







## Reception Curriculum Overview 2025-2026

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
<b>Themes</b>	<b>All about me!</b> 	<b>Autumn/Woodland</b> 	<b>Animals Living in Cold Places</b> 	<b>Animals Living in Hot Places</b> 	<b>Lifecycles – Animals and Plants</b> 	<b>Transport, Journeys, Water</b> 
<b>PSED</b>	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
<b>PE</b>	ABC Agility, Balance and Co-ordination	Dance	Awareness	Gymnastics	Send and Receive	Games
<b>Understanding the World</b>	<b>Natural World</b>	Science & Geography - I wonder why the leaves are not green.		Science - What happens to our World during spring? Geography – Places from around the world		Science - How do some living things grow? Geography – We're going on a Bear Hunt - Maps
	<b>People communities and cultures</b>	Links to RE curriculum Harvest, Culture day Christmas Diwali		Links to RE curriculum Lentern/Easter celebrations Mother's day		Links to RE curriculum Father's Day
	<b>Past and Present</b>	History – Who is in my family?		History – How have I changed?		History – What was life like for my Granny?
<b>RE</b>	Creation and Covenant	Prophecy and Promise	Galilee to Jerusalem	Desert to Garden	To the Ends of the Earth	Dialogue and Encounter
<b>Computing</b>	Programming: Movement algorithms	Creating media: Woodland scene	Computing systems and networks: Understanding different devices	Data and information: Branch databases	Creating media: Lifecycle book	Programming: Journeys
<b>Expressive Arts and Design</b>	<b>Art</b>	Collage – Hannah Hock	Collage Anthony Goldsworthy	Painting – Jackson Pollock		Drawing/Painting Van Gogh

	<b>DT</b>		Christmas Biscuits		Making a moving Easter card		A large Scale Home Structures
	<b>Music</b>	To learn to control and develop pitch (singing) and pulse skills. To introduce timbre of different instruments.  Big Red Combine Harvester	To learn to control pitch (singing) and a steady beat & develop listening skills.  Follow that Star	To perform a more complex song with a focus on TEMPO & TIMBRE  Love Grows One By One	To learn to control and develop pitch (singing) and rhythm skills. To introduce hand patterning.  The Little Green Frog and Little Bird	To learn to control and develop pitch (singing), texture and rhythm skills. To introduce structure in music  Sing a Rainbow/Magic Penny	To learn to sing more complex songs with a wider pitch range. To use actions confidently in songs Teddy Bear's Picnic/Teddy Bear Blues