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	Autumn 1 Ourselves 	Autumn 2 Buildings 	Spring 1 Day and night 	Spring 2 Growing 	Summer 1 Minibeasts 	Summer 2 Journeys
PSED (See SCARF plans)	**Texts:** All about me and All Are Welcome. Discussions about families Discussions about starting nursery/knowing routines. Being a good friend Helping others Feeling	**Texts:** The Three Little Pigs and Kindness makes us strong. Same and different homes/buildings Discussions about where we live. Talking about different buildings in our area.	**Texts:** Peace at Last and Anyone can be my friend. Routine discussions Bedtime and healthy routines Safety – day and night Being safe. Joining/starting nursery	**Texts:** Oliver's Vegetables and The Same but Different Growing – plants and humans Change over time Helping to take care of plants Learning about taking care of friends and family. Being a good citizen.	**Texts:** The Very Hungry Caterpillar and We All Belong Lifecycles Change over time Taking care of minibeasts Discussions about resilience Healthy eating. Joining/starting nursery	**Texts:** The Train Ride and Handa's Surprise Journeys Transport Starting school
Communication and Language.	Talk about families/special events/interests-hobbies Talk about people who help us-Mummy etc	Talk about our homes Look at and talk about different buildings/structures eg castles, bridges and houses.	Talk about getting ready for nursery and bedtime. Talk about the different features of daytime and night-time. eg At night it is dark. There are stars in the sky. You sleep at night.	Growing plants-How to plant a seed. What do seeds need to grow? Were you a baby? How have you grown?	Can you find any minibeasts? Where do you find them? What have you found? eggs, caterpillar,cocoon/chrysalis, butterfly-life cycle of a butterfly.	How do you travel to school? Discussing everyday journeys and routes. Where would you like to visit?
Physical Development	Music and movement-action songs/flipper flappers Building homes with small and large construction. Painting/drawing house and family members hand printing Playdough Chunky pens and large rolls of paper-draw parts of the story	Music and movement-action songs/flipper flappers Building houses, castles and bridges with small and large construction. Making dens Drawing/painting different structures Playdough	Music and movement-action songs/flipper flappers Can you run as fast as the gingerbread man? Painting Playdough-gingerbread men Chunky pens and large rolls of paper-draw parts of the story	Music and movement-action songs/flipper flappers Can you climb the beanstalk/climbing frame? Build small and large scale castles Chasing game-What time is it Mr Giant? Chunky pens and large rolls of paper-draw parts of the story	Music and movement-action songs/flipper flappers Playdough Chunky pens and large rolls of paper-draw parts of the story Life cycle of a butterfly song-Boogie Beebies CosmicYoga-lifecycle of a butterfly	Music and movement-action songs/flipper flappers Chunky pens and large rolls of paper-draw parts of the story What time is it Mr wolf-chasing Game
Literacy	**Nursery Rhymes:** Baa-Baa Black Sheep; Jack and Jill. **Texts:** Goldilocks and the Three Bears Straight lines, up and down and horizontal. Environmental Sounds	**Nursery Rhymes:** London Bridge is falling down. **Texts:** Three Billy Goats Gruff. Straight, circular and dotty marks. Environmental Sounds.	**Nursery Rhymes:** Hey Diddle Diddle and Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star. **Texts:** The Gingerbread Man Ascribing meaning to marks they have made. Environmental print Rhyming strings.	**Nursery Rhymes:** Oranges and Lemons and Ring a ring of roses. **Texts:** Jack and the Beanstalk Begin to make letter like shapes. Body percussion	**Nursery Rhymes:** Incy Wincey Spider; Little Miss Muffet. **Texts:** The Very Hungry Caterpillar/The Enormous Turnip. Attempting first letter of name. Oral blending/segmenting.	**Nursery Rhymes:** Wind the Bobbin Up; Humpty Dumpty. **Texts:** Little Red Riding Hood Oral blending/segmenting.

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Maths	Colours-recognising, naming and matching colours Sorting-Sorting by various attributes Pattern-Continuing AB patterns	Size-Using language of size Counting principles-One to one principles, stable-order amount of objects principle, cardinal principle Comparing	Shapes-focus on properties of shape My Day-ordering the events of the day Length and height-long, short, tall and comparing lengths	Number One-exploring and understanding number 1 Number Two- exploring and understanding number 2 Number Three- exploring and understanding number 3	Number Four-exploring and understanding number 4 Number Five- exploring and understanding number 5 Number Six- exploring and understanding number 6	Weight-light and heavy and comparisons Capacity-full, half full, empty and comparison Positional language-using language related to position and direction
Understanding the World	Non-fiction texts linked to ourselves Theme discussions. Seasons and change. Children's interests.	Non-fiction texts linked to buildings Theme discussions. Seasons and change. Children's interests.	Non-fiction texts linked to day and night. Theme discussions. Seasons and change. Children's interests.	Non-fiction texts linked to Growing Theme discussions. Seasons and change. Children's interests.	Non-fiction texts linked to minibeasts and other animals. Theme discussions. Seasons and change. Children's interests.	Non-fiction texts linked to places, travel and transport. Theme discussions. Seasons and change. Children's interests.
Expressive Arts and Designs.	Explore primary colours Exploring colour-mixing paint Printing AB patterns	Design and create bridges and homes	Starry Night-Vincent Van Gogh inspired artwork	Observational drawings/paintings of spring flowers	The Snail-Henry Matisse inspired artwork	Design and make a vehicle-individual /collaborative
Experiences:	Make and taste porridge	Design and make sandwiches for the Christmas Party	Make gingerbread men	Make vegetable soup	Use the healthy fruits from 'The Very Hungry Caterpillar, to make a fruit salad	Make food for a delicious picnic
Passport Activities / 50 Things to do.	#1Getting to know you #Show and tell	#16 Whee Bang Whiz #33 Home from home #35 Trip Trap Trip Trap	#12 Brrr…explore the cold! #14 See the stars	#19 Growing, little people, plants and things #29 Pitter Patter	#9 Minibeasts and bug hunting #48 Natural Art	#25 Creative junk #28 The Wheels on the bus