

**Nursery Curriculum Map
2025 - 2026**

All About Me

Autumn 1		Autumn 2	
C&L	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Role Play: Inside -Home Outside – Dr’s ➤ Use talk in their make-believe and imaginative play ➤ Engage in conversations with adults and peers 	C&L	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Roleplay: Inside -Home Outside - Cafe ➤ Use talk in their make-believe and imaginative play ➤ Share their ideas and respond to questioning
PSED	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Settling strategies ➤ Establish routine ➤ Class/Playground rules ➤ Making friends and sharing 	PSED	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Feelings ➤ Turn Taking ➤ Independence
Physical Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Gross motor skills; Games to develop core strength, stability and balance. ➤ Fine motor skills; Handling small world equipment, puzzles and creative tools ➤ Developing healthy bodies ➤ Promote health awareness 	Physical Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Gross motor skills; Games to develop spatial awareness, co-ordination and agility ➤ Fine motor skills; Handling small world equipment, puzzles and creative tools ➤ Developing healthy bodies ➤ Promote health awareness
Literacy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Listen to stories with increased recall ➤ Join in with repeated refrains ➤ Writing formats in role play and graphic area; Shopping lists / prescriptions ➤ Texts: <li style="padding-left: 40px;">Naughty Bus <li style="padding-left: 40px;">The Train Ride <li style="padding-left: 40px;">Lulu gets a cat Songs: Humpty Dumpty Wheels on the bus Here we go around the mulberry bush 	Literacy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Listen to stories with increased recall ➤ Join in with repeated refrains ➤ Writing formats in role play and graphic area; Shopping lists / menus / orders ➤ Texts: <li style="padding-left: 40px;">Alphonse, there’s mud on the Ceiling <li style="padding-left: 40px;">Hello friend <li style="padding-left: 40px;">Oh no, George Songs: Jack and Jill Hickory Dickory Dock
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Counting ➤ Shape 	Mathematics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Pictograms –Favourite fruit ➤ Finding given quantities
Understanding the World	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Families, Differences, ➤ Globe, where are we from? ➤ Senses ➤ Communities, Place ➤ Baking 	Understanding the World	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Occupations ➤ Forest school ➤ IT ➤ Baking
Expressive Arts and Design	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Opportunities to explore and play with a wide range of media and materials ➤ Portraits ➤ Songs about the body 	Expressive Arts and Design	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Opportunities to explore and play with a wide range of media and material ➤ Songs about the body ➤ Now Press Play session: Occupations

Green Fingers			
Spring 1		Spring 2	
C&L	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Role Play: Indoor – Tree House Outdoor- Florists ➤ Story props ➤ Puppets ➤ Engage in conversations with adults and peers 	C&L	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Role Play: Indoor – Tree House Outdoor – Garden Centre ➤ Story props ➤ Puppets ➤ Share their ideas and respond to questioning
PSED	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Turn Taking ➤ Independence ➤ Feelings ➤ Respect for living things 	PSED	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Turn taking ➤ Independence ➤ Feelings ➤ Respect for living things
Physical Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Gross motor skills; Games to develop co-ordination and agility. ➤ Fine motor skills; Handling small world equipment, puzzles and creative tools ➤ Developing healthy bodies ➤ Promote health awareness ➤ Number formation 	Physical Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Gross motor skills; Games to develop spatial awareness, co-ordination and agility ➤ Fine motor skills; Handling small world equipment, puzzle and creative tools ➤ Developing healthy bodies ➤ Promote health awareness ➤ Number formation
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Mathematics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Counting ➤ Patterns ➤ Numbers – Spiders legs/Ladybird spots 	Mathematics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Life cycle jigsaws ➤ Number recognition
Understanding the World	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Forest School ➤ Local environment ➤ Habitats ➤ Baking 	Understanding the World	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Stick insects in class ➤ Children taking photographs at Forest School ➤ Baking
Expressive Arts and Design	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Opportunities to explore and play with a wide range of media and materials ➤ Observational drawings ➤ Texture ➤ Pattern ➤ Songs about insects / minibeasts ➤ Now Press Play session: On the Farm 	Expressive Arts and Design	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Opportunities to explore and play with a wide range of media and materials ➤ Observation drawings ➤ Texture ➤ Pattern ➤ Now Press Play session: Minibeasts

Rumble in the Jungle			
Summer 1		Summer 2	
C&L	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Role play: Inside – Safari lodge Outside – Jungle hide ➤ Shows understanding of prepositions ➤ Responds to simple instructions ➤ Uses talk in their make-believe and imaginative play ➤ Engage in conversations with adults and peers ➤ Story Sack Rumble in the Jungle 	C&L	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Role play: Inside – Village Home Outside – Safari Camping ➤ Shows understanding of prepositions ➤ Responds to simple instructions ➤ Uses talk in their make-believe and imaginative play ➤ Share their ideas and respond to questioning
PSED	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Making friends and sharing ➤ Feelings ➤ Relationships 	PSED	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Making friends and sharing ➤ Feelings ➤ Relationships
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Mathematics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Counting ➤ Number recognition 	Mathematics	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Pattern ➤ Measure

Understanding the World	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Different environments ➤ Families ➤ Forest School ➤ IT – Busy Things ➤ Baking 	Understanding the World	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Different environments ➤ Families ➤ Forest School ➤ IT – Busy Things ➤ Baking
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