Reception Curriculum Overview

RECEPTION	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Personal, Social and Emotional Development (PSED)	To describe a friend. To know and demonstrate friendly behaviour. To understand how to be a good friend. To learn to join in with whole group activities. To choose an activity independently.	To learn about important dates in their lives. To learn about the different family structures.	To understand how to make the right choices and the consequences of not making the right ones.	To learn about a range of different festivals.	To identify ways of being helpful to others and how this will make them feel. To understand that people need help. To learn right from wrong.	To describe a range of different habitats around the world.
Communication and Language (CL)	To talk about themselves and others. To sing songs.	To compare different festivals. To make comments about their observations. To speak about a range of texts.	To describe features of traditional stories. To talk about the tole of healthy food and exercise in staying healthy.	To describe familiar texts with detail and using full sentences. To being to ask questions about familiar aspects of their environment and their learning.	To be able to give facts about a specified subject. To engage in fiction and nonfiction stories. To be able to order a range of life cycles.	To label and sort living things giving some reason for their choices. To describe habitats.
Physical Development (PD)	To use a dominant hand. To begin to form recognisable letters which are formed mostly correctly. To use climbing equipment safely and competently. To begin to negotiate space effectively.	To use a dominant hand. To begin to use anticlockwise movement and retrace vertical lines. To use climbing equipment safely and competently. To negotiate space effectively.	To show good practice with regard to exercise, eating, sleeping and hygiene. To be able to balance and coordinate safely. To negotiate space effectively.	To handle tools, objects, construction and malleable materials safely and with increasing control. To negotiate space effectively.	To use a pencil effectively to form recognisable letters, most of which are formed correctly. To show good control and coordination in large and small movements.	To show good control and coordination in large and small movements.
Literacy Development (LD)	Listening to and identifying sounds in the environments. Listening to and hearing initial sounds in familiar words. To identify sounds on a sound mat. Listens to familiar stories and able to recall some facts.	Listening to and hearing sounds in CVC words. To identify sounds on a sound mat and to use this when writing. Listens to familiar stories and able to recall facts.	To think of and write a short phrase/word. Listening to and hearing sounds in CVC and CVCC words. Identifying sounds on a sound mat. Listen to stories and is begin to anticipate what may happen next.	To think of and write a short phrase/word. Listening to and hearing sounds in CVC and CVCC words. Identifying sounds, including phonemes and other digraphs on a sound mat. Listen to stories and is begin to anticipate what may happen next.	To think of and write a short, simple sentence. Listening to and hearing sounds in CVC and CVCC words. Identifying sounds, including phonemes and other digraphs on a sound mat. Listen to stories and is begin to anticipate what may happen next.	To think of and write a short, simple sentence. Listening to and hearing sounds in CVC and CVCC words. Identifying sounds, including phonemes and other digraphs on a sound mat. Listen to stories and is begin to anticipate what may happen next.

Maths	To count up to 10 objects with	To find the total of 2 groups of	To use nonstandard units to	To use objects to solve addition	To know that addition and	
Development	1:1 correspondence	objects.	measure length, weight and capacity.	and subtraction problems.	subtraction problems can be solved by counting forwards or	To use rulers to measure length, scales to measure
(MD)	To match quantities to numeral.	To order numbers to 10.	To use money during role play	To share objects between a group of people equally.	backwards on a number line.	weight and jugs/containers to measure capacity.
	To begin to recognise numbers automatically on a dice/card to 5.	To identify 2D shapes and talk about their properties. To begin to recognise numbers automatically on a dice/card to 5. To be able to count to 10 independently.	activities to buy items. To begin to explore number bonds to 5. To be able to count to 20 independently.	To explore number bonds to 5.	To read the time to O'Clock on a digital and analogue clock. To know addition and subtraction problems can be solved by counting forwards or backwards on a number line.	To make observations of and compare length, weight and capacity. To explore number bonds to five and ten.
Understanding the World (UW)	To talk about the changes they observe in their environment – Seasons link. Pond visit To be able to recount changes within living memory. Identify some similarities and differences between now and the past. I can discuss daily weather/ seasons.	To talk about how Hindus celebrate Diwali. To talk about how they have changed since they were a baby. To be able to differentiate between nocturnal and diurnal animals. To be able to talk about the different jobs that adults do and how they can help us (paramedics/ nurses/ doctors/fire fights/postman/ shop assistant etc). Black history Answer basic questions about the past. (Au2) Talk, draw or write about aspects of the past.	To talk about a special event in their life. Making treasure maps to direct friends to a 'goal'. Exploring maps of the world Sort information using Venn Diagrams. Know that their own experiences differ to those of others. Identify some similarities and differences between ways of life in different periods. I can talk about features of my own immediate environment and how environments may vary from one another Local area walk I can make observations and express their views of the environment I can talk about some features of the areas where I live		Talking about the life cycle of plants and animals and what they need to survive. Exploring a range of habitats, looking at why the animal lives like that. Sea Life Centre visit Understand key features of events. I can explain why geographic changes occur. I can ask questions about their familiar world (where they live or the natural world).	

Expressive Arts	To remember the words to a	To design a Rangoli pattern.	To draw a range of plants and	To use a range of resources to	To use what they have learnt	They safely use and explore a
and Design	range of songs.		fruits.	create own props to aid role	about media and materials in	variety of materials, tools and
		To use role play to show how		play.	an original way and be able to	techniques, experimenting with
(EAD)	To give meaning to the marks	'People who Help Us'.	To use resources to create own		explain their choices.	colour, design, texture, form
	that are made.		props.	To plan, carry out and evaluate		and function
		Uses simple tools and		and change where necessary.	Selects appropriate resources	
		techniques competently and	Constructs with a purpose in		and adapts work where	To move along to the beat of a
	To explore the different sounds	appropriately.	mind, using a variety of	Manipulates materials to	necessary.	familiar song.
	of a range of instruments.		resources.	achieve a planned effect.		
					To move along to the beat of a	
			To effectively use instruments	To effectively use instruments	familiar song.	
			to tap a simple beat.	to tap a simple beat.		