages own needs around personal hygiene.

SCARF Me and My Relationships

- All about me
- What makes me special
- Me and my special people
- Who can help me?
- My feelings
- My feelings (2)

- Beginning to express their feelings and consider the perspectives of others.
- Recognise they are a valuable individual.
- Begin to take turns and share resources.
- Think about the perspective of others.
- Independently choose where they would like to play.
- Continue to build constructive and respectful relationships.
- Know and talk about the different factors that support overall health and wellbeing.

SCARF Valuing Difference

- Show pride in achievements.
- Understand behavioural expectations of the setting.
- Can explain right from wrong and try to behave accordingly.
- Manage their own needs.
- Can identify kindness.
- Seek others to share activities and experiences.

SCARF Keeping safe

- What's safe to go onto my body
- Keeping
 Myself Safe What's safe to
 go into my
 body (including
 medicines)
- Safe indoors and outdoors

- Can make choices and communicate what they need.
- Begin to show persistence when faced with challenges.
- Can keep play going by cooperating, listening, speaking, and explaining.
- Can reflect on the work of others and self-evaluate their own work.
- Know and talk about the different factors that support overall health and wellbeing eg toothbrushing, screentime.

SCARF Rights and respect

- Looking after my special people
- <u>Looking after my</u>
 <u>friends</u>

- Beginning to know that children think and respond in different ways to them.
- Can talk about their own abilities positively.
- Confident to try new activities
- Show resilience and perseverance
- Can set and work towards simple goals

Is able to

- wait for what he/she wants and control immediate impulses when appropriate.
- Know and talk about the different factors that support overall health and

- Able to identify and moderate own feelings.
 - See themselves as a unique and valued individual.
 - Can seek out a challenge and enjoy the process.
- Show sensitivity to others' needs and feelings.
- Is beginning to regulate behaviours accordingly.
- Give focused attention to what the teacher says, responding appropriately even when engaged in activity.
- Shows an ability to follow instructions involving several ideas or actions.

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		 I'm special, you're special Same and different Same and different families Same and different homes I am caring I am a friend 	Listening to my feelings Keeping safe online People who help to keep me safe	Being helpful at home and caring for our classroom Caring for our world Looking after money (1): recognising, spending, using Looking after money (2): saving money and keeping it safe	wellbeing- road safety. Form positive attachements to adults and peers. Works and plays cooperatively taking turns. SCARF Being my best Bouncing back when things go wrong	 Can set and work towards simple goals. Shows sensitivity to the needs of others. Works and plays cooperatively taking turns. SCARF Growing and changing
					 Yes, I can! Healthy eating My healthy mind Move your body A good night's sleep 	 Life stages - plants, animals, humans Life Stages: Human life stage - who will I be? Getting bigger

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Nursery Literacy RETELLING AND RECALLING VOCABULARY ACQUISITION PREDICTION

- Joins in with familiar rhymes and stories:-
- Singing Nursery Rhymes
- Hears and uses new vocabulary from stories, rhymes,
- Joins in with familiar rhymes and stories
- Singing Nursery Rhymes Hears and uses new vocabulary from stories, rhymes, poems and nonfiction books
- Story times/ topic learning Sequences

- Joins in with familiar rhymes and stories
- Singing Nursery Rhymes
- Hears and uses new vocabulary from stories, rhymes, poems and non-fiction books
- Joins in with familiar rhymes and stories
- Singing Nursery
 Rhymes
- Hears and uses new vocabulary from stories, rhymes, poems and non-fiction books Story times/ topic

learning Sequences

- Joins in with familiar rhymes and stories
- Singing Nursery
 Rhymes
- Hears and uses new vocabulary from stories, rhymes, poems
- Joins in with familiar rhymes and stories
- Singing Nursery Rhymes
- Hears and uses new vocabulary from stories, rhymes, poems and nonfiction books

Early Years 2024-25 stories/ events (not poems and nonstories/ events (not Story times/topic and non-fiction Begins to predict always in order) fiction books learning Sequences always in order) books what might happen is Identifies stories/ events (not Identifies characters/ Begins to predict stories Story times/topic characters/ always in order) settings/ events in what might Story times/topic learnina settings/ events in Identifies stories happen is stories learning Sequences stories Story times/ topic stories/ events (not characters/ Story times settings/ events in Knows that print carries learning always in order) stories meaning and is read, Sequences Identifies characters/ in English, from left to stories/ events settings/ events in Story times Knows that print right (not always in stories Reading Area Story times carries meaning order) Identifies and is read, in Knows that print English, from left to characters/ carries meaning and right settings/ events in is read, in English, Reading Area stories from left to right Reading Area Story times Knows that print carries meaning and is read, in English, from left to right Reading Area

and need	us of the children.		Early Years 2024-25			
Nursery Writing	 Mark making using mark making tools in trays of sand etc. Using larger paintbrushes to paint with. Using chunky chalks on the ground outside. Manipulating play dough with variety of tools Draw some marks on paper, not always distinguishable 	Mark making using mark makers such as chunky chalks, paintbrushes, pens Following large pattern templates Draw some marks on paper, not always distinguishable	Mark making using pens/pencils/chalks/paintbrushes Follows large pattern outlines such as wavy lines or straight lines Can give meaning to the marks they make	Mark making using pens/ pencils/ chalks/ paintbrushes Follows large pattern outlines such as wavy lines or straight lines Can give meaning to the marks they make	Uses pens/pencils/paintbrushes with developing tripod grip. Can draw some recognisable pictures and give meaning to the marks they make	Uses pens/ pencils/ paintbrushes with developing tripod grip. Forms some letter shape Can copy or write their own name Writes for a range of purposes i.e. shopping list, letter, a picture (not always using correct letters.)
Reception Literacy	Listen and enjoy sharing a range of books. Hold a book correctly, handle with care. Know that a book has a beginning and an end and can hold the book the right way up	Experience and respond to different types of books, e.g., story books, factual/real-world books, rhyming and non-rhyming stories, realistic and fantasy stories. Respond to 'who', 'where' 'what' and 'when' questions linked to text and illustrations.	Use picture clues to help read a simple text. Make a simple prediction based on the pictures or text of a straightforward story that is read aloud to them.	Retell stories in the correct sequence, draw on language patterns of stories. With prompting, show understanding of many common words and phrases in a story that is read aloud to them.	Comprehension: Correctly sequence a story or event using pictures and/or captions. Make simple, plausible suggestions about what will happen next in a book they are reading.	Play influenced by experience of books - act out stories through role play activities, using simple props (e.g. hats, masks, clothes, etc.) and appropriate vocabulary. Innovate a known story.

and turn some
pages
appropriately.
Know that text

- Know that text in English is read top to bottom and left to right.
- Know the difference between text and illustrations.
- Recognise some familiar words in print, e.g., own name or advertising logos.
- Enjoy joining in with rhyme, songs and poems.
- Explain in simple terms what is happening in a picture in a familiar story.
- Complete a repeated refrain in a familiar rhyme, story or poem being read aloud.

- Make simple inferences to answer yes/no questions about characters' emotions in a familiar picture book read aloud to them, with prompts.
- Sequence two events from a familiar story, using puppets, pictures from book or role-play.
- Show understanding of some words and phrases in a story that is read aloud to them.
- Express a preference for a book, song or rhyme, from a limited selection.
- Play is influenced by experience of books (small world, role play).

- Suggest how an unfamiliar story read aloud to them might end.
- Give a simple opinion on a book they have read, when prompted.
- Recognise repetition of words or phrases in a short passage of text.
- Play influenced by experience of books
- Innovate a well-known story with support.

- Know the difference between different types of texts (fiction, nonfiction, poetry)
- Make inferences to answer a question beginning 'Why do you think...?' in a picture book that has been read to them, where answer is clearly signposted.
- Play influenced by experience of books - gestures and actions used to act out a story, event or rhyme from text or illustrations.
- Anticipates, where appropriate, key events in stories.
- Demonstrates an understanding of what has been read to them by retelling stories/narrative

- Recall the main points in text in the correct sequence, using own words and include new vocabulary.
- When prompted, say whether they liked or disliked a book, and give a simple justification or make a relevant comment.
- With prompting, sometimes show understanding of some less familiar words and phrases in a story that is read aloud to them.
- Uses and understands recently introduced vocabulary.

Early Years 2024-25 using their own words and recently introduced vocabularly. Word Reading: Word Reading: Word Reading: Word Reading: Word Reading: Word Reading: Read individual letters Read individual Read some tricky Hear general sound by saying the sounds for letters by saying Read some letter Read some letter words from Phase 4 the sounds for them. them. discrimination and be groups that each groups that each e.g. said, like, have, Blend sounds into words. Blend sounds into able to orally blend represent one sound represent one so that they can read words, so that they and segment. and say sounds for sound and say Re-read what they short words made up of can read short sounds for them. them. have written to known letter-sound words made up of Read simple phrases Read simple check that it makes correspondences. known letter-sound and sentences made up phrases and Read a few common sense. correspondences. of words with known exception words sentences made matched to the school's Read a few letter-sound up of words with phonic programme. common exception correspondences and, known letterwords matched to where necessary, a sound the school's phonic few exception words. correspondences programme. and, where necessary, a few exception words. **Emergent writing: Emergent writing: Emergent writing: Emergent writing: Emergent writing:** Emergent writing: Continue to build Show awareness of Develop listening and Copies adult writing Use appropriate Build words using letter the different speaking skills in a on knowledge of letters for initial behaviour e.g. writing sounds in writing. range of contexts. letter sounds to audience for writing. on a whiteboard, writing sounds. Aware that writing build words in Write short messages. Composition: communicates meaning. writing. sentences with words Makes make marks and Orally compose a Give meaning to marks Composition: Use writing in with known letterdrawings using sentence and hold it in they make. Orally compose a sound play. increasing control. memory before sentence and hold it correspondences in memory before attempting to write it

 ds of the children.		Early Years 2024-25			
Understand that thoughts can be written down.	 Know there is a sound/symbol relationship. 	attempting to write it.	and use simple conjunctions.	Use familiar words in their writing.	using a capital letter and full stop.
 Write their name copying it from a name card or try to write it from memory. Composition: Use talk to organise 	 Use some recognisable letters and own symbols. Write letters and strings, sometimes in clusters like words. Composition:	Spelling: • Spell to write VC and CVC words independently using Phase 2 graphemes.	 Spelling: Spell to write VC, CVC and CVCC words independently using Phase 2 and phase 3 graphemes. Spell some irregular 	Composition: • Write a simple sentence with a full stop.	Composition: Write a simple narrative in short sentences with known letter-sound correspondences using a capital letter
describe events and experiences. Spelling:	 Use talk to link ideas, clarify thinking and feelings. Understands that thoughts and stories can 	Handwriting: Shows a dominant hand. Write from left to	common (tricky) words e.g. the, to, no, go independently.	Spelling: • Spell words by drawing on knowledge of	 and full stop. Write different text forms for different purposes (e.g. lists,
 Orally segment sounds in simple words. 	be written down.	right and top to bottom.	Handwriting:	known grapheme correspondences.	stories, instructions. Begin to discuss features of their own
 Write their name copying it from a name card or try to write it from memory. 	 Spelling: Orally spell VC and CVC words by identifying the sounds. 	Begin to form recognisable letters.	Holds a pencil effectively to form recognisable letters. Know how to form clear ascenders and	Make phonetically plausible attempts when writing more complex unknown	writing e.g. what kind of story have they written. Write simple letters
Know that print carries meaning and in English,	• Write own name.		descenders.	words. Handwriting:	and phrases that can be read by others.
is read from left to right and top to bottom.	Handwriting:			Form most lower-	
Draws lines and circles.	 Form letters from their name correctly. Recognise that after a word there is a space. 			case letters correctly, starting and finishing in the right place, going the right way round and correctly orientated.	 Spelling: Spell words by drawing on knowledge of known grapheme correspondences. Make phonetically

plausible attempts

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					Include spaces between words.	when writing more complex unknown words e.g. using Phase 4 CCVCC Spell irregular common (tricky) words e.g., he, she, we, be, me independently.
						Handwriting: • Use a pencil confidently to write letters that can be clearly recognised and form some capital letters correctly.
	Handwriting N.B. The letters form correctly)	s children can form correctly	will relate to their nam	ne, phonics phases and othe	er letters which childre	n have been taught to
Nursery Phonics	Introduction to nursery rhymes Singing and recognising songs Sound identification through sound walks, playing sound lotto games and making music makers. Instruments in provision.	Daily singing of nursery rhymes and simple songs. Instrumental sounds used to develop children's awareness of sounds. Explore making sounds with body percussion.	Daily singing of nursery rhymes and simple songs. Alliteration- develop children's understanding through I spy games and matching object games	Daily singing of nursery rhymes and simple songs. Children to develop awareness of Rhyme and rhythm.	Daily singing of nursery rhymes and simple songs. Focus on oral blending and segmenting through games and teacher led activities	Daily singing of nursery rhymes and simple songs. Focus on oral blending and segmenting through games and teacher led activities

Pocontion	Teach Phase 2 Graphemes	Teach Phase 2 Graphemes	Teach Phase 3	Review Phase 3 Grapheme	Teach Phase 4	Teach Phase 4
Reception	(s,a,t,p,	(ff,ll,ss,j,	Graphemes	Review Mass o Grapheme	1000111100	10001111000
Phonics	i,n,m,d,	\(\(\mathref{\pi}\),\(\mathref	Oraphemes	Tricky words	(CVCC, CCVC,	(CVCC, CCVC,
	g,o,c,k,	z,zz,qu,ch,	(ai,ee,igh,oa,	Review all taught so far	CCVCC,	CCVCC,
	ck,e,u,r,	sh,th,ng,nk)	oo,oo,ar,or,	Review an raegin so rai	CCCVC,CCCVCC)	CCCVC,CCCVCC)
	h,b,f,l)	,,g,,	ur,ow,oi,ear,			
	.,,,,,,	words with s/z added at the	air,er		Tricky words	Word endings –s, es, ing,
		end	words with double		said,so,have,like,	ed, id,
	Tricky words		letters: dd,mm,tt,bb,		some,come,love,	
	Is, I, the,	Tricky words	rr,gg,pp,ff		do,were,here,	Tricky words
		as, and, has, his, her, go, no,	755/1-7		little,says,there,	Review all taught so far
		to ,into, she, he, of, we, me,	Tricky words		when,what,one,	
		be	was,you,they,my,		out,today	
			by,all,are,sure,pure			
Nursery	Comaprison 1	Counting 2	Subitising 2	Counting 4	Pattern 4	Counting 5
Mathematics	More than, fewer than, same.	Begin to order number names	Show me 1,2,3	Take and give 1,2,3	Lead on own repeats	Show me 5
(WRM)	Shape, space and measure 1		Counting 3	Shape, space and measure	Shape, space and	Pattern 6
	Explore and build with shapes	Subitising 1	Move and label 1,2,3	4	measure 5	My own pattern
**************************************	and objects	I see 1,2,3		Match, talk, push and pull	Start to puzzle	
******			Shape, space and			Counting 6
100 100	Pattern 1	Pattern 2	measure 3	Subitising 3	Pattern 5	Stop at 1,2,3,4,5
*****	Explore repeats	Join in with repeats	Explore position and	Talk about dots	Making patterns	
			routes		together	Comparison 3
	Counting 1	Shape, space and measure 2		Comaprison 2		Match, sort, compare.
	Hear and say number names	Explore position and space	Pattern 3	Compare and sort		
			Explore patterns	collections	Subitising 4	
					Make games and	
					actions	

Ongoing throughout the year	Link the number symbol with its cardinal number value. Count beyond 5. Compare numbers within it, just as numbers can. Understand the 'one more/one less than' relationship between consecutive numbers. 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 Continue, copy, and create repeating patterns.			
Reception Mathematics (WRM)	Getting to know you (Take this time to play and get to know the children!) Just like me! Match and sort Compare amounts Compare size, mass & capacity Exploring pattern	It's me 1, 2, 3! Representing 1, 2 & 3 Comparing 1, 2 & 3 Composition of 1, 2 & 3 Circles and triangles Positional language Light & dark Representing numbers to 5 One more or less Shapes with 4 sides Time	Alive in 5! Introducing zero Comparing numbers to 5 Composition of 4 & 5 Compare mass (2) Compare capacity (2) Growing 6, 7, 8 6, 7 & 8 Combining two amounts Making pairs Length & height Time (2)	Building 9 & 10 Counting to 9 & 10 Comparing numbers to 10 Bonds to 10 3-D shapes Spatial awareness Patterns	To 20 and beyond Build numbers beyond 10 Count patterns beyond 10 Spatial reasoning 1 Match, rotate, manipulate First, then, now Adding more Taking away Spatial reasoning 2 Compose and decompose	Find my pattern Doubling Sharing & grouping Even & odd Spatial reasoning 3 Visualise and build On the move Deepening understanding Patterns & relationships Spatial mapping (4) Mapping	
Ongoing throughout the year	Link the number symbol with its cardinal number value. Count beyond ten. Compare numbers within it, just as numbers can. Understand the 'one more/one less than' relationship between consecutive numbers. 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 Continue, copy, and create repeating patterns.			

Nursery Understanding the world

*Past & present
*People, culture
and
communities
*The natural
world



Chronology: Able to say who they are and who they live with. (PSHE/ All About Me)

- Can talk about any pets they may have. (All About Me)
- Can talk about some members of their family. (All About Me)

Enquiry:

- Looking at seasonal changes- exploring the school grounds
- Talk about what they see in their own environment (school/ home). (PSHE)
- Talk about and describe different types of houses, including where they live. (All About Me)
- Hands on exploration using senses.

Chronology:

Comments on experiences in their own life (Christmas, Diwali etc)

• Shares similarities between characters, figures or objects

Enquiry:

- Looking at seasonal changes- exploring the school grounds
- Exploring warm and winter

Chronology:

 Comments on fictional characters in stories (Traditional Tales)

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Enquiry:

Talk about
differences
between materials
and changes —
making porridge

Chronology:

Comments on experiences in their own life (Easter)

Enquiry:

- Observe and record changes made from caterpillar to butterfly.
- Planting seeds and watching them growmaking observations.
- Identify suitable clothing for different weather (Spring)

Chronology: • Able to say who they are and

who they live with (PSHE)
• Can talk about any pets they may

- have (PSHE)
 Can talk about some members of their family (PSHE)
- Comments on experiences in their own life (PSHE)

Enquiry:

- Talk about key roles people have in society both in the present and past.
- Name and describe people who are familiar to them within their community e.g., police, fire service, doctors, dentist.
- Explore different forces

Chronology:

- Order experiences in relation to themselves and others, including stories.
- Comments on experiences in their own life

Enquiry:

- Describe features of objects, people, places at different times and make comparisons.
- Talk about what is the same and different.

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RE:	RE:	RE:	RE:	RE:	RE:		
Theme: Special People	Theme: Christmas	Theme: Celebrations	Theme: Easter Key	Theme: Story Time Key	Theme: Special Places		
Key Question: What makes people special?	Key Question: What is Christmas?	Key Question: How do people celebrate?	Question: What is Easter?	Question: What can we learn from stories?	Key Question: What makes places special?		
 Talk about some of the things that make me unique. To talk about some of the similarities and differences between my family and other families. Religions: Christianity, Judaism	 To talk about the special things families and friends do at Christmas. To talk about how the people in the Christmas story felt when they saw the baby Jesus. To know some key parts of the Christmas story. 	 To know some things people do when they are celebrating special events. To remember and talk about significant events in my own experience. 	 To know some of the special things families and friends do at Easter. To know some key parts of the Easter story Religions: Christianity	To show interest in the lives of people who are familiar to me To talk about ways to be a good friend. Religions: Buddhism, Christianity, Islam, Hinduism, Sikhism	 To show interest in different occupations and ways of life. To know the name of some special buildings where people go to pray. Religions: Christianity, Islam, Judaism 		
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Communication: Comment on what they notice about the environment where they live and understand the effect of the changing seasons on the natural world around them.

Describe what they see, hear, and feel outside. Use all their senses in hands on exploration of natural materials

Observation: Explore the natural world around them by taking part in outdoor learning and making observations and drawing pictures of animals and plants. Understand the need to respect and care for the natural environment and all living things.

RE: Weave opportunities for children to engage with religious and cultural communities and their practices throughout the curriculum at appropriate times of the year.

Computing

To know how to use a camera i.e.: on an iPad.

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Reception Understanding the world *Past & present *People, culture and communities *The natural world	Respect: Themselves, special things in their own lives. Talk about and describe features of their own family, talk about families in other countries across the world	Develop positive attitudes about the differences between people — new friends in our class, different families	Respect: Identify on a map Recognise some environments that are different to the one in which they live e.g., Antarctica. Understand different people celebrate different things	Respect: Comment and ask questions about their immediate environment, other places which are familiar to them, and places they have learnt about e.g., the local area.	Respect: Begin to underdtand the need to respect the natural environment and know how to care for an plants and living things Understand the key features of the life cycle of a plant or animal.	Understand that some places are special to members of their community. Explore different countries in the world. Look at differences using videos, photos, or experiences.
	Use all their senses in hands- on exploration of natural materials Explore collections of materials with similar and/or different properties Beginning to talk about what they see, using a wide vocabulary	Natural World/enquiry Talk about what they see, using a wide vocabulary. Explore different habitats outdoors, e.g. autumnal changes. Observe growth & decay over time Begin to understand the need to respect & care for the natural environment & all living things Talk about what they see, using a wide vocabulary	Talk about the differences between materials and changes they notice e.g. cooking, melting, shadows, floating & sinking Characteristics of liquids & solids e.g. cooking eggs, melting chocolate. Look at key stages of development from birth to adult Name & identify body parts Observe & describe in words or actions the	Natural World/enquiry Observe growth & decay over time. Understand the need to respect & care for the natural environment & all living things. Most plants start growing from a seed or bulb All plants need water & light to grow & survive Observe plants closely through a variety of means e.g. magnifiers & photographs Extend vocabulary: leaves, petals, roots, bulb, trunk, branches, stem, garden plants, wild plants, seeds	Natural World/enquiry • Explore how things work e.g. pulleys • Explore & talk about different forces they can feel e.g. stretch, snap, rigid, magnetic repulsion, water pushing up when pushing a boat under it	Natural World/enquiry Observe animals closely through a variety of means e.g. magnifiers & photographs Understand the key features of the life cycle of an animal.

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		effects of physical activity on body Observe the changes in the seasons and environmental changes in winter.	Use all the senses in hands-on exploration of plants Understand the key features of the life cycle of a plant Understand the key features of the life cycle of a butterfly.		
RE:	RE:	RE:	RE:	RE:	RE:
Theme: Special People Key Question: What makes people special?	Theme: Christmas Key Question: What is Christmas?	Theme: Celebrations Key Question: How do people celebrate?	Theme: Easter Key Question: What is Easter?	Theme: Story Time Key Question: What can we learn from stories?	Theme: Special Places Key Question: What makes places special?
 Talk about members of their immediate family and community Name and describe people who are familiar to them Talk about any religious or non-religious members of the local community with whom they are familiar and know of the work that they do. e.g. Vicar, Sunday School 	 Recognise that people have different beliefs and celebrate special times in different ways Mark the special events relevant to particular children in the class. Explore and experience (where appropriate) activities associated with festivals whilst being 	 Recognise that people have different beliefs and celebrate special times in different ways Mark the special events relevant to particular children in the class. Explore and experience (where appropriate) 	Recognise that people have different beliefs and celebrate special times in different ways Mark the special events relevant to particular children in the class. Explore and experience (where appropriate) activities associated with	 Looking at the world around us and creation stories Compare and contrast characters from stories, including figures from the past Begin to understand that some books such 	 Understand that some places are special to members of their community Places that are special to people Name and explain the purpose of places of worship and places of local importance to the community to children, drawing on

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	teacher, Jewish rabbi, Muslim imam or madrassa teacher, humanist celebrant. Children to share pictures of their family and listen to what they say about the pictures. Using examples from real life and from books, show children how there are many different families Talk about past and present events in my own life and in the lives of family members. I know who is special to me and why. To know people can be special for different reasons. Religions: Christianity, Judaism	mindful of protocol and sensitivities. Respond creatively to the celebration of festivals through art music, dance, writing. To know about similarities and differences between myself and others, and among families, communities and traditions. To know some people celebrate Christmas but others do not. To know that Jesus is special to Christians. Religions: Christianity, Judaism	activities associated with festivals whilst being mindful of protocol and sensitivities. Respond creatively to the celebration of festivals through art music, dance, writing. To know different people celebrate different things. To know about some festivals that are celebrated around the world. To know how people prepare for different festivals. Religions: Buddhism, Christianity, Islam, Hinduism, Sikhism	festivals whilst being mindful of protocol and sensitivities. Respond creatively to the celebration of festivals through art music, dance, writing. To know some of the things Jesus did in the Easter story. To identify some symbols of Easter and tell you why they are important. To know that other children don't always enjoy the same things as me and I am sensitive to this. To know that stories can help us to learn how to be kind to people. Religions: Christianity	as sacred texts are of particular importance to some people, that they contain guidance and rules for life, and are used and handled in special ways. • Hear and become familiar with stories, messages, actions and thoughts from different faith traditions about care for the natural world e.g. The Tiny Ants, Seven New Kittens, The Baby Birds story books. Religions: Buddhism, Christianity, Islam, Hinduism, Sikhism	their own experiences where possible. To identify some different places of worship. To know that different places of worship are important to different people. Religions: Christianity, Islam, Judaism

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Observation: Explore the natural world around them by taking part in outdoor learning and making observations and drawing pictures of animals and plants. Understand the need to respect and care for the natural environment and all living things. Notice & discuss patterns around them e.g. the effect of seasons on plants and animals.

RE: Weave opportunities for children to engage with religious and cultural communities and their practices throughout the curriculum at appropriate times of the year. **Computing:**

To know how to use a camera i.e.: on an iPad.

To know how to work a simple programable toy eg beebot.

To select and use technology for particular purposes.

I know how technology is used in my own home.

I know that technology has changed since my adults were young.

Nursery Expressive Arts and Design



Explore:

- Drawing our faces and identifying the parts of the face
- Drawing circle shapes and lines for parts of the face
- Identifying what has been
- Choosing colour for parts of the face e.g. skin, eyes, lips
- Printing with Autumn leaves

Explore:

- Exploring 'cold' colours of paint
- Table printing snowflake shapes
- Printing Christmas paper designs
- Using different tools in the creative area

Explore:

- Collage animals from the story
- Painting the three bears — using different size
 - different size

 •
 brushes for texture

Explore:

another

pencils

 Using different tools in the creative area

Playdough insects

Drawing insects using

the creative area

Painting butterflies and

printing on one wing to

Explore:

- Creating
 superhero badges
 using clay and
 imprinting designs
- Using different tools in the creative area
- Printing designs on fabric for our superhero capes

Explore:

- Drawing, painting things we observe
- Using different tools in the creative area
- Printing flags with different size sponges
- Exploring colours of flags

Early Years 2024-25 Music: Music: Music: Music: Music: Music: Responds to music -Responds to music -Talks about how Talks about how music Copies basic Copies basic actions verbally and using verbally and using makes them feel actions and and begins to learn music movement movement makes them feel sings a selection of begins short dance routines Sings in a group and sings a selection of nursery to learn short • Sings in a group and tries Watches dances and tries to keep in time rhymes/songs from dance routines nursery to keep in time (Carpet performances (Carpet time/routine rhymes/songs from memory (carpet time/ Watches dances time/routine songs) • Able to name a wide memory (carpet and songs) Nursery Rhyme / Pre Phonics: variety of routine songs performances time/ Singing instruments (drum, Nursery Rhyme Pre Phonics: Able to name a tambourine, maraca, Sound Nursery rhyme routine songs wide variety of triangle) discrimination Pre-phonic actions Nursery Rhyme / Pre • Plays a given instrument instruments (drum, Phonics: Different sounds to a simple beat (carpet tambourine, time/ maraca, triangle) routine songs) • Plays a given Nursery Rhyme instrument to a Pre Phonics: Consolidation simple beat (carpet Nursery Rhyme time/routine songs Pre Phonics: Consolidation Nursery Rhyme Pre Phonics: Patterns Reception Portrait skills – drawing Using primary coloured Observational Observational Representing our Continuing to **Expressive Arts** themselves, observational paints to create drawings of drawings. Drawing own ideas, explore colour and Design secondary colours representations of thoughts and work, papier mache animals. mixing. living things feelings through Develop own ideas through Use increasing Using a range of Using primary knowledge & (plants/flowers) design and experimentation with materials to make colours to make diverse materials to express understanding of technology. collages and models. Using a variety of secondary & communicate their tools & materials to media to create a colours for

and needs of the children.		Early Years 2024-25		
discoveries & understanding Look closely at si differences, patter change Kapow Unit Rai Salad	 Create collaboratively sharing ideas, resources imilarities, erns & Decorating the 'Children's Christmas 	explore their interests & enquiries & develop their thinking Collage materials to create winter scences. Colour mixing Create representations both imaginary & real-life ideas, events, people & objects Know & talk about the different factors that support their overall health & wellbeing Create collaboratively sharing ideas, resources & skills Kapow Junk modelling unit Use different techniques for joining materials Kapow Junk modelling unit Kapow Junk modelling unit Kapow Junk modelling unit Kapow Junk modelling unit Cooking — Easter buns	clay, exploring and manipulating. Creating a small mini-beast looking carefully at detail and size. Use different techniques for joining materials Use tools independently, with care & precision Safely exploring a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design and function to create a creature habitat. Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design and function to create a creature habitat.	specific purposes. • Continuing our process art and use the clay to create a characters we may find in the forest; using the tools to add detail and pattern. Developing our DT skills; designing our models with a vision in mind. Using the design sheets in provision to plan our ideas. Building houses from different materials. Three Little Pigs link. Create collaboratively sharing ideas, resources & skills Use different techniques for joining materials. Kapow Textiles

bookmark unit

creations,

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			•	explaining the process they have used. • Make use of props and materials when role playing characters in narratives and stories. • Kapow Structures boats unit.	Children can safely use a range of technology for a purpose. (computing)		
Charanga Songs: Pat-a-cake 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, Once I Caught a Fish Alive This Old Man Five Little Ducks Name Song Things for Fingers Songs for Harvest Fest Develop storylines in the pretend play. Nursery Rhyme Pre Phonics: actions and following instructions		Charanga Songs: Wind the Bobbin Up Rock-a-bye Baby Five Little Monkeys Jumping on The Bed Twinkle, Twinkle If You're Happy and You Know It Head, Shoulders, Knees and Toes Return to and build on their previous learning, refining ideas and developing their	Charanga Songs: Old Macdonald Incy Wincy Spider Baa, Baa Black Sheep Row, Row, Row Your Boat The Wheels on The Bus The Hokey Cokey Create collaboratively sharing ideas, resources, and skills. Return to and build on their previous learning, refining ideas and developing their ability to represent them.	Charanga Songs: Big Bear Funk Continue to use instruments to make music and focus on tempo, rhythm and beat — relating this to syllables in words. Listen attentively, move to, and talk about music, expressing their feelings and responses	Charanga Songs Reflect, Rewind & Replay: Big Bear Funk Baa, Baa Black Sheep Twinkle, Twinkle Incy Wincy Spider Rock-a-bye Baby Row, Row, Row Your Boat Watch and talk about dance and performance art, expressing their feelings and responses. Invent, adapt and recount narratives and stories with		

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	Nursery Rhyme Pre Phonics: group Performance	ability to represent them. Nursery Rhyme Pre Phonics: Exploring instruments Nursery Rhyme Pre Phonics: tuning in	Nursery Rhyme Pre Phonics: Sequence Sing a range of well-known nursery rhymes and songs. Perform songs, rhymes, poems and stories with others, and (when appropriate) try to move in time with music Nursery Rhyme Pre Phonics: Consolidation through play sing a range of well-known nursery rhymes and songs. Perform songs, rhymes, poems and stories with others, and (when appropriate) try to move in time with music
Artists	Andy Warhol Self portaits	Pete Mckee Penguins	Georgia O'Keefe • Flowers
Computing	Knowledge: Personal, Social and Emotional Development I can wait a short amount of time for something I want e.g. will try new things. E.g.: a computer programme / Beebots. online. I know that a password is secret. Physical Development I know how to use an iPad or tablet appr Understanding the World I know how to use a camera i.e.: on a	I can select tools and resources that I need to complete a toppriately. I know how to use my fingers on a touch screen,	ask of my own choosing. I know how to be safe and control a mouse/touchpad on a computer.

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