

## CARE Cultural Curriculum Foundation Overview

Area of Learning	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term	
Theme	All about Me! Celebrations	Buildings and Transport Animals and minibeasts	Let's Grow! Fun in the sun	
Communication and Language	Introduce new words Initial sounds in words Discussing and sharing our experiences Retelling stories Similarities and differences Role play area	Similarities and differences Language through play Answering how and why questions Sharing thoughts and having opportunities to reflect		
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	Learning about our value: Friendship Making new friends Helping hands How to be a good friend Sharing about ourselves Sharing about our families Discussing celebrations, we share with our families and in school	Managing ourselves and feelings Zones of regulation Developing independence Organising activities Developing speaking in a familiar group Select resources needed independently Building resilience Reflecting on changes in ourselves		
	Life Skills			
	Putting on a coat & Shoes on the right feet	Using a Knife and Fork Recycling/Being Kind to the Environment	Crossing the Road Using a Ruler	
Understanding the world	Similarities and differences Celebrations and festivals in our own and different cultures	Making comparisons Looking at the local area and other countries Celebrating Chinese New Year	Lifecycles Growing seeds and plants Exploring the natural world	

		Making Maps Different transport old and new Comparing environments of countries, we travel to Lifecycles	Looking at changes and processes Making observations		
	Art				
Expressive Arts and Design	Self-portraits – Sketching/Colouring Exploring colours Creating images using shapes Natural resources collages Firework designs with chalk and paint Printing objects with paint Christmas arts and crafts Drawing selecting resources needed	Drawing/sketching buildings Chinese New Year creative activities Seasonal change pictures Finger painting Playdough and tools to sculpture Colour mixing	Sketching through observations Creating models Collage using natural materials Creating paintings Exploring different mediums including water colours, pastels, and chalks		
	Artists and Skills we explore over the year  Van Gogh: Painting William Morris: Printing Picasso: Painting Henri Mattise: Colouring & Collage  Music (Chranga)				
	Christmas Nativity This is a 6-week unit of work where children learn to sing Christmas songs and act in unison.	<b>Me!</b> This is a 6 week unit of work where children learn to sing nursery rhymes and action	Big Bear Funk This is a 6 week unit of work focussed around one song: Big Bear Funk which is a transition unit that prepares children for their musical learning in Year 1/ages 5-6.		
			Reflect, Rewind and Replay		

			Consolidate learning that has occurred during the academic year.		
	Phonics				
Literacy	Start Read, Write, Inc. Read all set 1 single letter sounds Blend sounds into words orally	Blend sounds to read words Read short Ditty stories Read set 1 special friends Read red storybooks Read 4 double consonants	Read Green or Purple storybooks Read 1st 6 set 2 sounds		
	25 sounds	35 sounds	41 sounds		
	Reading				
	Reading a range of stories  Book talk  Celebrations – using fiction/non-fiction texts  Listening for initial sounds Introduce pinching sounds to write words	Range of books to focus class learning Develop writing skills Introducing Red words Developing pinching sounds to write words Begin sentence writing	Embedding writing and reading skills Book making Sentence writing Labelling Independent writing activities		
<b>Maths</b> (Whiterose)	Getting to know you Match, sort and compare Talk about measure and patterns It's me 1,2,3 Circles and triangles 1,2,3,4,5,6 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 Consolidate		

Physical Development	Fine – motor skills				
	Exploration with playdough Sensory activities Pencil control Scissor focus activities Letter formation Threading Fine motor activities to build strength in small muscles Building and construction Chalk on the playground Daily handwriting practise				
	Gross - motor skills - P.E (Complete P.E)				
	Walking 1 Jumping 1 Feet 1 Hands 1	Ourselves Moving Dinosaurs High, Low, Over, Under	Hands 2 Rackets, Bats, Balls & Balloons Games for Understanding		
	Bikes, climbing and building opportunities in the Outdoor Learning				
Cultural Capital Opportunities	Seasonal walk Biscuit decorating Cake baking Bread making Trying new fruits from different countries Pantomime	Seasonal Walk around the local area Growing chicks Growing Frogs Planting	Growing Ducks Guest speakers (People who help us) Trip into the local community School trip to the farm		