

Reception	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	Roll Up! Roll Up!	Open the Toy Box!	Out of an egg.	Wild & Wonderful	Ahoy there!	Flying High
Trips	Circus Day	Santa Visit	Chicks	Birds of Prey Centre - Bedfordshire	Pirate Day	Dunstable Downs - picnic & Kite Flying
Communication & Language	<p>Listening/ responding to stories.</p> <p>Listening to others.</p> <p>Using key vocabulary linked to topic</p> <p>Speaking aloud during class discussions.</p> <p>Following instructions</p> <p>Performing - microphones</p>	<p>Listening/ responding to stories.</p> <p>Listening to others.</p> <p>Using key vocabulary linked to topic</p> <p>Speaking aloud during class discussions.</p> <p>How and Why Questions</p> <p>Following instructions</p>	<p>Listening/ responding to stories.</p> <p>Listening to others.</p> <p>Using key vocabulary linked to topic</p> <p>Speaking aloud during class discussions.</p> <p>How and Why Questions</p> <p>Following instructions</p>	<p>Listening/ responding to stories.</p> <p>Listening to others.</p> <p>Using key vocabulary linked to topic.</p> <p>Speaking aloud during class discussions.</p> <p>How and Why Questions</p> <p>Following instructions</p>	<p>Listening/ responding to stories.</p> <p>Listening to others.</p> <p>Using key vocabulary linked to topic</p> <p>Speaking aloud during class discussions.</p> <p>How and Why Questions</p> <p>Following instructions</p>	<p>Listening/ responding to stories.</p> <p>Listening to others.</p> <p>Using key vocabulary linked to topic</p> <p>Speaking aloud during class discussions.</p> <p>How and Why Questions</p> <p>Following instructions</p>
Physical Development	Circus skills - balancing, dancing ribbons, gymnastics, and plate spinning.	Toy Dance Christmas performance - Dancing.	Ball skills - catching, pushing, throwing, dribbling. Hygiene - looking	Ball skills - catching, pushing, throwing, dribbling.	Outdoors sports - skills - shooting, skipping, running, jumping, kicking,	Outdoors sports - skills - shooting, skipping, running, jumping, kicking,

	Children to walk in 'big' shoes - e.g. flippers.		after animals. - linked to looking after others.		throwing, balancing.	throwing, balancing.
Personal, social and emotional development	<p>Performing link - feelings of performing to others - frightened, nervous, and excited.</p> <p>Working in partners and small groups.</p>	<p>Lost toys - feelings</p> <p>Pinocchio - telling the truth - effects on others.</p> <p>Santa Cam - following rules, caring for others.</p>	<p>Taking into account others ideas and feelings during discussions.</p> <p>Circle time - confident to speak aloud to others.</p> <p>Talk about ourselves in a positive way.</p> <p>Caring for others - linked to chicks.</p>	<p>Taking into account others ideas and feelings during discussions.</p> <p>Circle time - confident to speak aloud to others.</p> <p>Talk about ourselves in a positive way.</p> <p>Being responsible for our own actions - looking after our seeds to help them grow.</p>	<p>Taking into account others ideas and feelings during discussions.</p> <p>Circle time - confident to speak aloud to others.</p> <p>Talk about ourselves in a positive way.</p>	<p>Taking into account others ideas and feelings during discussions.</p> <p>Circle time - confident to speak aloud to others.</p> <p>Talk about ourselves in a positive way.</p>
Literacy	<p>Books</p> <p>Olivia saves the Circus.</p> <p>Tiger who came for tea.</p> <p>Elmer.</p> <p>Noisy circus - Usborne Books.</p> <p>If I ran the circus - Dr Suess.</p>	<p>Books</p> <p>Kipper's Toy Box</p> <p>Dogger</p> <p>The Magic Toy Box</p> <p>Letters to Santa</p> <p>Dear Santa</p> <p>Santa's Christmas</p> <p>Journey</p> <p>Jolly Postman</p> <p>Pinocchio</p>	<p>Books</p> <p>Zog</p> <p>The Knight, the princess & the dragon</p> <p>The princess Knight</p> <p>The odd Egg,</p> <p>Eggs & Chicks</p> <p>From Egg to Chicken</p>	<p>Books</p> <p>The Tiny seed</p> <p>Where the wild things are.</p> <p>Jack & The bean stalk.</p> <p>Dear Zoo</p>	<p>Books</p> <p>Pirate Love</p> <p>Underpants</p> <p>Peter Pan</p> <p>Portside Pirates</p> <p>Boats</p> <p>Neverland (Fantasy) - lost boys/ fairies.</p> <p>Design and describe pirates,</p>	<p>Books</p> <p>Disney's Up</p> <p>Up, up up - Barefoot.</p> <p>Labelling, captions, nonfiction books, story writing.</p>

	Clown descriptions, sequencing events, captions, labelling	Wanted posters - lost toys Christmas lists Letters writing - recognising address Toy descriptions	Life cycles, recording observations, captions, labelling, looking after chick's books, wanted posters, character descriptions.	Story writing, letters, sequencing, descriptions of fantasy animals, and observations of seeds growing.	captions, labelling. Wanted posters.	
Maths	Height Charts - Clowns on stilts. Money - tickets, refreshments. Time - brochures, programmes. Clowns - pairing/ matching/ differences - sizes, pattern, sizes.	Money - Toy shop Toy sorting Presents - identifying shapes. Wrapping paper - repeated patterns Weight - reindeer food. Presents - sorting - shape, size, weight	Eggs - sorting - size, weight, colour. Capacity - dragon potions. Estimation - number of eggs. Time - daily observations, sequencing events.	Measures - bean stalks. Sorting - animals Tally charts - favourite animals.	Scales - weighting gold. Direction - Treasure map Capacity - magic fairy potions. Counting gold coins to make a given amount - addition and subtraction.	Sorting - Flying transport, birds Tally - favourite birds etc. Measuring distance - creating own paper aeroplanes. Shape - making kites, rocket pictures.
Understanding the World	Animals - Where in the world do the animals originate from? Technology - computers, Easi Phones, Beebots, CD player	Countries that Santa visits - globes, google maps - weather - is it always winter around the world? Christmas - how different	Lifecycles, observations - changes over time, caring for animals. Chinese new year - culture.	Planting seeds and growing - different stages - what do seeds need to grow? Animals around the world - patterns - tigers,	Ship wrecks Storm/ Weather. Boats - Floating & Sinking Making boats - materials. Maps - treasure maps. - Travel to countries around the world - compare. Water safety	Space - rockets, planets, light and dark/ shadows. Cloud watching Ways of travelling in the sky - rocket, planes,

		<p>cultures celebrate Christmas - compare.</p> <p>Technology - computers, Easi Phones, Beebots, CD player</p>	<p>Easter - Christianity - family customs.</p> <p>Technology - computers, Easi Phones, Beebots, CD player</p>	<p>leopards, parrots, peacocks.</p> <p>Communities' cultures - African tribes, Brazil - carnival dress.</p> <p>Technology - computers, Easi Phones, Beebots, CD player</p>	<p>Technology - computers, Easi Phones, Beebots, CD player</p>	<p>helicopter, blimp, hot air balloon.</p> <p>Planes/ Holiday destinations - packing suitcase</p> <p>Bird watching. View from above - google earth.</p>
<p>Expressive Art & Design</p>	<p>Design own clown. Refreshments - creating own ice- creams (cotton wool), lollipops. Spinning plates.</p> <p>Role play - circus - ticket office.</p>	<p>Toys - moving parts Present wrapping. Christmas cards, wrapping paper, calendars.</p> <p>Role Play - Toy workshop.</p>	<p>Dragon eggs, Dragon traps, nests, Chinese lanterns</p> <p>Role Play - Farm shop/ vets.</p>	<p>Create own flower pot - clay. Junk modelling - fantasy animals. Materials - masks - carnival/ animal dress. Printing - pattern making.</p> <p>Role Play - Garden Centre.</p>	<p>Making boats - materials. Pirate accessories - hats, eye patches, hooks, swords. Creating own maps, treasure islands.</p> <p>Role Play - Pirate Ship</p>	<p>Rockets, shadow puppets, planets, kites.</p> <p>Role Play - Space Rocket.</p>