



Term	Nursery Topic / Focus	Focus Book
Autumn 1	All about me - Settling in, Families, Parts of the body, Halloween, Autumn. Walk around school, Intro to classroom rules, Intro to Music, Intro to PE in hall, Autumn Walk, Phonics, Maths, Dough Disco	Nursery Rhymes
Autumn 2	Festivals - Bonfire Night, Diwali, Birthdays, Nursery Rhyme Week, Christmas Intro to outdoor decking area, Intro to group work, Forest School, Phonics, Maths, Dough Disco, Teddy home (PSED)	The Gingerbread Man
Spring 1	Bears - Winter, Chinese New Year, Ice investigation, Winter animals, Teddy Bears Picnic, Story sequencing, Number of the Week, Intro to apparatus in hall, Intro to WellComm, Phonics, Maths, Dough Disco, Teddy home (PSED)	Goldilocks and the 3 Bears
Spring 2	Farm - Farm animals, Springtime, Mother's Day, Easter, Shrove Tuesday, Story sequencing, Number of the Week, Forest School, WellComm, Phonics, Maths, Dough Disco, Pen Disco, Teddy home (PSED)	Farmer Duck The 3 Little Pigs
Summer 1	Mini beasts - Outdoor investigation, Bug hunts, Sorting minibeasts, School trip, Bug Ball, Life Cycles Outdoor games, Shape of the Week, Caterpillars in classroom, WellComm, Phonics, Maths, Dough Disco, Pen Disco, Teddy home (PSED)	The Hungry Caterpillar
Summer 2	Under the Sea - Sea creatures, Holidays, Summer, Summer Fun Day, Prep for Reception, End of Year activities WellComm, Phonics, Maths, Dough Disco, Pen Disco, Teddy home (PSED)	Commotion in the Ocean



Term	Reception Topic / Focus	Focus Book
Autumn 1	Traditional Tales- starting school, learning about our families and our new friends. Learning new routines, getting to know people who help us in school and how we learn in our environment inside and outside. Exploring animal families, Autumn walk and forest school.	The Three Little Pigs The Three Horrid Little Pigs Little Red Riding Hood
Autumn 2	Magical stories – Halloween ,Bonfire Night, Diwali, Christmas, magic spells and magical events. Slime explosion experiments, Christmas baking, porridge making, sewing broad beans, forest school and Nativity performance.	The Elves and the Shoemaker The Magic Porridge Pot Jack and the Beanstalk
Spring 1	Journeys - Winter, Chinese New Year, Ice investigation. Winter walk and forest school. Exploring travelling around the world. Focus on polar region environments and animals, maps and other countries and cultures around the world. Focus on transport past and present.	Three Billy Goats Gruff My Granny Went To Market The Great Explorer
Spring 2	Eggs! - Spring walk and forest school. Mother’s Day, Easter. Focus on life cycles of chickens and frogs. Experience chicks hatching in our classroom!	Egg to Chick Little Red Hen Chicken Licken
Summer 1	Super Foods! - Eid celebrations. Fathers Day. Where does my food come from? What is healthy/unhealthy? Can we eat it? Visit the allotment. Harvest our broad beans Learn about Earth day and recycling. Make a giant scarecrow using recycled food packaging. Make milkshakes/fruit salad.	The Enormous Turnip The Ravenous Beast Supertato
Summer 2	Creepy Crawlies! Creepy crawly hunt in forest school. Bee keeper visit. Exploring nature, plants flowers. What grows in soil? Van Gough sunflowers. Planting in the allotment.	What the Ladybird Heard Superworm Egg to Bee