



RECEPTION CURRICULUM PLAN

Spring Term 2025

This term Reception children will be learning about:

	Spring 1 – Frozen Worlds	Spring 2 – On the Farm
Communication & Language	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ask simple questions through circle time games. • Talk about facts about winter, antarctica and animals of frozen environments using new vocabulary. • Say how I feel. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ask and answer simple questions. • Understanding the questions ‘why’ and ‘how’. • Discuss facts about farm to food processes using new vocabulary.
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sharing with our friends • Understand why exercise is important for our bodies • Keeping ourselves healthy and clean by washing our hands and cleaning our teeth • Listening and joining in with stories and rhymes. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Why I must eat my fruit and vegetables • Turn taking games • We will celebrate others successes and understand that sometimes I don’t win
Physical Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Putting on coat independently and doing up the zip • Using scissors and other tools to be creative. • Learn a simple dance routines using I moves, Winter theme. • Using different sized resources to create a structure of an igloo in different ways. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Practise finding a space in the hall • Play class games such as; Traffic lights, Beans game, Pirate ship, Volcanoes and Mountains. • Taking of and putting on shoes and socks independently
Literacy	<p>We will be sharing the stories of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One Day on our Blue Planet, in the Antarctic • Emperors Egg • Blue Penguin <p>We are continuing with daily Phonics and introducing Phase 3 sounds</p>	<p>We will be sharing the stories of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Little Red Hen • What the Ladybird Heard? • Farmyard Hullabaloo • Cock a doodle poo • Click, Clack Moo – Cows That Type <p>Phonics Phase 3 sounds</p>



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	Applying our knowledge of Phase 2 & 3 graphemes in reading and writing	Applying our knowledge of Phase 2 & 3 graphemes in reading and writing
Mathematics	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Time, length and height.• Growing 6 7 and 8	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Growing 6 7 and 8• Building 9 and 10• Exploring 3D shapes and where we find them.
Understanding the World	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Seasons and changes, winter• Comparing the UK with Antarctica using Google Maps and a globe• Animals in winter	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Pancake Day, making pancakes.• We develop an interest in occupations and the way of life of different jobs.
Expressive Arts and Design	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Make lifesize penguins• Creating our own versions of artists' work using different creative tools. "Antarctica" by Francine Bradette.• Winter multimedia artwork.• Music: Listening and appraising 'Hedwig's theme' by John Williams.• Be Safe Online song.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Transient art using natural resources linked to farms.• Music: Listening and appraising 'Lovely day' by Bill Withers and 'We Will Rock You' by Queen.• Learning and singing 'Old MacDonald'.• Drawing pictures on the computers.• Trip to the farm.