

	St Monica's RC Primary School: EYFS Long Term Overview Curriculum Map					
	Nursery					
	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
Topic tile	All About Me How Many Colours in a Rainbow? Autumn	Autumn – Why do Leaves go Crispy? Advent/Christmas	Winter Wonderland/ Where does Snow Go? Winter/Ice/Polar Chinese New Year	People Who Help Us Superheroes Signs of Spring	Growth and Change Lifecycles Sunflowers/Caterpillars (either of these topics can be covered on a 2 yr cycle)	Marvellous Machines Journeys Holidays and Beaches
Communication and Language	Through focused work, cross curricular activities and discussions, we will support children with developing their Communication and Language. Autumn 1 – WellComm Assessments					
Physical Development	Fine and Gross Motor skills are developed through ongoing continuous provision and focused activities					
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	Building Relationships <i>Play; finding solutions</i> <i>Starting school - All About Me booklets</i> Autumn 1 – Colour Starting Nursery - Sharing All About Me books Monster - Emotions Colour and Me - I am special		Self-Regulation <i>Follow rules; sense of responsibility; confidence</i> Spring 2 – The Dot - self confidence		Managing Self <i>Feelings; solve conflict; being assertive</i> Summer 2 - Squirrels who squabbled	
English	Nursery Rhymes Brown Bear Brown Bear	Traditional Tales Three Little Pigs Goldilocks Three Billy Goats Gruff Little Red Riding Hood	Non-Fiction Books – Winter/Polar Lanterns and Firecrackers (CNY) Lost and Found	Non-fiction books – occupations Supertato (series of books)	Jack and the Beanstalk Jasper's Beanstalk or Very Hungry Caterpillar	Non-fiction books – Transport Car Car Bus Jeep Commotion in the Ocean We're Going on a Bear Hunt
Mathematics	Colour Sorting Pattern	Size Counting Principle Comparing	Number 1 – Circles Number 2 – Pairs Number 3 – Triangles	Number 4 Squares and Rectangles Number 5	Shapes My Day Length and Height	Weight Capacity Positional Language
Religion	Topic 1 – Myself (Domestic Church – Family) Topic 2 – Welcome (Baptism – Belonging) Topic 3 – Birthday (Advent/Christmas – Loving)		Topic 4 – Celebrating (Local Church – Community) Topic 5 – Gathering (Eucharist – Relating) Topic 6 – Growing (Lent/Easter – Giving) World Faith – Holi, Hindu (Festival of Colours)		Topic 7 – Good News (Pentecost – Serving) Topic 8 – Friends (Reconciliation – Inter-relating) Topic 9 – Our World (Universal Church – World) World Faith – Eid/Ramadan, Islam	
Understanding the World	Finding colours in the natural environment Introduction to seasonal changes (Summer to Autumn)	Observing signs and changes of Autumn St Nicholas	Signs of Winter (Autumn to Winter) Exploring ice (freezing, melting) Polar Regions inc. animals and habitats Making bird feeders Culture – CNY	Occupations of parents and community Police/Fire/Dentist Changes in Spring	Lifecycles Planting Caring for living things	Looking at a range of machinery Transport Knowing about different countries

Expressive Arts and Design	Colours and mixing	Rolling Conkers – paints Natural Art Christmas – printing Leaf sculpture (kebab)	Ice/winter collage Bubble painting/printing Colours of winter Kandinsky – Shapes	Flower drawings – pastels, crayons Colours of spring Mondrian – Shapes	Andy Goldsworthy Eric Carle	Making large scale models Cogs and Wheels
RSE and PSE TEN TEN		Handmade With Love I Am Me Head Shoulders Knees and Toes Ready Teddy?	I Like, You Like, We All Like! All the feelings Let's Get Real Growing up new people and new places	Role model Who's Who You've got a friend in me Forever Friends What is the internet ? Playing Online	Safe Inside and out My Body my Rules Feeling poorly People Who Help us	God is love Loving God Loving Others Me, You, us When I grow up Money Doesn't Grow on Trees
Memorable experience	Exploring Powder Paint Searching for Rainbows	Tactile Experiences – crunching through leaves etc.	Ice in environment Making snowflakes	Visitors with different jobs	Outdoor gardening Visit to Garden Centre	Searching school for range of machinery
Suggested topic related texts	Percy the Park Keeper Simon's socks (Pattern)	Other traditional tales	Lost and Found	Non fiction books on spring	Scarecrows Wedding 10 Little Seeds	Rosies Walk The Train Ride We catch the Bus

Topics and texts can be changed depending on children's interests and

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Topic tile	Me and My Community	Exploring Autumn Pirates	Starry Night	Dangerous Dinosaurs	Growth and Change	Big Wide World
Communication and Language	Through focused work, cross curricular activities and discussions, we will support children with reaching the Early Learning Goal in Communication and Language.					
Physical Development (PE Passport)	Nursery Rhymes Fine and Gross Motor	Gymnastics (Flight, jumping, bouncing and landing) Fine and Gross Motor	Dance – Jungle Fine and Gross Motor	Gym – Rocking and Rolling Fine and Gross Motor	Locomotion 2 Fine and Gross Motor	Athletics 1 Fine and Gross Motor Fine and Gross Motor
Personal, Social and Emotional Development (See Ten Ten topics)	Starting School Colour Monster Colour Monster Goes to School Rules and Routines Building Relationships – <i>Work and play cooperatively; positive attachments</i>	Building Relationships – <i>Work and play cooperatively; positive attachments</i>	Children's Mental Health Week Self-Regulation <i>Feelings; work towards simple goals; control impulses; attention and follow instructions</i>	Self-Regulation <i>Feelings; work towards simple goals; control impulses; attention and follow instructions</i>	Managing Self <i>Try new activities; independence; rules, right and wrong; basic hygiene; healthy food</i>	Managing Self <i>Try new activities; independence; rules, right and wrong; basic hygiene; healthy food</i>
English	Baseline Assessments Introducing the Write Stuff – FANTASTICS	What do we see/hear in Autumn?	How to Catch a Star – Imaginative Writing (imaging lens)	To use various lens to write about the egg found in the nature garden	Handa's Surprise-descriptive writing	Making informative posters- Taking care of our world

	Nursery Rhymes	Leaf Man – Describing Emotions (feeling tens) Pumpkin soup (tasting tens) The Night Pirates – Speech Bubbles, describing character (noticing lens) Extended Phonics	Whatever Next/-story retell Poetry -writing space/ rocket poems Non-fiction Space Books	Non Fiction Writing – Fact file Dinosaurs Galore poetry - Dinosaur poems writing own If I had a Dinosaur – Imaginative Writing Cave Baby Stone Age Boy Letter writing	The ILittle Red Hen - Retell Olivers Fruit Salad – Instructions	Postcard writing Recount of school trip to the farm
Mathematics	Baselines Match, Sort and Compare Talk about measure and patterns It's me 1,2,3 Circles and Triangles 1,2,3,4,5 Shapes with 4 sides		Alive in 5 Mass and Capacity Growing 6,7,8 Length, height and time Building 9 and 10 Explore 3D shapes		To 20 and Beyond How many now? Manipulate, compose and decompose Sharing and Grouping Visualise, Build and map Make connections	
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Understanding the World	People, Families and Communities Local Area and School – Pictures maps maps of our local area	Imaginative maps (Pirates) Natural World – Seasonal Changes Celebrations around the world	Light and Shadows Moon/Space Tasting astronaut food	Fossils Lifestyle changes Changing over time Timelines Prehistoric Animals	About Me – life cycle Habitats Living Things Farms – growing and producing food-changing in farming over time Seasonal Changes	The world – journeys Climate Changes Looking after our World Places visited
Expressive Arts and Design	Self Portraits (Painting) Drawing – Families Local Artists - Frances Lennon Charranga – Unit 1 Me!	Leaf Collage and Pastel work Colour mixing Diwali – Pattern and Clay Making Soup Charranga – Unit 2 My Stories	Starry Night – Van Gogh Junk Model Rockets Charranga – Unit 3 Everyone	Cave Paintings Salt Dough Fossils Charranga – Unit 4 Our World	Archimbaldo – Fruit Collage Portrait Making fruit salads Charranga – Unit 5 Big Bear Funk Observational Drawings	Graffiti Art – Collaborative Art Charranga – Reflect, Rewind, Replay
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Memorable experience	Local Walk Tour of the School	Local Walk (Autumn search) Visiting Library Making and tasting soup Visiting Church	Photo's of school grounds at day and night Home – looking at stars Tasting astronaut food	Finding dinosaur egg on playground	Farm Trip Gardening	Visit Bin Men Recycling bins Picking up litter

Suggested topic related texts	The Worrysaurus Starting School Topsy and Tim Goat goes to Playgroup All About Families	Ferdie's Falling Leaves Leaf Man Pumpkin Soup Diwali - Rama and Sita	Aliens love Underpants Laura's Star How to Catch a Star Whatever Next ! Space poems	Cave Baby Stone Age Boy Non fiction Dinosaur books Harry and his bucket full of dinosaurs	Handa's Surprise Little Red Hen Oliver's Fruit Vegetables	Someone Swallowed Stanley A World Full of Plastic George Saves the World The Emerald Forest This is Our World
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