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| **Themes**  **Key Texts** | **8 weeks**  Topsy and Tim start school.  Family and me  The Colour Monster  Superbat,  Supertato.  The little red hen  Firework text | **7 weeks**  Sidney the silly only eats 6.  Story of Diwali  Dinosaur roar  That’s not my dinosaur.  Doctor/Firefighter/Police- Picture books  Transport through time- History link  Old toys story  Christmas story | **5 weeks**  Donut touch  Fergal is fuming.  The adventures of egg box dragon.  The knight who said no  Princess text  The Chinese New Year story | **5 weeks**  One Fox  The button box  The hungry caterpillar.  Jaspers bean.  The ugly Five  Aliens love underpants.  The easter story | **7 weeks**  Too many carrots  The Gruffalo  The smartest giant in town  What the ladybird heard  Room on the broom.  The scarecrows wedding. | **7 weeks**  Simon Sock  The ginger bread man  The three little pigs  Goldilocks and the three bears.  Letters to Mother Goose  Jolly Postman  Under the sea |
| **Theme** | Maths:  How much how many?  All about me 1,2,3!  Literacy:  It is amazing to be me. (3 weeks)  Super heroes (2 weeks).  Thank you farmers (2 weeks)  Wizz Bang Pop! (1 week), Bonfire Night 5th | Maths:  4 and 5 jump and jive!  Pick and mix number 6!  Literacy:  Diwali- (1 week)  Dinovember (2 weeks)  People who help us! (2 weeks)  Christmas then and now! (2 weeks). | Maths:  7 and 8 on a plate!  Team 9 and 10!  Literacy:  Nobel Knights and powerful princesses! (2 weeks)  Roarsome! (2 weeks)  Chinese new year (1 week) 10th Feb Dragon. | **Maths:**  **1-10 all again!**  **20 plenty!**  **Literacy:**  Everything changes everything grows! (2 weeks)  We love our planet! (2 weeks)  The Easter Story (1 week) | **Maths:**  **Write and remember arithmetic!**  **Literacy:**  Julia Donaldson author study! (6weeks)  Weddings from other cultures. (1 week) | **Maths:**  **Maths explorers and pattern finders!**  **Literacy:**  Traditional tales (3 weeks)  You’ve got mail! (2 weeks)  Under the sea-Holiday’s! (2 weeks) |
| **Role play areas** | Farm shop – outside  Superhero headquarters – AG  Home corner – NM | Opticians – AG  Santa’s Grotto – NM  Police station - outside | Chinese restaurant – AG  Dentist – NM  Outside- castle | Bank -AG  Recycling centre -NM  Garden centre - outside | Princess Pearls Vets- AG  Florists-NM  Garage -outside | Construction/builder’s yard – outside  Travel agent– NM  Post office – AG |
| **Science themes:** | Magnet man  Senses  Body parts | Ice melting  Seasons | Sound vibrations  Floating and sinking | Baby animals  Growth and decay  Recycling | light travelling through a transparent material | Observes natural process – light casting a shadow |
| **Forest school** | Rules and exploring  Making Scarecrows  Colour chart  Texture  Senses | Making mud dinosaurs  Mapping  Seasons | Andy Goldsworthy art | Minibeast hunt | Stick man  Broomsticks  Animal homes | Fairy/elf soup  Dens |
| **Key Events** | Harvest Festival  Cinema  Bonfire Night 5th Nov | Diwali 12th Nov  Remembrance Day 11th Nov  Visit from police/fire fighter.  Christmas performance  PJ party  Parent open mornings start. | Chinese New Year 10th Feb  Exotic Zoo trip  Valentines’ day 14th Feb | World Book Day 7th March  Mother’s Day 10th March  Easter 9th April  Litter picking at Lawley Park  Ugly Bug Ball | Eid: Evening of Tue, 9 Apr 2024 – Wed, 10 Apr 2024  Grandparent’s afternoon – crafting  Wedding | Wonderland  End of year awards  Beach party – ice cream van  Father’s Day 16th June |