SS Peter and Paul Catholic Primary School EYFS Curriculum Overview

Year Group: Reception

Foundation Stage planning is used as a guide and not a "tick list". This is to ensure that teachers have the flexibility to respond to individual needs, interests and cultures when appropriate.

Subject	Aut 1	Aut 2	Spr 1	Spr 2	Sum 1	Sum 2
Topic	I wonder what it means to	I wonder how we celebrate?	I wonder who lives there?	I wonder what is under the	I wonder how it grows?	I wonder how it works?
	be a hero?			sea?		
Books/Texts	<text><text><text></text></text></text>	<image/> <image/> <text></text>	This is Our House The Three Little Pig Homes around the world	sea?	Oliver's Vegetables Jack and the Beanstalk Life cycle of a sunflower Babies to giants	<image/> <image/> <text></text>
The Way, The Truth, The Life	God's World	God's Family	Getting to know Jesus	Sorrow and Joy	New Life	The Church
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	Settling into school, making friends, school routines; learning and playing together Form positive attachments to adults and friendships with peers.	Explain the reason for rules, know right from wrong and try to behave accordingly. Work and play cooperatively and take turns with others.	Show an understanding of their own feelings and those of others and begin to regulate their behaviour accordingly.	Be confident to try new activities and show independence, resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge.	Manage own personal needs and understand the importance of healthy food choices. Set and work towards simple goals, being able to wait for what they want and control impulses where appropriate.	Give focused attention to what teacher says and can show ability to follow instructions involving several steps. Show sensitivity to their own and to the needs of others.
Physical Development	Gross motor: Listening and following instruction games Fine motor:	Gross motor: Exploring different ways of moving such as running, jumping , dancing, hopping, skipping and climbing.	Gross motor: Develop balance and coordination Fine motor:	Gross motor: Negotiate space safely Fine motor: Hold pencil effectively with	Gross motor: Multi sports skills Fine motor: Develop pencil grip and letter	Gross motor: Team games/ sports day prep Fine motor: Form letters correctly

	Gain independence in dressing and undressing. Show preference for dominant hand. Begin to use cutlery effectively.	Fine motor: Develop muscle tone to put pencil pressure on paper Establish tripod pencil grip	Begin to form letters correctly Handle tools, objects, construction, and malleable materials with increasing control	comfortable grip Forms recognisable letters most correctly formed	formation continually	Uses small tools such as scissors effectively.
Communication and Language	Listen attentively and respond to what they hear with relevant questions, comments and actions.	Make comments about what they have heard and ask questions to clarify understanding.	Hold conversation when engaged in back-and-forth exchanges with their teachers and peers.	Participate in small group, class and one to one discussion, offering their own ideas, using recently introduced vocabulary.	Offer explanations for why things might happen, making use of recently introduced vocabulary.	Express their ideas and feelings about their experiences using full sentences, including use of past, present and future tenses and making use of conjunctions with modelling and support from their teacher.
Literacy	Phase 2 phonics Reading: Listen to stories, describe main parts Books sent home after initial assessment with phase 2 sounds Story time: Fiction and non-fiction relating to topic Writing: Knows initial phoneme in spoken words Manipulate objects with good fine motor skills Give meaning to marks Use language for a range of purposes Use baseline, ongoing assessments and planning to inform Differentiation	Phase 2/3 differentiated phonics Reading: Look at books independently; begin to link sounds and letters. Books with words and sentences Story time: Fiction and non-fiction relating to topic Writing: Can continue a rhyming string Develop muscle tone to put pencil pressure on paper Can identify some phoneme/grapheme correspondences Begin to use letters to rep. meaning Use ongoing assessments and planning to inform differentiation	Phase 2/3 differentiated phonics Reading: Begin to segment sounds and blend. Guided reading- working on parts of a story. What various parts of a book are called. Books with sentences and stories Story time: Fiction and non-fiction relating to topic Writing: Extend spoken vocabulary Recognise some familiar words Begin to form letters correctly Use writing as a means of communicating to audience Write own name and labels/captions Use ongoing assessments and planning to inform differentiation	Phase 3 Differentiated phonics Reading: Begin to read words and simple sentences. Guided reading- simple comprehension skills, questions Books with sentences and stories Story Time: Fiction and Non-Fiction related to topic Writing: Hold pencil effectively with comfortable grip Forms recognisable letters most correctly formed Use phonic knowledge to write simple words and attempt more complex words Begin to write short sentences Use ongoing assessments and planning to inform differentiation	Phase 4 differentiated phonics Reading: Read and understand simple sentences Guided reading-simple comprehension skills, questions Books with sentences and stories Story Time: Fiction and Non-Fiction related to topic Writing: Can name and sound letters of the alphabet Begin to form simple sentences using some punctuation Write own name Write simple sentences Use ongoing assessments and planning to inform differentiation	Phase 5 differentiated phonics Reading: Use phonics to decode and knows some irregular words. Recognise alternate graphemes Guided Reading- fluency, expression, simple comprehension skills, questions Books with stories Polysyllabic words Story Time: Fiction and Non-Fiction related to topic Writing: Writes different forms for example captions, labels and lists. Attempt to write for different purposes Use talk to organise thinking and feelings for writing Spell words correctly or by using phonics Use ongoing assessments and planning to inform differentiation

Mathematics	Number: Represent numbers up to five, in a variety of ways Count reliably up to 5 objects, including those that cannot be moved	Number: Represent numbers up to 10 in a variety of ways Numerical Patterns: Compare guantities up to 10 in	Number: Count reliably any arrangement of up to ten objects Subitise (recognise quantities without counting) up to 5	Number: Verbally count beyond 20 Numerical Patterns: Explore odd and even	Number: Automatically recall number bonds to 5 Numerical Patterns: Explore doubling.	Number: Automatically recall some number bonds to 10 including double facts. Numerical Patterns:
	Count actions or sounds <b>Numerical Patterns:</b> Explore and represent patterns	different contexts, recognising when one quantity is greater than, less than or the same as the other quantity	Numerical Pattern:s Explore how quantities can be distributed evenly. Use ongoing assessments	Use ongoing assessments	Use ongoing assessments and	Recognise the patterns of the number system. <b>Use ongoing assessments and</b>
	Use baseline, ongoing assessments and planning to inform differentiation	Use ongoing assessments and planning to inform differentiation	and planning to inform differentiation	and planning to inform differentiation	planning to inform differentiation	planning to inform differentiation
Understanding	Past and Present:	Past and Present:	Past and Present:	Past and Present:	Past and Present:	Past and Present:
the World	Talk about the roles of people around them.	Understand the past through events read in class and	Explore similarities and differences in homes in the	Know some of the similarities and differences	Farming past and present	Explore how technology/ machines are different now
		storytelling.	past and now.	between things in the past	People, Culture and	People, Culture and
	People, Culture and Communities:	People, Culture and Communities:		and now.	<b>Communities:</b> Link to Harper Adams- growing	Communities:
a and	Describe their	Know some similarities and		People, Culture and	crops locally and food.	Learn about being an engineer.
	immediate environment	differences between religious and cultural communities in this	People, Culture and Communities:	Communities: Look at how different	Discuss how humans grow and	The Natural World:
	using knowledge from	country.	Explore homes in different	countries celebrate Easter.	change.	Consider how seasons have
	observation, discussion and story.	The Neture Morid	countries and compare to	Look at people who work at	The Netural World.	changed throughout the year.
		The Natural World: Understand some important	our own homes.	seaside, coast guard, lifeguards	The Natural World: Explore natural world of plants	
	The Natural World: Explore the natural world	processes and changes in the		-	making observations and	
	around them, making observations and drawing	natural world including seasons and changing states of matter.	The Natural World: Look at differences between contrasting environments.	The Natural World: Learn about different creatures that live under the	drawing plants.	
	pictures of animals.			sea.		
Expressive Arts	Designing superhero mask	Diva lamps	House building using	Ocean crafts	Natural art	
and Design	Making superhero cape Super hero HQ roleplay area	Firework pictures Christmas crafts	different materials Exploring processes.	Sea shanty songs Under sea roleplay	Mud painting Collage flowers	Using construction kits to make models
		Nativity play Making Christmas cards	Designing homes	Natural art with shells and sand	Garden centre roleplay	Loose part play Model design
Trips/Visits/	ENGAGE- take children for	ENGAGE – pantomime	ENGAGE- t	ENGAGE- whole school trip	ENGAGE- plant own seeds.	ENGAGE- set up class tinker table
Experiences	tour around school. Introduce to staff.	School trip to pantomime	Walk around neighbourhood, spotting	to LLandudno	Develop garden area at school	Investigate old and new technology
	Engage- superhero dilemma to solve	Nativity Play	different types of homes.	ENGAGE: Telford and Wrekin music sessions	Engage- observe butterfly lifecycle.	
		Class Christmas Party				

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Parental Engagement	Learning journey sharing Parent meeting (settling in) Weekly update Website class page Open morning Phonics information	Learning journey sharing Parent meeting (appointments) Weekly update Website class page Nativity play Christmas Fair Family mass	Learning journey sharing Weekly update Website class page	Learning journey sharing Parent meeting (appointments) Weekly update Website class page Family mass	Learning journey sharing Weekly update Website class page	Learning journey sharing End of year report Sports day Leavers mass
Assessment	Baseline – Number, literacy and phonics assessment Learning journeys DM Statements/Gap analysis Observations/Next Steps	End of term assessment Learning journeys DM Statements/Gap analysis Observations/Next Steps Intervention groups IEP's	Ongoing assessment Learning journeys DM Statements/Gap analysis Observations/Next Steps Intervention groups IEP's update/EHCP referrals?	End of term assessment Learning Journeys DM Statements/Gap analysis Observations/Next Steps Intervention groups IEP's update	Ongoing assessment Learning journeys DM Statements/Gap analysis Observations/Next Steps Intervention groups IEP's update	End of term assessment Learning Journeys DM Statements/Gap analysis Observations/Next Steps Intervention groups IEP's update
Moderation	Baseline moderation with St Lukes	Cluster moderation event	In house moderation	LA moderation event	LA led peer moderation session	In house moderation with SLT
Action Planning	Prepare Action plan Consider previous year exit data and current entry data	Visit Action Plan e.g. review data and outdoor learning Review Risk Assessment	Visit Action Plan e.g. review data and outdoor learning Review Risk Assessment	Visit Action Plan e.g. review data and outdoor learning Review Risk Assessment	Visit Action Plan e.g. review data and outdoor learning Review Risk Assessment	Visit Action Plan e.g. review data and outdoor learning Review Risk Assessment
Transition	All children in 06/09/22 Settling in meeting	Open morning for prospective families		Reading buddies with older class	Open doors sessions with year 1 for current cohort Nursery visits	Shuffle up days Open door sessions contd. Parent of new intake meeting
Characteristics of Effective Learning Playing & Exploring: Encourage children to 'have a go' and explore their new environment Active learning: Encourage children to learn together and from each other Encourage children to persist with an activity even when it is challenging Creating & Thinking Critically: Encourage open ended thinking Model being a thinker, showing that you don't always know						