

Curriculum Overview

Class

Nest

Half Term

Autumn 1

Communication and Interaction

Responding to familiar people
Communicating needs and choices

Cognition and Learning

Developing attention and engagement
Anticipating familiar routines

English and Literacy

Exploring stories, songs and rhymes
Names, symbols and mark making

Maths

Exploring number and quantity
Matching, shape and size

Relationships, Health & Wellbeing

Building trusting relationships
Recognising and regulating emotions

Physical and Sensory Development

Exploring body awareness and movement
Responding to sensory experiences

Independence and Life Skills

Participating in self-care routines
Recognising personal belongings

Knowledge and Understanding of the World

Exploring our bodies and senses
Recognising family, class and school

Creativity and Future Aspirations

Exploring colour, sound and movement
Expressing interests and preferences

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Half Term

Autumn 2

Communication and Interaction

Responding during shared activities
Communicating choices and preferences

Cognition and Learning

Anticipating familiar events
Following simple sequences

English and Literacy

Exploring celebration stories and songs
Making marks, cards and messages

Maths

Counting and sharing objects
Exploring pattern, shape and quantity

Relationships, Health & Wellbeing

Participating alongside others
Managing changes to routines

Physical and Sensory Development

Exploring music and movement
Using tools and materials

Independence and Life Skills

Helping with familiar preparations
Choosing and returning resources

Knowledge and Understanding of the World

Exploring festivals and special occasions
Experiencing and responding to different celebrations

Creativity and Future Aspirations

Creating decorations and gifts
Responding to music and performance

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Spring 1

Communication and Interaction

Communicating food preferences
Responding to cues and instructions

Cognition and Learning

Exploring cause and effect
Following familiar practical sequences

English and Literacy

Exploring stories and texts about food
Recognising labels, symbols and recipes

Maths

Matching and sorting food
Exploring quantity, size and capacity

Relationships, Health & Wellbeing

Making supported healthy choices
Waiting, sharing and taking turns

Physical and Sensory Development

Exploring tastes, smells and textures
Using cooking tools with support

Independence and Life Skills

Participating in food preparation
Practising hygiene and eating routines

Knowledge and Understanding of the World

Exploring where food comes from
Noticing changes during cooking

Creativity and Future Aspirations

Exploring food through creative play
Recognising familiar people who prepare food

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Spring 2

Communication and Interaction

Communicating likes and dislikes
Choosing preferred people, objects and activities

Cognition and Learning

Sustaining attention in preferred activities
Repeating familiar actions

English and Literacy

Exploring familiar stories, songs and rhymes
Choosing and responding to favourite texts

Maths

Matching and sorting familiar objects
Exploring number, size and quantity

Relationships, Health & Wellbeing

Enjoying shared activities
Building confidence with familiar adults

Physical and Sensory Development

Exploring preferred movement activities
Choosing helpful sensory experiences

Independence and Life Skills

Making choices during familiar routines
Completing familiar tasks with support

Knowledge and Understanding of the World

Recognising familiar people and activities
Exploring what different adults do

Creativity and Future Aspirations

Exploring favourite colours, sounds and materials
Expressing interests and preferences

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Summer 1

Communication and Interaction

Communicating interests and preferences
Making choices about activities

Cognition and Learning

Sustaining engagement in chosen tasks
Repeating familiar actions and activities

English and Literacy

Exploring familiar and preferred stories
Representing choices through marks or symbols

Maths

Using number in practical activities
Matching and sorting familiar objects

Relationships, Health & Wellbeing

Enjoying shared activities
Building confidence with familiar adults

Physical and Sensory Development

Developing physical confidence
Using familiar regulation strategies

Independence and Life Skills

Completing familiar responsibilities
Making choices with increasing independence

Knowledge and Understanding of the World

Recognising familiar adults
Exploring what familiar adults do

Creativity and Future Aspirations

Exploring talents and interests
Representing hopes through creative activities

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Summer 2

Communication and Interaction

Communicating personal preferences
Interacting with familiar and unfamiliar people

Cognition and Learning

Repeating familiar learning
Becoming familiar with new routines

English and Literacy

Exploring stories about identity and difference
Responding to familiar photographs, objects and stories

Maths

Matching, sorting and comparing
Applying number and measure practically

Relationships, Health & Wellbeing

Recognising similarities and differences
Preparing for transition

Physical and Sensory Development

Recognising sensory preferences
Selecting familiar movement or sensory strategies

Independence and Life Skills

Recognising helpful support
Preparing belongings and routines

Knowledge and Understanding of the World

Recognising familiar people, families and places
Recognising growth and change

Creativity and Future Aspirations

Celebrating individuality creatively
Sharing achievements and interests

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