


Nursery yearly plan Year 2
2023 - 2024

	Autumn Term Autumn 		Spring Term Spring 		Summer Term Summer 	
	1a	1b	2a	2b	3a	3b
Context for learning	Dear Zoo by Rod Campbell	The Little Red Hen-traditional tale	The train ride by June Crebbin	The tiny seed by Eric Carle	The tiger who came to tea by Judith Kerr	The Gruffalo – Julia Donaldson
Special Events	Settling in Nursery visits Share a book	Christmas celebration and Christmas party Autumn walk	Settling in any new children Mother's Day Celebration	Easter Egg Hunt	Share a book morning WWF cake sale	Family activity day/Picnic with families
Communication and Language	Listening in small groups Animal Show and Tell Introduce Story Map FFT Phonics Activities Words of the week Animal stories and poems	Retell group story together and draw Story Map Children sharing their learning on Tapestry FFT Phonics Activities Words of the week Re-telling story with children's ideas	Retell group story using a story map FFT Phonics Activities Words of the week	Small groups retelling story with story maps Children sharing their learning on Tapestry FFT Phonics Activities Words of the week	Children draw their own story maps to retell the story FFT Phonics Activities Words of the week	Children begin to develop their own stories Children sharing their learning on Tapestry FFT Phonics Activities Words of the week
Personal Social and Emotional Development	Separate from main carer Select and use activities and resources with help Introduce Responsible Rhino Nursery rules Introduce fruit helper Introduce Next Steps	Turn taking Name feelings Working together Christmas celebration Next Steps Introduce Go for it Gorilla Taking turns with Advent Calendar Talking about healthy bread choices	Show confidence in new situations Next Steps Introduce Concentrating Crocodile Turn taking Talking about helping our families	Sharing and turn taking Introduce Win Win Wombat Next Steps	Talking about different emotions Talking about visitors/family coming to our homes Introduce Kind Kangaroo and Teamwork Tiger Next Steps	Tours of the school- transition activities Introduce Mindful Mouse Talking about some children moving to different schools Next Steps Picnic with families
Physical Development	Moving in a range of ways like animals Autumn and firework dance Drawing pictures on whiteboard Autumn walk in school grounds	Making Christmas cards and decorations Becoming more independent with coats and shoes Mark making in Christmas cards Acting out the story with gross motor movements	Making a train with thick brushes and large boxes Using crates to make trains in the garden Clothes for cold weather Mark making in Mother's Day cards Moving like trains – fast, slow, etc	Using tools Egg rolling Planting in the Nature Garden Digging, raking, sweeping Ring games	Moving in a range of ways like animals Clothes for hotter weather Importance of sun cream	Foundation Stage Sports Day Healthy eating and caring for teeth Making Gruffalo crumble Activity day

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Literacy	Handling books carefully- print direction class book Mark making on letters to the zoo Recognising own name and choosing lunch option. Daily book sharing	Adults scribe children's stories Create class book Farm animals information books	Shared reading Shared writing. Making train tickets. Name and numbers.	Shared writing Name writing Celebrate World Book Day	Shared reading Shared writing menu writing Name writing Listening games Information books about tigers	Shared reading Shared writing Name writing in a variety of materials Poems and rhymes Longer stories Stories about starting school
Mathematical Development	Animal number rhymes Sorting farm and zoo animals by size Firework number songs Counting children in class	Cutting shapes for cards Positional language and counting Christmas number songs Advent calendar	Number – money for trains Space Shape and Measure – long and short Chinese New Year counting coins game	Number line of Easter eggs Number and Shape Easter egg hunt	Shopping – money and price labels Counting in our café Handling money at cake sale	Number Space Shape and Measure Days of the week More less Matching numeral to amount.
Understanding of the World	Looking at information books about animals, using a world map and globe Learning about Diwali Games and puzzles on Whiteboard	Bonfire Night Christmas Seasonal changes Farm animal jigsaw puzzles Exploring flour and water Making bread rolls Planting bulbs in garden	Seasonal changes - ice Chinese New year Mother's day Visit from a train driver Parent visits re celebrations	Seasonal changes New life – observing changes in the nature garden Easter Floating & sinking Planting seeds	Seasonal changes Listening walks in field Planting in the garden Cake sale with donations to WWF Looking after our world and tigers Learning about shadows	Seasonal changes Eid Learning information about woodland animals Learning about forces
Expressive Arts and Design	Linking instruments to animals in the story Letters and sounds games Carnival of the animals Role play vets Autumn art work Introduce mud kitchen Model making	Selecting from a range of materials Learning songs for celebration Farm inspired songs and artwork Mud kitchen Model making	Role play train Transport songs Art work linked to transport Mud kitchen Model making	Egg painting Easter songs Flower painting Mud kitchen Model making	Role play café Painting pictures of tigers Painting orange and black stripes with thick brushes Mud kitchen Model making	Learning the Gruffalo song and movements Gruffalo caves in the garden with woodland animals Mud kitchen Model making