

EYFS Autumn Term overview

		Autumn 1	Autumn 2
Prime Areas of Learning	Personal, Social & Emotional	Settling in, routines, relationships and belonging. Values: Growing Together & Thankfulness. School Values: Growing Together & Thankfulness JIGSAW – Being Me in My World Piece 1. Who... Me?! Piece 2. How am I feeling today? Piece 3. Being at School Piece 4. Gentle hands Piece 5. Our Rights. Piece 6. Our Responsibilities	Building confidence, friendships and celebrating differences. School Values: Courage and Joy JIGSAW – Celebrating Difference Piece 1. What I Am Good At Piece 2. I'm Special, I'm Me! Piece 3. Families Piece 4. Houses and Homes Piece 5. Making Friends Piece 6. Standing Up For Yourself
	Communication and Language	Daily conversations and story talk around self, family, birthdays, weather and Harvest. Topic discussions(greeting people, birthdays, belonging and my family, weather, changing season, Harvest)	Daily conversations and story talk around light & dark, seasons, celebrations and Christmas. Topic discussions(Changing season, weather, fireworks, remembrance day, children in need, road safety, Christmas, Hanukkah, Diwali, celebrations)
	Physical Development	covered in daily interactions and play ,Busy fingers activities Introduction to PE Theme: People Who Help Us Theme: Friends and Family Theme: Houses and Homes Theme: Morning Time Theme: At the Shops Theme: Dinner Time	covered in daily interactions and play , Busy fingers activities Ball Skills Theme: Windy Weather Theme: Snow is Falling Theme: There's a Storm Coming Theme: Rainy Days Theme: Sunshine and Rainbows Theme: Foggy Days
	RE	The word God is a name. Christians believe that God is the creator of the universe. Christians believe God made our wonderful world and so we should look after it.	Why do Christians perform Nativity plays at Christmas?
Specific Areas of Learning	Literacy Word Reading Writing Comprehension	Phonics Phase 1: Games Little Wandle Phonics s,a,t,p,i,n,m,d,g,o,c,k,ck, e, u,r, h,b,f,l Tricky words - is, I, the	Little Wandle Phonics ff, ll, ss, j, w, x, y, z, zz, qu, ch, sh, th, ng, nk Words ending with -s /s/ added at the end (hats sits) Words ending in s /z/ (his) and with -s /z/ added at the end (bags sings) New Tricky words put, pull, full, as, and, has, his, her, go, no, to into, she, push, he, of, we, me, be

		Working on pencil grip, name writing, emergent writing during learning through play, ascribing meaning to marks. Texts Marvellous Me, Where Is My Teddy?, My Five Senses, This Is Me. Nursery Rhymes	Texts Whatever Next!, Owl Babies, 'Twas the Night Before Christmas, Stick Man. Nursery Rhymes
	Maths	Developing subitising and counting skills.Exploring numbers within 5, their composition and comparing quantities.	Developing subitising and counting further. Exploring the composition of numbers within and beyond 5, matching quantities to numerals, comparing equal and unequal groups, and beginning to explore doubles.
	Understanding of the World	All About Me, families, weather, Autumn, Harvest and our local environment.	Light & dark, day/night, shadows, space, nocturnal animals, seasonal changes and celebrations.
	Express Arts & Design (EAD)	Mark making - different mediums,Self-portraits, colour mixing, Autumn/Harvest art, music and songs.	Light/shadow art, space and woodland creativity, Christmas/Nativity art, music and songs.