



Early Years Curriculum



Topic Overview

Year A

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
All about me (Superhero's)	Alien Invasion	Sea Adventures	Spring has sprung	Traditional tales	Around the world

Year B

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
All about me (Our community)	Discovering Donaldson	People who help us	Dinosaurs beware	The Bug Hotel	We are going to the zoo

Curriculum Coverage

<u>Year A</u>	<u>Week 1</u>	<u>Week 2</u>	<u>Week 3</u>	<u>Week 4</u>	<u>Week 5</u>	<u>Week 6</u>	<u>Week 7</u>
<u>Autumn 1</u> All about me (Superhero's)	All about me	My family and friends	Supertato	Powers	Heroes and Villains	Autumn & Harvest	Autumn & Harvest
Suggested texts	Supertato, Super Worm, How to save a super hero, Charlies Superhero underpants, Superhero school, Ferdie and the falling leaves, Leaf Man, Little Acorns						
<u>Autumn 2</u> Alien Invasion	Travelling to space	Planets	Aliens	Stars and the moon	Christmas Trees/ Advent Wreaths/ Hanukkah /The North pole/ Celebrating the birth of Jesus.		
Suggested texts	Aliens love underpants, The man on the moon, Goodnight Spaceman, Whatever Next, See inside space, Way back home, How to catch a star, Ive seen Santa, Dear Father Christmas, Polar Express, The girl who saved Christmas, The night before Christmas, One Winters night, The Snowman, Elmer in the Snow, A winters night						
<u>Spring 1</u> Sea Adventures	Treasure Island	Pirates and Mermaids	Sea Creatures	Explorers	Chinese New Year	The Sea Side	
Suggested texts	Snail and the Whale, Rainbow dish, Commotion in ocean, First place Freddie, Deep sea diary, Sharing a shell, Star of the Sea, Tiddler, Flotsam, Dragon Dance						
<u>Spring 2</u> Spring has sprung	Flowers and Trees	Seasonal changes	Life Cycles	Fruit and Vegetables	Animals and their young	Easter	
Suggested texts	Jaspers Beanstalk, Sunflower house, Eddies Garden, The Hungry caterpillar, Jack and the beanstalk, Oliver's fruit salad, The giant turnip, When will it be spring, We are going on an Egg hunt						
<u>Summer 1</u> Traditional tales	Little red riding hood		Goldilocks and the 3 bears		The Gingerbread man		
Suggested texts	Little red riding hood, Goldilocks and the 3 bears, The Gingerbread man						
<u>Summer 2</u> Around the world	Journeys and Transport	Holidays	Different Foods	Special Celebrations	Africa		
Suggested texts	Handa's surprise, Grandad Island, The great explorer, We are going on a lion hunt, Toddle Waddle, Wow America, Off we go to Mexico, Mirror, Hello Mr World						

Curriculum Coverage

<u>Year B</u>	<u>Week 1</u>	<u>Week 2</u>	<u>Week 3</u>	<u>Week 4</u>	<u>Week 5</u>	<u>Week 6</u>	<u>Week 7</u>
<u>Autumn 1</u> All about me (Our community)	All about me	My family and friends	Our local community	My emotions	My senses	Autumn & Harvest	Autumn & Harvest
Suggested texts	Elmer, Funny bones, Jakes first day, The kissing hand, Starting School, Because I love you, Me and my family tree, The Family, The 5 Senses, In my heart, Ferdie and the falling leaves, Leaf Man, Little Acorns						
<u>Autumn 2</u> Discovering Donaldson	Bonfire, Magic and Potions	Woodlands and Habitats	Hibernation	Mythical Creatures	Christmas/ Hanukkah /The North pole/ Reindeer/ Celebrating the birth of Jesus.		
Suggested texts	Room on the broom, Gruffalo, Gruffalo child, Stickman, Zog, The Smartest Giant in town, Ive seen Santa, Dear Father Christmas, Polar Express, The girl who saved Christmas, The night before Christmas, The Jolly Christmas Postman, Elf on the Shelf, The Nativity						
<u>Spring 1</u> People who help us	Police	Fireman	Doctors/Nurses	Vets	Helping others in the community	Chinese New Year	
Suggested texts	Doctor ted, Burglar Bill , Going to the Doctor, Charlie and the fire fighter, Emergency, The story of Easter, Celebrating Chinese New Year						
<u>Spring 2</u> Dinosaurs beware	Fossil Finding	What is in the egg?	Jurassic Jungle	Extinction	Volcano	Easter	
Suggested texts	Harry and his bucket full of dinosaurs, Dinosaurs in my school, There is a T-Rex in town, Tyrannosaurus drip, How to grow a dinosaur, Katie and the Dinosaur, Dear Dinosaur, Saving Easter						
<u>Summer 1</u> The Bug Hotel	Dig and discover	Creep and Crawl	Hum and Buzz	Flutter and Fly	Weave and Spin	Minibeast ball	
Suggested texts	The Hungary caterpillar, What a ladybird heard, Its hard to hurry when you're a snail, Home sweet home, Mad about Minibeasts, The bugliest bug, Super Worm, Beatle in the bathroom, The very busy spider, Arghhhhh spider, Why do need Bees						
<u>Summer 2</u> We are going to the zoo	Dear zoo	Land Animals	Water Animals	Reptiles	Birds	Animal patterns	
Suggested texts	Dear Zoo, Monkey puzzle, Giraffe can't dance, Rumble in the Jungle, Say hello to the jungle animals, Giraffes cant dance, The tiger who came for tea, The enormous crocodile						

