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brime AREAS	A hard to provide a stinlenge, exploration, advorting our intent that all child nvironment which value confident and independents.	w Early Years Framewor Communication and Languag Inderstanding Sonal & Social Developm Managing Self Physical development	rovides exciting opportunition ally, cognitively and emotion nd people. We aim for our ch es and interact positively with ENABLING VIRONMENTS DULT SUPPORT *k 2021 e Speaking ent Building Relationships Motor Skills E EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGN * Creating with Materials * Being imaginative &	es, promotes nally in ildren	confident Positive I between curriculu Enabling environm individua Learning ways as i others. Playing a Children own play which po Active lea difficultie develop i ownershi Creating between	hild: Every child is unique ar and self-assured. Relationships: Children flour all staff and parents/carers. m. Children and practitioner environments: Children lean ents where routines are est I needs and passions and he and Development: Children t stated 2017). We must be a Characteria nd exploring: - Children inve who actively participate in the develop a larger store of infi sitively supports their learning arning: - Children concentrates. They are proud of their ow nto self-regulating, lifelong I p, accept challenges and lea and thinking critically: - Children	ormation and experiences to ng te and keep on trying if they wn achievements. For childro earners they are required to rn persistence. dren develop their own idea bly and rationally, drawing o	itive partnerships se across the EYFS each community. nd secure espond to their earning over time. ent rates (not in different greater support than gs, and 'have a go'. o draw on encounter en to take as and make links
Year g	roup: Nursery	AUTUM	N TERM		SPRING	G TERM	SUMME	R TERM
and ha	-		Respect Activity: Can I name a friend?	Risk Taking Ac How high can I c		Resilience activity: Look after the Nursery garden and show patience	Resourceful Activity: Build a shelter/home for an animal in Forest School	Reflective activity: How much have I grown? What can I do now that I couldn't do before? (past and present looking back at photos from beginning of the year till now)

Themes	All about me	Celebrations	Traditional Tales	Our wonderful world	Into the Woods	Who we are and who we want to be
Sub themes & Enrichment	Starting school		Food tasting		The great outdoors	
opportunities	Being me in my world		Cooking		Forest school	
	My family		Chicks		Eid	
	Being kind and making frie	nds	Butterflies		Weather / seasons	
	Rosh Hashana		Life cycles of butterflies		World Environment Day	
	Anti-Bullying Week		Minibeasts		Father's Day	
	Guy Fawkes/Bonfire Night		Plants & Flowers		•	
	Nursery Rhyme Week		Weather / seasons		Healthy Eating Week Library visit	
	Diwali		Mother's Day		Transitioning to Reception	
	Christmas		Planting Seeds in the		Transitioning to Reception	
	Channukah		Garden			
	Weather / seasons		Easter Celebrations			
	Chinese New Year					
	Valentine's Day		Passover			
	Internet Safety Day		Nature Scavenger Hunt			
			Start of Ramadan			
	Story Telling Week		Lunar New Year			
	Remembrance Day		Pongal			
			Holi			
			St. Patrick's Day			
<u> </u>			Valentine's Day			
Key & Lock	Key: sharing baby photos	Key: share what children	Key: Exploring new	Key: Eggs appear in	Key: Walk around forest	Key: People who help us
- 0		know about celebrations	foods	Nursery	school	visit
	Lock: self-portraits 'this					
	is me'	Lock: decorate	Lock: Creating different	Lock: Butterflies/	Lock: Creating an animal	Lock: Summer concert
		classroom for Diwali and	meals both familiar and	Ducklings	home	and parents visiting
		Christmas	unfamiliar			
Trips, visits and	Settling in and exploring	Decorate classroom and	Making porridge	Fruit tasting week	Map work – scavenger	Firefighter/Police/Postm
experiences	Nursery environment	celebration party	Making pancakes	Making fruit salad	hunts	an/Dentist/lollypop
		(Navratri and Diwali)	Building bridges	Easter egg hunt	Design home for animal	lady/doctor visit
			Planting Seeds in the	Ducklings	Forest school	Farm
		Continuing celebrations	Garden	Visit the chicks in	Make Gruffalo crumble	Walk in One Tree Hill
		for Christmas.	Nature hunt/walk	Reception		Park
			Reading picnic with	Caterpillars		
			parents			
Core Texts & global	Spot Loves Nursery (GG	Lighting a Lamp- A Diwali	Goldilocks (GG 4)	Hungry Caterpillar (GG 3)	We're going on a Bear	The Everywhere Bear
goals	4)	story (GG4)	Billy Goats Gruff (GG 4)	Monkey Puzzle (GG 15)	Hunt (GG 4)	(GG 4)
	Owl Babies (GG 3)	The Same but Different	Mr Wolf's Pancakes (GG	Ugly Duckling (GG 14)	The Gruffalo (GG 15)	A Superhero Like you
		too (GG 10)	4)			(GG 4)
		Stickman (GG 15)				A Day in the Classroom
		Dear Santa (GG 4)				(GG 4)
		Nativity Story				

Communication and Language	Enjoy listening to simple stories Develop vocabulary – descriptive language Start to say how they are feeling using words as well as actions	Listening to simple stories and understand what is happening with the help of pictures Start to develop conversation Develop vocabulary – words for time e.g. now, later	Enjoy listening to longer stories Develop vocabulary – function of an object e.g. knows a sponge is for washing Develop pretend play 'putting baby to sleep' or 'driving a car to the shops'	Enjoy listening to longer stories and remember much of what happens Understand simple questions about 'who', 'what' and 'where' Use a wider range of vocabulary	Sing a large repertoire of songs Understand 'why' questions Use sentences of four to five words Use talk to organise play e.g. "Let's go on a bus, you sit there" Use past tense	Know many rhymes, be able to talk about familiar books and be able to tell a long story Start a conversation with an adult or friend and continue it for many turns Use 'because' or 'and' in sentences Use future tense Answer simple 'why' questions
 Personal, Social and Emotional Development (JIGSAW SCHEME) Self-Regulation Controlling own feelings and behaviours Applying personalised strategies to return to a state of calm Being able to curb impulsive behaviours Being able to concentrate on a task Delaying gratification Persisting in the face of difficulty. 	Being Me In My WorldI understand how itfeels to belong and thatwe are similar anddifferent.I understand how feelinghappy and sad can beexpressed.I can work together andconsider other people'sfeelings.I can use gentle handsand understand that itis good to be kind topeople.I am starting tounderstand children'srights and this meanswe should all beallowed to learn andplay.I am learning what	Celebrating Difference I know how it feels to beproud of something I am good at. I can tell you one way I am special and unique. I know that all families are different. I know there are lots ofdifferent houses andhomes. I can tell you how I could make new friends. I can use my words to stand up for myself.	 Dreams and Goals understand what a understand what a challenge means. I can keep trying until I can do something. I can set a goal and work towards it. I know some kind words to encourage people with. I can start to think aboutthe jobs I might like to dowhen I'm older. I can feel proud when I achieve a goal. 	Healthy Me I know the names for some parts of my body and am starting to understand that I need tobe active to be healthy. I can tell you some of thethings I need to do to behealthy. I know what the word 'healthy' means and that some foods are healthier than others. I know how to help myself go to sleep and that sleep is good for me. I can wash my hands and know it is importantto do this before I eat and after I	Relationships I can tell you about my family. I understand how to make friends if I feel lonely. I can tell you some of thethings I like about my friends. I know what to say and do if somebody is mean to me. I can use Calm Me time to manage my feelings. I can work together and enjoy being with my friends.	Questions Changing Me I can name parts of my body and show respect for myself. I can tell you some things I can do and some food I can eat to be healthy. I understand that we all start as babies and grow into children and the adults. I know that I grow and change. I can talk about how I feel moving to School from Nursery. I can remember some fun things about Nursery this year.

	being responsible means.			go to the toilet.		
				I know what to do if I getlost and how to say NO to strangers.		
Physical Development Gross Motor Skills & Fine Motor Skills	Running, jumping and climbing	Running, jumping and climbing.	Running around obstacles	Copy some letters Cutting with scissors for a purpose	Observe effect of activity on bodies.	Developing the ability to put on and take off their own coat with some
	Draw lines and circles	Draw lines and circles	Correct use of pencils		Collaborate with others	adult support
	using gross motor skills	using gross motor skills.	and scissors	Skip, hop, stand on one leg and hold a pose for	to manage large items such as large blocks and	Use a comfortable grip
	Enjoy starting to kick, throw and catch balls	Holding writing equipment	Continue to develop their movement,	games like musical statues	planks	when holding pens and pencils
Tes and	Build with a range of appropriate resources	Develop muscle tone to put pencil pressure on	balancing, riding (scooters, trikes and bikes) and ball skills	Make healthy choices about food, drink,	Forming some recognisable letters.	Show preference for a dominant hand
	Holding writing equipment	paper Use tools to effect	Use large and small motor skills to do things	activity and tooth brushing	Use and remember sequences and patterns of movements related to	Forming more recognisable letters
	Taking shoes off and	changes to materials	independently e.g. manage buttons and zips	Become increasingly independent in meeting	rhythm and music	Form letters correctly
	putting them on	Show preference for dominant hand	Handle tools, objects,	own care needs e.g. using the toilet, washing	Use one handed equipment e.g. scissors	Cut a shape out using scissors
		Develop manipulation and control	construction and malleable materials with increasing control	and drying hands thoroughly	to make snips in paper Develop pencil grip and	Begin to draw diagonal lines, like in a triangle /
		Explore different materials and tools e.g. clay, brushes, shells	Encourage children to draw freely.	Hold pencil effectively with comfortable grip	letter formation continually Use one hand consistently for fine motor tasks Cut	Start to colour inside the lines of a picture
		Climb up apparatus using alternate feet			along a straight line with scissors /	Draw pictures that are recognisable
		Clap and stamp to music			Start to cut along a curved line, like a circle	Build things with smaller linking blocks, such as Duplo or Lego
Reading & Literacy	Enjoy songs and rhymes	Join in with songs and	Say some of the words in	Repeat words and	Sing songs and say	Extend conversations
See Barham Poetry		rhymes, copying sounds,	songs and rhymes	phrases from	rhymes independently	about
Progression overview for further information on	Enjoy sharing books with an adult	rhythms, tunes and tempo	Repeat words and	familiar stories	Develop an	stories, learning new vocabulary
how rhyming words & nursery rhymes are taught.	Enjoy drawing freely	Pay attention and respond to	phrases from familiar stories	Ask questions, make comments and	understanding of the five key concepts of print	

	Counting I can say number names to 3 in order I can recite numbers past 3 Cardinality I can say one number for each item in order: 1,2,3,4,5. Shape I can explore 2D and 3D shapes in my play and I am beginning to use informal language to describe them such as 'straight', 'flat' and 'round'.	pictures or words in books Seek out favourite books Comparison I can use informal language to describe sizes and lengths such as, 'bigger, smaller, taller, shorter.' I know how to compare objects relating to size and length. Counting I can count out a group of up to 5 objects. I can count using one to one correspondence. I know how to sing a range of number songs Cardinality I can show 'finger numbers' up to 5. I can subitise up to 3 I know that the last number reached when counting a small set of objects tells me how many there are in total.	Give meaning to marks on drawings Comparison I can compare quantities using language: 'more than', 'fewer than'. Counting I can solve real world mathematical problems with numbers up to 5. I know how to experiment with my own symbols and marks. Shape I can talk about 2D and 3D shapes during my play and can use informal and mathematical language such as : 'sides', 'corners'; 'straight', 'flat', 'round'. I know the names of 2D and 3D shapes (circle, triangle, square, rectangle, sphere, cube, cuboid, pyramid) I have an awareness of some 2D shapes and	share ideas about a book Make marks on drawings to stand for their name Spatial_Awareness I can understand position through words alone – for example, "The bag is under the table," – with no pointing. I can describe a familiar route. I can discuss routes and locations, using words like 'in front of' and 'behind'. Shape I can combine shapes to make new ones - an arch, a bigger triangle etc. I know how to select shapes appropriately for building: flat surfaces for building, a triangular prism for a roof etc.	Comparison I can make comparisons between objects relating to weight and capacity. Cardinality I know how to link numerals to amounts: for example, showing the right number of objects to match the numeral, up to 5. Measure I can describe a sequence of events, using words such as 'first', 'then' I know and understand words such as 'heavy, light, full, empty, half full, half empty, nearly' to describe weight and capacity.	Write some or all of their name Write some letters accurately Counting I can to recite numbers past 5 I can say one number for each item in order: 1,2,3,4,5 Cardinality I can subitise up to 3 Shape I can use informal language like 'pointy', 'spotty', 'blobs' etc. Pattern I can talk about and identify patterns around me. For example: stripes on clothes, designs on rugs and wallpaper. I know how to create ABAB patterns– stick, leaf, stick, leaf. I know how to notice and correct an error in a repeating pattern.
Understanding the World	Past and Present - History Able to say who they are and who they live with. (PSHE/ All About Me)	Past and Present - History Comment on experiences intheir own life (Christmas, Diwali etc) Share similarities	their names Past and Present - History Share similarities between characters, figures or objects (different types of animal)	Past and Present - History Comment on experiences intheir own life (Easter) Culture and Community - RE/Geography	Past and Present - History Able to say who they are and who they live with (PSHE) Can talk about any pets	Past and Present - History Can talk about some members of their family (PSHE) Sequence family



	figures on skirsts			they may have (DCUE)	
Can talk about any pets they may have. (All About Me)	figures or objects (Traditional Tales/ Christmas)	Comment on characters in fictional stories (TraditionalTales)	Know there are special places of worship (Easter)	they may have (PSHE) Can talk about some members of theirfamily (PSHE)	members by size and name (baby. child, adult) (PSHE)
Can talk about some members of their family. (All About Me) Culture and Community - RE/Geography Comment on celebrations intheir own life. (All About Me) The Natural World - Science and Geography Respect and care for the environment. (PSHE) Talk about what they see in their own environment (school/ home). (PSHE) Talk about and describe different types of houses, including where they live. (All About Me) Hands on exploration using senses.	Culture and Community - RE/Geography Comment on celebrations intheir own life (Christmas/ PSHE) Know there are special places of worship (PSHE) Know there are differences in what we believe (PSHE) Develop positive attitudes about differences between people (PSHE) The Natural World - Science and Geography Changing seasons (Christmas/Winter) Identify suitable clothing fordifferent weather (Christmas/ Winter) Hands on exploration using senses	Culture and Community - RE/Geography Respect and care for the environment (Animals –habitats) The Natural World - Science and Geography Hands on exploration using senses Changing seasons (Spring) Identify suitable clothing for different weather (Spring) Understand the differencebetween plants and animals (Spring)	Know there are differences between what we believe (PSHE) Develop positive attitudes about differences between people (PSHE) The Natural World - Science and Geography Understand the differencebetween plants and animals (Animals) Know the life cycle of a butterfly (The Very Hungry Caterpillar) Plant seeds and care for growing plants with support(Spring)	Comment on experiences in their own life (PSHE) Comment on characters in fictional stories (Animals) Culture and Community - RE/Geography Respect and care for the environment (Animals – habitats) Explore the world around themand how things work (Animals – habitats) The Natural World - Science and Geography Respect and care for the environment (Recycling) Talk about what they can see in their own environment (Recycling) Talk about and describe different types of houses, including where they live (PSHE) Hands on exploration using senses Explore collections of materials and identify similar and different properties (Recycling/	Comment on experiences intheir own life (moving to Reception) Culture and Community - RE/Geography Respect and care for the environment (Animals –habitats) Explore the world around themand how things work (Animals – habitats) Show an interest in different occupations (Animals – vets) Develop positive attitudes about differences between people (PSHE) Know there are some other countries/ cities The Natural World -RE and Geography Talk about what they see in their own environment Talk about and describe different types of houses, including where they live Changing seasons (Summer)

					Vehicles)	
					Explore the world around them and explore how things work (Recycling/ Materials)	Identify suitable clothing fordifferent weather (Summer)
					Explore and talk about forces (pushand pull) (Recycling/ Vehicles)	
Expressive Arts and	Explore	Explore	Explore	Explore	Explore	Explore
Design	Colour – recognise colours / choose colours for a purpose	Colour – recognise colours / choose colours for a purpose	Draws potato people (no neck or body)	Draws potato people (no neck or body)	Print with blocks, sponges and fruit	Print with blocks, sponges and fruit
			Draw simple things	Draw simple things	Draw things that they	Draw things that they
	Can use thick paint brushes	Can use thick paint brushes	from memory i.e. cat	from memory i.e. cat	observe	observe
	Use glue sticks independently and glue	Use glue sticks independently and glue	Add other materials to develop models	Add other materials to develop models	Work independently to develop basic skills	Work independently to develop basic skills
	spatulas with support	spatulas with support	Beginning to weave using large outdoor	Beginning to weave using large outdoor	Begin experiment with mixing colours	Begin experiment with mixing colours
	Manipulate playdough	Manipulate playdough	shapes and large	shapes and large		
	in different ways (rolls,	in different ways (rolls,	ribbons	ribbons	Build walls to create	Build walls to create
	cuts, squashes, pinches, twists (Creative table/	cuts, squashes, pinches, twists) (Creative table/	Add additional textures		enclosed spaces, beginning to add towers	enclosed spaces,
	painting/ play dough)	painting/ play dough/ Christmas cards and	(Creative table/ painting/ play dough)	Add additional textures (Creative table/ painting/ play dough)	etc (creative table/ writing area/ painting	beginning to add towers etc (creative table/ writing area/ painting
	Imaginative Play	decorations)			area)	area)
	Develop storylines		Imaginative Play	Imaginative Play		
		Imaginative Play	Use own experiences to	Use own experiences to	Imaginative play	Imaginative play
	Play with familiar resources	Develop storylines	develop storylines	develop storylines	Create their own piece of art and gives meaning	Create their own piece of art and gives meaning
	Participate in small world play related to	Play with familiar resources	Create and use small world set ups (small world (sand pit / toys (Create and use small world set ups (small world (sand pit / toys (Begin to work with a	Begin to work with a
	rhymes and stories (Small world/ sand pit/	Participate in small world play related to	world/ sand pit/ toys/ resources)	world/ sand pit/ toys/ resources)	friend, copying ideas and developing skills together (small world/	friend, copying ideas and developing skills together (small world/
	toys / resources)	rhymes and stories (Small world/ sand pit/	Music Talk about how music	Music Talk about how music	sand pit/ toys/ resources)	sand pit/ toys/ resources)
	Music	toys / resources)	makes them feel	makes them feel		
	Respond to music –	B dura in			Music	Music
	verbally and using movement	Music Respond to music –	Sing a selection of nursery rhymes/ songs	Sing a selection of nursery rhymes/ songs	Copy basic actions and begins to learn short	Copy basic actions and begins to learn short

Sing in a group and tries	verbally and using movement	from memory (carpet time/ routine songs)	from memory (carpet time/ routine songs)	dance routines	dance routines
to keep in time (Carpet time/ routine songs)	Sing in a group and tries to keep in time (Carpet time/ routine songs/ Christmas songs/ Nativity)			Watch dances and performances Able to name a wide variety of instruments (drums, tambourine, maraca, triangle)	Watch dances and performances Able to name a wide variety of instruments (drums, tambourine, maraca, triangle)
				Play a given instrument to a simple beat (carpet time/ routine songs)	Play a given instrument to a simple beat (carpet time/ routine songs)