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| Long Term Curriculum Overview 2023 - 2024 There are seven main subject areas within the Foundation Stage curriculum: Personal, Social, Emotional Development, Communication and Language, Physical Development, Literacy, Mathematics, Understanding the World, Expressive Arts and Design. The following areas are covered by all our topics. | | | | | | |
|  | Autumn 1 (7 weeks) | Autumn 2 (8 weeks) | Spring 1 (6 weeks) | Spring 2 (5 weeks) | Summer 1 (6 weeks) | Summer 2 ( 7 weeks) |
| Topic | Nursery Rhymes | Let’s Celebrate!  Focus Text – The Scarecrows Wedding | People who help us  Focus Text – Burglar Bill | Monsters  Focus Text – Bedtime for Monsters | Vehicles  Focus Text - Naughty Bus | Under the Sea  Focus texts -  Surprising Sharks and Hooray for Fish |
| Enrichment | Settling in  Mornings only & staggered start  Nursery rhyme sacks | Bonfire Night and Guy Fawkes  Date TBC Church Visit  Author of the month – Julia Donaldson  10th November Diwali day Wear your party clothes  Diwali Sunday 12th Nov  ICT Day | Visitors – Caretaker, Headteacher, Dinnerlady, Office staff, Vicar, Policeman, Nurse  DT Day – Emergency Vehicles  Florence Nightingale Day  Bring a teddy to school day – teddy hospital  ICT Day | PSED focus – Mood Monsters  Launch Reading Monsters  Bring a teddy to school – read to your teddy  ICT Day | Date TBC Naughty Bus to Liverpool trip.  DT day – design and make a vehicle  ICT Day | DT Day – Under the sea diorama  ICT Day |
| Topic | This is me!  Focus text - ‘Oh No George’  Focus text – ‘Here We Are’ | Autumn, Weather and Sticks  Focus texts - Stanley’s Stick and Stickman | Heroes  Focus Texts – Juniper Jupiter | Castles, Dragons, Magic and Mayhem  Focus Text - Zog  Focus Text – Room on the Broom | Giants, Toys and Bears | Glorious Gardens and Mini-beasts  Focus Texts -Aaarrgghhhhh Spider! |
| Enrichment | Launch Dojos and Reward Assembly.  Launch story-box  Launch mystery reader  Launch outdoor library  22nd Sept B**ring a teddy to school**  ICT Day – Ipads, purplemash and avatars  11th Oct 5pm Curriculum evening for parents  Parents evenings  Author of the month – Oliver Jeffers | Weather walk – bring wellies!  Stick hunt and den building with sticks.  21st November Bring your teddy to school day – build teddy a den.  14th Nov 9am Phonics Workshop for children and parents | Date TBC Superhero dress up Day  Date TBC Maths Workshop for children and parents | Date TBC Trip to the beach – building castles  Date TBC Castle ball - dress up day  DT Day Design and make a castle | Date TBC Teddy Bears picnic | Outdoor literacy lessons  Planting and growing  DT day Desgn and make a garden |
| Topic |  | Once Upon a Time…  Focus Texts – Little Red and other Traditional Tales | Space Explorers  Focus Texts - The marvellous moon map | Spring and Easter | Dinosaurs  Focus Text – Bumpus Jumpus Dinosaurumpus | Summer and Holidays |
| Enrichment |  | Launch Story World interactive reading area  1st Dec Dress up as your favourite character day  DT Day – Inventors Day -Design and make an invention | Rocket building  Date TBC Walk around local area. Fieldwork – mapping skills. Include park stop.  9th Feb Wear red for Chinese New Year  12th Feb Shrove Tuesday | Easter enrichment – drama  Date TBC Easter bonnet parade and performance | Poetry week  Dinosaur egg arrives | Transition to Year 1  Induction Day  Date TBC Sports Day and farewell  Summer Celebration |
| Topic |  | Winter and Christmas  Jolly Christmas Postman |  |  |  | F2 Greatest Hits |
| Enrichment |  | 12th Dec Christmas Performance for parents  14th Dec Walk to post letters to Santa  Date TBC Whole school service at Church  Christmas Party  Christmas panto at school |  |  |  | Transition to Year 1 |

These are the planned topics for this year. However, in F2 we go with the children’s interests so topics can take all sorts of weird and wonderful turns!! We look forward to sharing our 2023 – 2024 journey with you!

We will share each termly overview with you – adding key dates for your diaries.