

English Overview

Year Group: EYFS



Year A	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Theme	<i>I am Special</i>	<i>Cold places / Christmas</i>	<i>All about China</i>	<i>Traditional tales / Castles</i>	<i>Marvellous Minibeasts</i>	<i>Food glorious food</i>
Text Type	Fiction, non-fiction and rhyme	Fiction, non-fiction and rhyme	Fiction, non-fiction and rhyme	Fiction, non-fiction and rhyme	Fiction, non-fiction and rhyme	Fiction, non-fiction and rhyme
Writing focus	Writing name, Mark making Opticians mark making Body parts Now and then Family names	The Gruffalo's child Rhyming words Lost and Found – characters feelings Story writing – Prediction Alternative ending Information about animals from cold places	Instructions- making noodles Practise Chinese writing - Numbers Make mini book, sequencing events of the Chinese New Year Chinese New year greetings Information about Pandas Role play – Chinese restaurant – writing menus,	Cinderella – Character names and descriptions Sleeping Beauty - Story sequence Castle parts and labels	Joes Cafe - Menu and labels for mud pies and garden café menu Sequence own Hungry caterpillar book Make own information page about a minibeast Write a letter to the bad tempered ladybird	Jack and the Bean stalk – Make up giant words Bean diary Farm shop café labels and menus How to grow cress instructions Garden centre – Design a garden plan label plants trees and flowers Write shopping lists, seed packets, leaflets signs Supertato – fruit and

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			taking orders, signs.			veg superheroes The enormous turnip – speech bubbles
Reading focus	My body My History Families	The Gruffalo's child Lost and found	The great race: the story of the Chinese zodiac The runaway wok Usborne book of China	Cinderella Sleeping Beauty Usborne Castles	Joe's cafe The very hungry caterpillar The bad tempered ladybird The very busy spider Usborne Bugs	Jack and the beanstalk Supertato
Supporting texts	I'm special I'm me! My mum is fantastic We all belong It's ok to be different <u>Non fiction</u> This our house	Say hello to the snowy animals Danny and the great white bear One snowy night <u>Non fiction</u> Penguins Antarctica	The magic paintbrush Dragon dance Mr men Chinese new year <u>Non fiction</u> The great race Celebrations – Chinese new year Nicks new year	Knight time Rapunzel <u>Non fiction</u> In the castle See inside castles Castles and moats	<u>Non fiction</u> Butterflies and moths Caterpillars and butterflies Spiders Underground	Good enough to eat? Oliver's fruit salad Oliver's vegetables Rosie goes shopping The gingerbread man Handa's surprise <u>Non fiction</u>

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						Food What shall I cook? Why Can't I just eat sweets? Children's cook book Sweet things
Year B						
Theme	<i>Nuts about nature and me</i>	<i>People who help us (Fire! Fire!)</i>	<i>Dinosaurs</i>	<i>1,2,3 Blast off!</i>	<i>Pirates</i>	<i>Africa</i>
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Writing focus	Copy their name Give meanings to the marks they make Bear hunt trail Autumn checklist Family names and labels Brown bear, brown bear what can you see?	List of people who help Writing messages in role play Letters and cards Christmas labels and cards	Dinosaur names and dinosaur spotting Writing speech bubbles. Making a class story book Dinosaur log Compose new dinosaur names	Design a rocket World book day Whatever next? Where would you travel to in a rocket? Speech bubbles Mother's day card Alien names / Alien descriptions	Pirate names Wanted posters Treasure maps The night pirates – Write about your adventure with the girl pirates Write a message in a bottle Label pirate ship Peter Pan - Speech bubbles	Going on Safari checklist Information on African animals My home and African homes What would you take in Handa's basket? Father's day cards Sports day writing

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			Describe a dinosaur – Who am I?		Describing characters Pirate stories	
Reading focus	We're going on a Bear hunt The Gruffalo Oliver's leaf Brown bear, brown bear	Funny bones Going to the Doctors At the doctor Going to the Hospital My Body Jolly Postman Jolly Postman Christmas	Harry and the bucketful of dinosaur stories Usborne Dinosaurs Peep inside	Whatever next! Here come the aliens! Aliens love underpants Usborne Space	Port side pirates! Pirate Pete's talk like a pirate Night pirates	We're Going on a Lion Hunt Nonfiction books about houses and homes. All about Africa Handa's Surprise Handa's hen
Supporting texts	Owl Babies Colour Monster Little Rabbit Foo Foo Prickly hedgehog <u>Non-fiction</u> Autumn Book of seasons George saves the world at lunchtime	Nativity Christmas stories Wash your hands Fred the fighter Freddie visits the doctor <u>Non fiction</u> Visiting the dentist I wish I were a pilot	Dinosaurs in the supermarket Dinosaurs love underpants <u>Non fiction</u> Dinosaurs	Q Pootle 5 Winne in space Marshmallows for Martians <u>Non fiction</u> Going to the moon 100 things to know about space Living in Space	Pirate Pete and his parrot The pirate cruncher Captain Flinn and the pirate dinosaurs missing treasure <u>Non fiction</u> Ladybird explorers plus- Pirates	Picnic farm Kidogo Over in the grasslands Masai and I Mama Panya's pancakes – A village tale from Kenya <u>Non fiction</u>

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		Your body First experiences Flashing fire engines		Sun. moon and stars	Water	Emeka's gift – An African counting story A is for Africa We all went on safari – A counting journey through Tanzania
Year C						
Theme	<i>Toys and Teddies</i>	<i>Toys and Christmas</i>	<i>Incredible India</i>	<i>Journey's and Transport – On the move</i>	<i>How does your garden grow?</i>	<i>Oh I do like to be beside the seaside</i>
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Writing focus	Copy their name Give meanings to the marks they make Invitations for bears to teddy bears picnic	Toy shop labels Toy labels for display Get well soon card – Miss Polly Old and new toys Christmas cards Our visit to the Panto	Indian food menu Diwali words and captions Diwali cards	Rosie's Walk story map Who got into Mr Gumpy's motor car? The Train Ride – What can you see? What would you say to Mr Gumpy if	Label plant Bean diary Cress growth instructions Garden centre signs and labels The Enormous Turnip story writing	Postcard The Rainbow fish – Describe the fish Sharing a shell – Home wanted poster Seaside poems Seaside packing list

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				you wanted to get on his boat?	Supertato story writing	
Reading focus	We're going on a bear hunt – repetitive phrase and rhyme	Miss Polly had a dolly – Rhyme The toys night before Christmas	Prita goes to India Rama and Sita The tiger child	Rosie's Walk Mr Gumpy's motor car The train ride Mr Gumpy's outing Whatever next?	Jack and the beanstalk The Enormous Turnip Supertato The Princess and the Pea	The Rainbow fish Sharing a shell Seaside poems
Supporting texts	Kippers Toys Jolly Tall Mine Brown bear, brown bear Goldilocks and the 3 bears The bear and the scary night <u>Non fiction</u> Toys Teddy bear books	Stickman Teddy bears Christmas picnic Oi get off my train Just like Jasper Old bear Bear stays up Mog's Christmas The snowman <u>Non fiction</u> Toys and games How do toys work?	Rama and Sita: The story of Diwali The Tiger child <u>Non fiction</u> Rama and Sita the story of Divali	Tough trucks Courtney Runaway train Amazing Aeroplanes. The Penguin who wanted to fly <u>Non fiction</u> A family in Greenland Going for walk Atlas	Jaspers beanstalk Supertato The very hungry caterpillar The enormous turnip The Princess and the pea <u>Non fiction</u> Living things Plants Growing Vegetables Fruit	Rainbow fish to the rescue Good night little rainbow fish Rainbow fish discovers the deep sea The snail and the whale A hole at the bottom of the sea Little Captain Billy's bucket Rockpool

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				Air and flying – Let's explore Science What's inside? - Trucks		The hole at the bottom of the sea Winnie the witch at the seaside <u>Non fiction</u> Seashore Under the sea Seaside holiday
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