

Wizards Educational Programme 2021 - 2022

SUBJECT	AUTUMN TERM		SPRING TERM		SUMMER TERM	
THEME	1 st Half Term 1 st Sep – 25 th Oct Travel and Vehicles	2 nd Half Term 1 st Nov – 18 th Dec People Who Help Us	1 st Half Term 4 th Jan – 14 th Feb Plant Earth and Space	2 nd Half Term 21 st Feb – 1 st Apr Growing and our Garden	1 st Half Term 19 th Apr – 30 th May Mini-beasts	2 nd Half Term 6 th Jun – 22 nd Jul Under the Sea
PERSONAL, SOCIAL AND EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Settling into the nursery routine and getting to know our new groups. Our families and people who are special to us. Agreeing group rules. Learn our tidy-up song and take part in tidying up. Making new friends. Learning to listen. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Investigate the different feelings we experience. Explore how we relate to others. Listen to others ideas, likes and dislikes. Think about how we change as we grow. Explore the effects of exercise on our bodies. Explore healthy eating. Plant seeds and watch them grow. Care for our plants. Care for our pets. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Care for our environment. Learn how to help and care for each other. Think about people who help us. Develop teamwork skills. Learn to be independent in our self-care and in our learning. 	
COMMUNICATION LANGUAGE AND LITERACY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Developing an awareness of phonemes Develop speaking and listening skills using songs and rhymes. Mark making and early writing. Taking part in a wide range of role play and small world activities to develop communication, language and literacy. Make up our own stories. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continue to develop and extend phonic knowledge Express a preference for different story types and content. Re-tell stories of interest. Re-create stories and rhymes during our role-play and small world play. Take part in Spring Festivals 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continue to develop and extend phonic knowledge Develop descriptive language. Develop vocabulary Independent reading and writing. Create labels and short sentences. Explore fiction –v- non-fiction and factual content. 	
MATHEMATICS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Play number games. Sing number songs and rhymes. Use numbers in role play and small world play. Learn to recognise and order numbers from 1 – 10, 11 – 20, 20+ Recognise and name 2D shapes. Measures (length, quantity etc). Make patterns. Learn the days of the week. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Writing numbers in familiar contexts. Order numbers. Begin to add and subtract, 1 – 10, 11 – 20, 20+ Develop vocabulary around more than/less than. Explore and name 3D shapes. Explore money. Solving practical maths problems. Estimating quantities. 		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore patterns and tessellation. Explore time. Explore capacity, conservation etc. Double, halves. Count in 2's 5's and 10's Share items equally. Doubling numbers, 	

<p>UNDERSTANDING THE WORLD</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore a wide range of sensory environments, mud kitchen, paint, glue, water, slime. • Talk about places we have visited with families and friends. • Explore autumn and autumn festivals. • Understand technology and how technology supports us, in particular, non-ICT technology. • Harvest from the garden • Build bug gardens 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore how the environment changes in winter and spring. • Explore winter weather. • Think about winter habitats. • Spring festivals and celebrations. • Think about how we change as we grow. • Prepare to plant fruit and vegetables. • Explore how Spring creates new life. • Prepare the garden for planting 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Explore how the environment changes in spring and summer. • Start our caterpillar project. • Explore life cycles. • Think back to when we started the year at nursery. Review our work. • Observe food growing. • Look after our vegetable patches and harvest some foods. • Explore ice and how ice melts in the sun.
<p>PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Our wonderful bodies! Explore what we can do! Run, walk, jump, climb, slither, dance, hop! • Stopping and starting games to help us control our movement and spatial awareness. • Develop fine motor skills. • Outdoor activities to develop gross motor skills. • Take part in construction activities using a wide range of construction materials. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Take part in outdoor gymnastics. • Learn simple dance routines. • Listen and respond to music and rhythm. • Using small equipment. • Use a wider range of construction materials, e.g., clay. • Use technology to fasten, join, and stabilise our constructions. • Develop fine manipulative skills to support letter formation. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Understand how exercise and food supports the development of good health. • Weaving and threading. • Making musical instruments.
<p>EXPRESSIVE ARTS AND DESIGN</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Express ourselves through drawing, painting, collage, role play, and small world play. • Learn a range of action songs. • Explore musical instruments and music. • Learn how colours and textures can be changed to create different effects. • Older pre-schoolers to create a Christmas presentation for parents. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drawing; painting; collage; textiles; printing. • Nursery rhymes – explore beat. • Recognise fast/slow; loud/quiet. • Imaginative play- To develop role play engagement. • Talking about preferences. Likes/dislikes. • Junk modelling, mixing media, colour mixing. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The living world – drawing; painting; printing; collage; textiles. • Environmental sounds – patterns; rhythm games; dance. • Imaginative play. Making musical instruments • Topic Songs: Healthy Living • Variety of songs to explore beat and rhythm for musical moments. • Adapting artwork / constructions and talking about why.

<p>Events</p>	<p><u>Harvest Festival</u> Sunday 3rd October 2021 <u>Grandparent's Day</u> Sunday 3rd October 2021</p>	<p><u>Diwali</u> 4th November 2021 <u>Remembrance Day</u> 11th November 2021 <u>Halloween</u> 25th – 29th Oct 2021 <u>Bonfire Night</u> Friday 5th November <u>Christmas Play</u> TBC</p>	<p><u>Chinese New Year</u> 1st February 2022 <u>Australia Day</u> 26th January 2022</p>	<p><u>Easter</u> 17th April 2022 <u>World Book Day</u> 3rd March 2022 <u>St Patricks Day</u> 17th March 2022 <u>Mother's Day</u> 27th March 2022</p>	<p><u>Ramadan</u> 2nd Apr – 1st May 2022 <u>Eid</u> 2nd – 3rd May 2022 <u>St Georges Day</u> 23rd April 2022</p>	<p><u>Eid</u> 9th – 13th July 2022 <u>Father's Day</u> 19th June 2022</p>
<p>Suggested Activities</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create our Ground Rules • Create a 3D Display • Themed Book Displays • Photos of my Family and Friends – make albums 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make Poppies • Create a 3D Firework Display on the ceiling • Firework Pencil Control • Fireworks made from tubes • Crayon/Paint drawings • Rangoli Designs 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Recall Christmas • Make a large Dragon • Flags from around the world 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Egg Hunt • Dress as your favourite story character • Make Mother's Day Cards 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Set up a toy shop and a cake stall for Eid 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Father's Day cards
<p>Suggested Books (Examples only)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bug Hotel (Libby Walden and Clover Robin) • Peep Inside Bug Homes (Anna Milbourne) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Night Before Christmas (Clement C Moore) • Remember, Remember the 5th November (Deborah Webb) • Diwali (Hannah Eliot) • Lighting a Lamp (Jonny Zucker) • Rama and Sita (Malachy Doyle) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Over in Australia (Marianne Berkes) • Rainbow Bird (Eric Maddern) • Dragon Dance (Joan Holab) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We're going on an egg hunt (Martha Mumford) • With my Mummy (James Brown) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hassan and Aneesa Love Ramadan (Yasmeen Rahim) • George and the Dragon (Christopher Wormell) • The Shark in the Dark (Peter Bently) • Sharing a Shell (Julia Donaldson) • The Snail and The Whale (Julia Donaldson) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • With my Daddy (James Brown)
<p>Word Bank</p>						