Nursery Curriculum Overview 2023/24

	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Communication and Language and literacy	Following Carpet time rules Following simple instructions How to hold a book and turn pages in a book Listening to others in small groups	Talking about books- What's an author/ illustrator Looking at Rhyming words initial sounds	Understanding more complex sentences Introducing Read write inc
Personal, Social and Emotional development	Learning each other's names Getting to know each other games Making relationships	Turn taking games Learning to work together Feelings	Building relationships Listening and turn taking Getting ready for moving to Reception
Physical development	Going to the toilet independently Making marks with different tools Making snips in paper Putting on own coat and shoes Balancing Fine motor skill activities.	Fine motor skill activities Making marks Attempting to write initial letter in name Scissor control Ball skills	Fine motor skill activities Attempting to write own name Scissor control Different types of movement
Maths	Counting to 5 Understanding numbers to 5.	Counting to 10 understanding numbers to 10 Recognising numbers to 5	Counting to 15 Recognising numbers to 10

	Shapes Size ordering Sorting	Shapes - Repeating patterns Measuring prepositions	Shapes - 2d shapes, introducing 3d shapes Capacity Subitising numbers
Understanding the world - past and present	Looking at visual timetable Who is in my family? Why are we different	Looking at visual timetable Looking at how plants/ animals grow Looking at baby pictures	Looking at visual timetable
Understanding the world- People and communities	Bonfire night Christmas	Chinese New year Easter People who help us	Knowing difference and similarities between them and others
Understanding the world - The natural world	What happens in Autumn Winter- Ice melting	What happens in spring Growing	What happens in summer
Expressive Art and design- creating with materials	What do we look like? Experimenting with colour mixing Seasonal crafts	Observational drawing of flowers Making props for our role play Seasonal crafts	Junk modelling Seasonal crafts
Expressive art and design- Being imaginative and	Nursery rhymes Christmas songs	Nursery rhymes Easter songs	Nursery rhymes Exploring with instruments

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