## **RECEPTION CURRICULUM OVERVIEW**

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	Space Starting school	In the Woods	Under the Sea	Growth (fruit and veg)	On the Farm	Once Upon a Time
Visits and visitors	Introduction to woodlands - rules of the woodlands and seasonal changes  Rocket launch Space	Bonfire Safety in woodlands  Visit to the Church  Christmas Story	Seasonal changes in Woodlands	Seasonal Changes/planting in Woodlands  Mothers Day – Invite into school  Easter egg Hunt in	On The Farm	Male role models in the woods in woodlands  Teddy Bears Picnic in woodlands
Now Press Play		Cinistinas Story	Under the Sea	woodlands Weather		Jack and the beanstalk
My Happy Mind	Meet Your Brain	Celebrate	Appreciate	Relate	Engage	Changes Transition
RE	Nature of Religion and Belief	Expressing Beliefs	A Good Life	Personal Journey	Influence and Authority	The Big Picture
Aspiration	Astronaut	Fire fighter Zookeeper/Vet	Police Officer Dentist Scuba diver Marine biologist	Gardener / Horticulturist	Farmer	Postal worker
Main text	Whatever Next	We're Going on a Bear Hunt	The Rainbow Fish	The Enormous Turnip	The Little Red Hen	Jack and the Beanstalk
Supplementar y texts Pie Corbett Spine Texts	Reading Plan:  1. Harry and his bucketful of dinosaurs start school	Reading Plan: 1. Can't you Sleep Little Bear 2. Gruffalo 3. This is the Bear	Reading Plan: 1. Commotion in the ocean 2. Under the Sea - Anna Milbourne	Reading Plan: 1. Oliver's Vegetables 2. Busy Spring Nature wakes up 3. Plants Feed Me	Reading Plan: 1. Farmyard hullabaloo 2. Chickens can't see in the dark	Reading Plan: 1. Goldilocks and the Three Bears 2.Three Billy Goats Gruff
	2. Aliens love	in the Scary Night	fact book	4. The Amazing Life	3. All are welcome	3.The Gingerbread

	underpants 3. Space Walkies 4. How to catch a star 5. Aliens in underpants save the world 6. Astro Girl  Owl Babies Goodnight moon	4. Where is my friend Bear? My Friend Bear 5. The Littlest Bear Gillian Shields 6. Peace at Last 7. The Christmas story  Mrs Armitage On the way home	3. Barry the fish with fingers 4. The Snail and The Whale 5. The Fish who could Wish 6. Tiddler 7. Shark in the dark	Cycle of Plants 5. Plants Can't Sit Still 6. Handa's surprise Six Dinner Sid	4. Rosie's walk -5. Cock a moo-moo 6. Farmer Duck Mr Gumpy's outing	Man 4. Cinderella 5. The Little Red Riding Hood 6. The Jolly Postman
Story plot	Journey Tale	Journey Tale	Overcoming a problem	Character Flaw	Finding Tale	Overcoming a problem Rags to Riches
Toolkit focus	WAGOLL: Whatever	WAGOLL: Bear	WAGOLL: Rainbow	WAGOLL: The	WAGOLL: Little Red	WAGOLL: Jack and
	Next	Hunt	Fish	Enormous Turnip	Hen	the beanstalk
WAGOLL,						
Innovation &	Story language:	Story structure:	Story structure:	Innovation: Change	Innovation:	Innovation: change
Invention	Once upon a time, One day, Next, Then, Finally Innovation: Character change Invention: Going on a journey; play in provision	rhythm and rhyme Innovation: Class member goes on a bear hunt. Invention: We're going on a polar bear hunt.	rhythm and rhyme Innovation: Character change on who they meet. Invention: Overcoming a problem	turnip to different vegetable and change characters Invention: character flaw story creations	character change (farm animals) Invention: Who will help me make pancakes?	the character from jack to friend. Invention: Setting change to retrieve a new treasure linked to traditional tales.
SPAG	Speed Words:	Speed Words:	Speed Words:	Speed Words:	Speed Words:	Speed Words:
	space, rocket, bear,	bear, grass, mud,	fish, crab, shark,	turnip, enormous,	hen, farm, plant,	Jack, giant, pot of
	moon, picnic, bump	forest, snowstorm, cave, Swish, howl,	jelly fish, scuba diver, sea	man, woman, boy, girl, mouse	water, cut, grind, knead, bake, eat,	gold, beanstalk, market, cottage, old
	Red word – He, She	squelch, crunch,	uivei, sea	giri, iliouse	chicken, sheep, wool,	man, magic beans
	word Tre, one	dark	Red word – he, she,	Root vegetables:	cow, milk	man, magic beans
	He got	3.3	the, to	turnip, carrot,		Red word – my, he
		Red word – the, is,	,	parsnip, radish,	Red word – She, the,	capital letters for
	boots, a helmet, a	he, she	He met a	beetroot, potato,	you, I	names
	rocket, a space suit		He went to the			
		Labelling settings		Red words- I, he, she,	Can you help?	He went up the

Non-fiction	List:	Information leaflet: brown bear	Sentence building  Animal profile booklet:	me, the The man pulled the turnip. Sentence writing Capital letters and full stops. Instructions sheet:	She went to the I will help.  Sentence writing Capital letters and full stops.  Fact book about different farm	beanstalk. He got the pot of gold.  Sentence writing Capital letters and full stops.  Letter writing: character and new
	What would I need to go to space?	features, home, food, fun fact.	DOOKIEL.	How to grow a vegetable.	animals.	year 1 teacher.
	Innovation: What would I need to go to the moon? Invention List: What should I take for a picnic on the moon	Innovation: Information leaflet on polar bears features, home, food, fun fact.	Innovation: crab, shark, clown fish, puffer fish, turtle	Innovation: What a plant needs to grow. First Next Then Finally (vocab focus-flap book)	Animal and product: Hen – egg Cow – milk Sheep – wool  (retrieval) Write a list of animals we will see at the farm.  Recount on farm visit.	Instructional writing on how to grow a beanstalk.
Poetry structure	Vocabulary building  Zoom zoom zoom we're going to the moon	Repetition & rhythm Brown Bear Polar bear	Commotion in the Ocean Rhyming  Jelly fish jiggling seahorse wriggling Crab clipping lobster snipping	Vocabulary building  Naming root  vegetables	Animal noises  Farm animals and the sounds they make	Repeated story phrases — climb climb climb, down down down, chop chop chop
11 - 4 1 4	Poetry basket	Poetry basket	Poetry basket	Poetry basket	Poetry basket	Poetry basket
Understanding of the World Continuous	Weather Seasonal change	Weather Seasonal change	Weather Seasonal change	Weather Seasonal change	Weather Seasonal change	Weather Seasonal change
Understanding of the World	Light and dark The moon	Habitats: grassland, forest, cave.	Habitats: land, sea Compare contrasting	Growth: parts of a plant, root, stem, flower, leaf, seed	Farm animals – cow, sheep, hen	Plant growth: parts of a plant Stem, leaf, roots,

The Natural World		Day and night  Nocturnal animals UK Nocturnal animals: Badger, Owl, Bat, Hedgehog  Similarities and differences between the natural world around us and contrasting environments  Brown bears (not in the UK) vs. polar bears	environments.  Name shark, fish, octopus  Reduce/reuse/recyc le	Life cycle of a plant, respect and care for the natural environment and all living things  What plants need to grow? (sun light, water, soil, warmth)  Observing changes in food – cut offs vegetables  Growing fruit and vegetables  Planting, cress, flowers (sunflowers) potatoes	Habitats – farm/wild  Animal Life cycles – egg-hen	Planting: beanstalk diary. Draw changes Investigating plant growth  Harvesting potatoes
Enhanced provision	Torches Dark space (tent)  Magnetic forces – attraction/ repulsion	Changing states of matter: melting/freezing ice Ice safety	Floating, sinking: Making boats to float	Woodlands Invertebrates observation Magnifying glasses Changing states of matter: Melting chocolate	Changing states of matter: Making butter from cream irreversible change	Woodlands Invertebrates observation Magnifying glasses Minibeast houses
Topic questions	What is outer space? What does an astronaut wear in outer space? What does an astronaut do? What is the difference between	What is the difference between day and night? What do you/animals do during the day? at night?	What is the difference between the land and the sea? What does a marine biologist do? What do fish have to live in water?	What are the parts of a plant? What does a plant need to grow? What is the lifecycle of a plant?	What is a farm? What is the job of a farmer? What do Humans get from farm animals? What is the lifecycle of a chicken?	What are the signs of summer? Do all plants need soil to grow? How can a bean be grown? How can stories be

Understanding of the World  Past and Present  People, Culture and Communities	light and dark? What does an astronomer use?  The first man on the moon  Google Earth to space  Where do we live? (Heaton)	What animals live in the woodlands? How can ice be melted? What is the difference between Autumn and Winter? Location: grassland, forest, cave  Include other climates/settings for bears around the world – polar bear, brown bear  Map of church visit Map of bear hunt Map visit to the school forest	What animals live under the sea? Why is pollution in the sea a problem?  Land, sea, sky  Oceans and sustainability Plastic in the oceans Recycling  Story: A Whales Tale - journey	Location: near, far Map: where things come from bananas/carrots	What are the signs of spring?  Location: farms around the world  Farm machinery now and then: Tractor vs horse and plough  Similarities and differences between UK farming and Pakistan farming	Landmarks: real castles (Skipton, Buckingham Palace) (past and present, castles are from the past)  Map of where Jack lives. Cottage, path to the market, market, castle.
Role Play and props	Role play going to the moon: box (rocket), bear, colander, welly boots, space suits, picnic blanket and food. Coloured playdough	Cave Weather Appropriate clothing Leave a note from the bear video or bear in the classroom  Cinnamon /ginger to playdough Leaves (autumnal)	Water – boat, submarine, fish, scuba diver, air tanks, masks, Blue colouring water Sequins large/gems	Gardening - vegetables, spades, watering cans, buckets, seeds, wheelbarrows. Soil  Planting role play: vegetables/flowers  Fruity flavours /herbs to add to playdough	The Red Barn Milking Cow: Outdoor focus Baking: baking bread Churning butter Grinding grains using mortar and pestle  Oats in playdough Cornflour gloop  Farm shop	Ginger to playdough The Giants Castle reading area Post office Goldilocks and the 3 Bear's Cottage Giant's footprints Playdough bakery ginger to playdough
Small World	Whatever Next Finger puppets	We're going on a bear hunt settings	Under the sea: fish, sea creatures, sea	Small world: vegetable patch	Small world: little barn, farmyard	Jack and the beanstalk puppets:

		sensory based tuff	plants, shells,	Story scene with	experience	Jacks house,
	Astronauts + aliens	tray	stones, Dyed	characters	Farm lego	vehicles, people,
	tuff tray		spaghetti			treasure, Giants
						castle
Expressive	Tracing and cutting	Tracing, cutting.	Fish – patterns,	Colour mixing: green	Using different	How to draw a giant,
Arts and		Draw around	Overlapping,	leaves – shading	materials to create	beanstalk, castle,
design	Sponge printing /	paper/felt bears	cutting,	(previously taught)	farm animals	
	dabbing		stencils,			Fixing/Fastening/Join
Creating with		Rangoli designs	tearing,	Sketching animals	3D model farm scene	ing skills
Materials	Overlapping 2D flat		weaving,			3D structures:
	shapes	Winter wishes card		Observational	Food preparation:	houses, cottages,
	(paper/gummed)		Printing with paint	drawings/paintings -	making flapjack	castles
		Tissue paper		vegetables plants	Where do oats come	
	Exploring Painting	exploration:	Colour mixing		from?	Junk modelling
	shades	cutting, tearing,	creating shades of	Easter/Spring Basket:		
	light colours vs dark	scrunching	colours	cutting, folding,		Clay exploration:
	colours eg light	Christmas	Design and make a	gluing		pots of gold
	green V dark green	decorations:	sea creatures from			
		2d/3d stars, trees	different materials:	Food preparation:		Food preparation:
	Joining using		paper plates and	Make a chocolate		How to make a
	selotape/glue/maskin	Folding and cutting	card	nest (melting, mixing,		sandwich
	g tape /string	paper to create		breaking, scooping)		
	Factoring	patterns:		Damadan datas		
	Fastening and	snowflakes		Ramadan- dates		
	attaching using split	Class assalanations		Food managetion.		
	pins/hole punch;	Clay exploration: Diwali divas		Food preparation:		
	aliens	Diwaii divas		Fruit and vegetable cooking and tasting		
	3D structures toilet	Food preparation		COOKING and tasting		
	tube rocket, cone	gingerbread				
	top, tissue paper;	biscuits				
	rockets	Discuits				
	TOCKETS	Scrunching/overlap				
	Making playdough	ping to collage				
	Waking playabagii	(tissue paper)				
PE	Locomotion	Locomotion	Locomotion	Locomotion	Locomotion	Locomotion
	Stability	Stability	Stability	Stability	Stability	Stability
	Object control	Object control	Object control	Object control	Object control	Object control