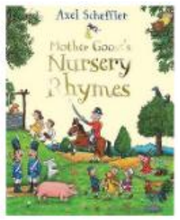
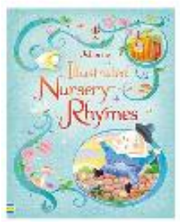
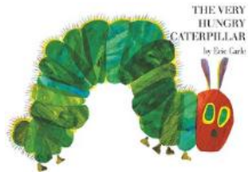
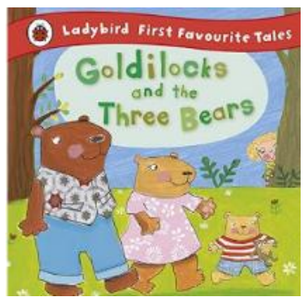
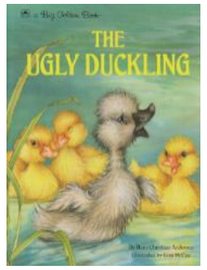
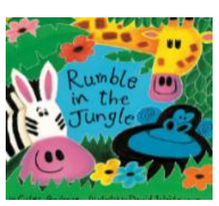
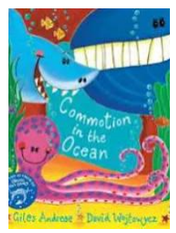
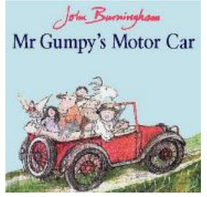
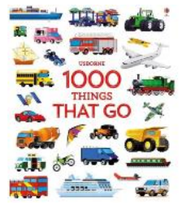
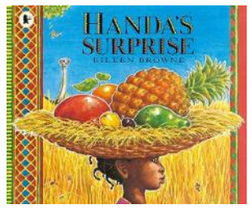
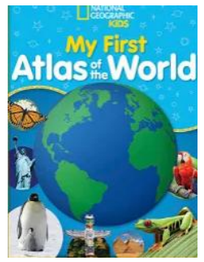
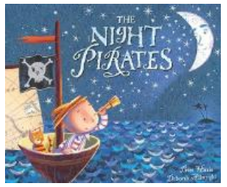
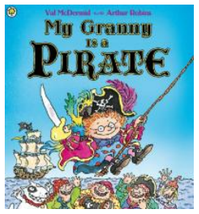
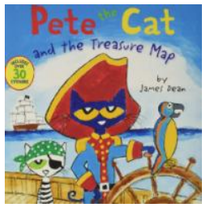
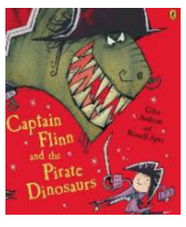
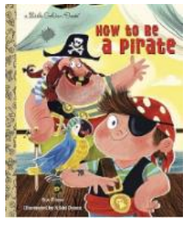
Reception Curriculum Map

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Theme: All About Me	**Theme:** Traditional tales	**Theme:** Amazing Animals	**Theme:** Transport	**Theme:** Our Wonderful World	**Theme:** Treasure Hunt!
Reading	**Reading**	**Reading**	**Reading**	**Reading**	**Reading**
    	 	   	  	 	    

Artist Focus	Artist Focus	Artist Focus	Artist Focus	Artist Focus	Artist Focus
Picasso	Wassily Kandinsky	Georgia O'Keeffe	Gustav Klimt	Guisepe Arcimboldo	Vincent Van Gogh Andy Warhol

Hook	Hook	Hook	Hook	Hook	Hook
Hide fruits and leaves with a hole through around Reception. How many grapes did we find? How many apples did we find? Who has been eating the fruits? I wonder if they ate anything else? I wonder what animal would fit through these fruits? Read the story.	Come into reception to find that Goldilocks has been visiting… broken/tipped over chairs/beds. Bowls of porridge. Do children know what has happened/who has been visiting? Discuss. Read/Tell the story. Find a lost shiny slipper… who does it belong to? Find pairs of leather shoes and tools, who do they belong to? Find different eggs… what will hatch out of them?	Set up a bear cave in the enhancement area with footprints coming out from the cave, leading to the main door. Add caution tape. Who has been here?	Vehicle washing, comparing the different types of vehicles E.g., school big bus, minibus, car, bicycle.	Class receives a present. A box delivered to the door with fruit in it. Class opens box. Can they name fruit? Who has the present come from? What can we do with the fruit? Make fruit salad. Share story.	Pirates dress up day… What do we already know about pirates? Treasure to find in the sand trays. Walking the plank.

Cross-Curricular	Cross-Curricular	Cross-Curricular	Cross-Curricular	Cross-Curricular	Cross-Curricular
Mathematics – counting foods. Saying days of week. Talk about the differences between the foods. Maths - Provide some weighing or balancing scales and encourage the children to weigh a selection of vegetables and order them from lightest to heavies. PD –cutting to make caterpillars and butterflies. Construction- using sticks and branches to build cocoons. Reading - making own lifecycle sequence book.	UTW - Explore the way in which ingredients change when they are mixed together and cooked. UTW: eggs, lifecycle, different eggs. UTW -Build carriage / castles for Cinderella. PD – dances for a ball. Literacy – Hot seating. Literacy - Provide recipe cards in the mud kitchen for children to use to create their own porridge.	UTW – Bear facts, bear lifecycle. Role play – retelling. Acting out story. Maths - comparing sizes of bears, bowls, beds, chairs. PD - obstacle course bear hunt. EAD – telling the story through sound, use of instruments.	Role Play: Set up a garage Moon dough. Maths – 2d/3d junk modelling vehicles. Literacy – for sale poster. Literacy – sequencing stories / retelling stories. PD – riding bicycles and other transport. EAD – create rockets that fly. EAD – create aeroplanes.	UTW – naming fruit, where do they come from, pinning on map. How do they grow? EAD – observational drawings of fruit. Literacy – Writing own books. Innovating stories. PSED – Using role play to act out social phrases. E.g. greeting someone, asking for help, turn-taking, commenting (I like, I love…). EAD – Scented painting.	UTW– What are pirates? When did they live? Construction - design and build a pirate boat. PD – pirate off ground games and obstacle courses, walking the plank. EAD - designing, making treasure. Literacy – postcards from a pirate, treasure maps, directions to find the treasure.

Role – Play – acting out the story with puppets. EAD – creating symmetrical butterflies UTW- life cycles of caterpillar/ our lifecycle.	UTW – where do oats come from?	PSE – being a friend.	Construction: building airport / bus station/ vehicles. ICT – Beebots - navigate around obstacle course.	Construction-build a fruit shop, build a boat to travel the world.	Role play – being a pirate. UTW – Maps

Events / Trips	Events / Trips	Events / Trips	Events / Trips	Events / Trips	Events / Trips
Dentist / Doctor visit	Tamimi Walk to shop Fairy Tale Dress up End of term Dress up	February Park visit: Bear Hunt / Teddy Bear Picnic Ramadan starts	Number Day International Day World Book Day	Itsy Bitsy Sports Day	Movie Night Piatto Superheroes / Pirates Dress up Day