

St. Philip's C E Primary School Curriculum Map Reception Teachers: Miss Samuel/Mrs Parsons/Mrs Rimmer

Early Years learning is split into 3 prime areas and 4 specific areas. The areas of learning we cover are:

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Communication and Language

Physical Development

Literacy

Mathematics

Understanding of the World

Expressive Arts and Design

We also teach phonics using 'Phonics Play', which follows the Letters and Sounds phases.

RE - Blackburn syllabus

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topics	All About Me	Polar Explorers	People Who Help Us	Mad About Minibeasts/ New Life	Traditional Tales	Under the Sea/ Pirates Ahoy!
Personal, Social & Emotional Development	Getting to know each other, singing songs, learning to take turns and play games. Looking after ourselves and our environment. New beginnings Separating from parents/carers. Learning new rules and routines Making new friends Meeting Y6 buddies Talk about abilities Become confident in trying new activities.	Working together to be good friends, accepting change-linked to cycle of seasons. Finding ways to solve problems. Develop confidence in trying new activities. Taking turns Resolving conflict Asking for help Continuing to follow class rules and routines.	Form positive relationships with adults. Ask appropriate questions. Adjusting behaviour to different situations. Working together to solve problems. Focussing upon resilience- not giving up when things stand in	Choosing appropriate resources for their activity Playing cooperatively Further develop confidence in various situations	Solving problems without aggression Awareness of rules Taking account of others' ideas Compromising Further develop confidence in expressing themselves	Accept changes of routine Transition visits to Y1 Saying goodbye and moving on.
Communication & Language	Listening to a range of topic related stories, enjoying singing songs and rhymes, following instructions. Talking about ourselves and our families. Speaking with growing confidence during circle time. Responding to stories and rhymes	Listening to a range of stories related to the topic, using props and puppets to retell, acting out stories and use role play/small world to recreate familiar texts. Extend vocabulary Maintaining attention for longer periods. Christmas concert.	Follow complex instructions. Listening attentively to visiting speakers. Listening to a range of stories related to the topic, using props and role play/small world to recreate experiences and roles in play.	Looking at a range of non-fiction texts with information about animals and plants. Stories about new life and Spring. Retelling	Enjoying traditional tales such as Goldilocks, acting out and recreating using cottage role-play and small world. Join in with repeated refrains. Anticipate key events in stories. Answer "how" and "why" questions.	Topic related stories, such as those with pirate adventures, under the sea themes such as 'Tiddler' and travel such 'The Hundred Decker Bus'. Looking more thoroughly at story language, adding detail and discussing tense.

Understanding the World	Learning about ourselves in relation to others Making observations of plants and animals Talking about seasonal changes	Exploring light and dark Learning from observing penguins in the arctic Comparing our environment with the arctic Family traditions (at Christmas)	Important people in the community Traditions and celebrations Similarities and differences	Life cycle of a caterpillar Living things Observing seeds and plants	Experimenting with different materials Discussing features of our environment with others (fairy tale environments/ China) Traditions and celebrations - Chinese New Year	Pirate Maps Treasure Island comparison with our environment
Expressive Art & Design	Colour mixing Self portraits Exploring textures Construction using various resources Designing with autumn related items - leaves, conkers Learning new songs Following beats Using narratives in play	Fireworks art with colour using various mediums Igloo construction using various resources Manipulate clay to achieve a planned effect (Diwali Candle holders) Penguin collages Snow effects Firework/Christmas Songs	People who help us roleplay Making own wrapping paper Wrapping boxes and making envelopes Puppets - making and using Chinese music Art - Chinese dragons and dragon dance	Artwork related to butterfly life cycle Symmetry paintings Butterfly songs and dance Mother's Day and Easter cards Explore and change sounds	Music - Learn about rhythm and pulse in songs Design and build bridges Junk modelling Re-enact traditional stories	Pirate ship junk modelling Creating a pirate song using various resources Design and make pirate hats and decorate cakes Pirate party games and dance
Role Play	Home Corner Fruit and Veg shop	Diwali festival tent - exploring light and dark Arctic igloo	Post Office Fire Station Police Station Vets Surgery	Grocery Shop Minibeast bug zone	3 Little Pig's House and construction area TV studio/news room	Pirate ship Under the Sea
Continuous Provision	Small world - dinosaurs/dolls/Peppa pig house and school/farm Writing area Funky Fingers Interactive Display Playdough area Leaves, conkers, sticks	Arctic animals Ice/Water Writing area Train track Nativity Set Marvellous maths Construction Sand and water Musical Instruments	Postman Pat/Fireman/doctors Sam in small world Letter writing area Jigsaws Marvellous maths Construction Sand and water Musical Instruments	Minibeasts/ magnifying glass Gardening - sandpit using pots and tools Butterfly observation area Water area Marvellous maths	Fairy tale story sacks/boxes Fairytale castle and small word figures Lego/Construction Playdough Computer programme Marvellous maths Construction	Pirates - small world Pirate jewel stash/money Water with various ships Marvellous maths Construction Sand and water Musical Instruments

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Outdoor Opportunities	Stage for Re-enacting Mud kitchen We're going on a leaf hunt..... Sand pit exploration Experimenting with climbing	Ribbons outside as fireworks Shape hunts Using torches to explore light/dark Arctic icebergs Roleplay on the stage	Dobbies Garden Centre theme for planting seeds Experimenting with water Ordering boxes a/c to size Letter posting	Butterfly hunt Hopscotch Mum/baby animal hunt Clothes line numbers	Sandcastle building Construction Bridge/3 little pigs houses Roleplay on stage Junk modelling outside Dragon dance	Pirate skittles Walk the plank addition Treasure hunts Treasure map using chalk
Texts	Jake's First Day Marvellous Me Monkey Puzzle Leafman Handa's Surprise Non - Fiction based around families, human bodies, growing.	The Scarecrow's Wedding The Runaway Iceberg The Polar Express The Christmas Story The Polar Express DVD	The Jolly Postman Cops and Robbers Fireman Sam Topsy and Tim	Mad about Minibeasts The Very Hungry Caterpillar Snail Trail The Tiny Seed	Jack and the Beanstalk The Gingerbread Man The Three Little Pigs	Sharing a Shell Tiddler The Whale's Song The Seal Surfer The Dolphin Boy Lighthouse Keepers lunch
Religious Education	I am Special Harvest	Special People (Values) Christmas	Stories Jesus Heard Stories Jesus Told	Easter Friendship	Special Places Prayer	Special Times
P.S.H.E.	New Beginnings	Getting on and Falling out	Going for Goals	Good to be Me	Relationships	Changes
Christian Values	Creativity	TBC	TBC	TBC	TBC	TBC
Trips/Visitors/Events	Parent's Workshop Buddy Assembly Trip to Lidl Parent's Evening	Remembrance Day Christmas play Christmas party	Visit from A Jolly Postman and other people who help us. Parent's Evening	Whole Class Trip to Underwater Street Easter Preparation	Trip over the bridge	Pirate Party Sports Day Annual Reports