

Two year old Nursery Curriculum Overview

	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Communication & Language	<p>Toddler talk cards-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learning and using new words • Talking socially- eye contact • Attention and listening- listening to words <p>Story of the week Nursery rhymes</p>	<p>Toddler talk cards-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Learning and using new words • Building sentences • Understanding what is said <p>Story of the week Nursery rhymes</p>	<p>Toddler talk cards-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Building sentences • Talking socially • Attention and listening- listening to sounds <p>Story of the week Nursery rhymes</p>
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	<p>Settling in routines Rules and routines- eg tidy up song All about me Creating and sharing family books Building relationships Self-regulation</p>	<p>Settling in routines All about me Families and friends Developing interests Turn-taking games- adult led</p>	<p>Transitions to 3s room Developing friendships Colour Monster Turn taking- adult supported</p>
Physical Development	<p>Dough Disco Shape sorters Lycra games Throwing and catching Action songs and nursery rhymes Using large outdoor equipment- slide, A frame (gross) Building blocks- large</p>	<p>Dough Disco Self-care skills- increasing Fine motor development games independence Making dens Tunnels Climbing Building blocks- small</p>	<p>Dough Disco Ring games Obstacle course Stepping stones Scissor skills Painting with accuracy</p>
Literacy	<p>Nursery rhymes Daily story Action songs Large Chalks outside Large scale painting Chunky tools- mark making Animal names and sounds</p>	<p>Nursery rhymes Daily story Painting/ Drawing Puppets Instruments- make different sounds, explore rhythm Mark making- pens and pencils Listening opportunities on local walks</p>	<p>Nursery rhymes Daily story Instruments- join in with a beat Painting outdoors Non-fiction texts Action songs Mark making with all tools Exposure to descriptive vocabulary</p>

	<p>Copying animal sounds using their voices</p> <p>Matching sounds to pictures</p>		<p>Sound bag- jungle animals</p>
Mathematics	<p>Recognising colours</p> <p>Matching games and lotto</p> <p>Sorting objects by colour</p> <p>Counting songs with props</p> <p>Inset puzzles</p> <p>Filling and emptying containers- full and empty</p>	<p>Finger rhymes</p> <p>Counting objects</p> <p>Compare size and weight</p> <p>Sorting by size</p> <p>Recognise numerals 1 and 2</p>	<p>Compare height</p> <p>Shapes</p> <p>Patterns</p> <p>Numerals 1 to 3</p> <p>Matches numerals to quantity- to 3</p> <p>Explore patterns</p>
Understanding the World	<p>Family books</p> <p>Small world- Animals</p> <p>Autumn treasure hunt</p> <p>Different textures and smells</p> <p>Nursery environment exploration</p>	<p>Small world artic- winter</p> <p>Farm – spring</p> <p>Freezing experiments</p> <p>My family and friends</p> <p>Local environment exploration</p>	<p>Bird watching and bug hunts</p> <p>Summer walks and exploration</p> <p>Building homes</p>
Expressive Arts and Design	<p>Mark making</p> <p>Hand prints</p> <p>Familiar songs</p> <p>Car tracks and garages</p> <p>Nursery rhymes</p> <p>Exploring and using musical instruments</p>	<p>Dance</p> <p>Exploring instruments</p> <p>Farm small world</p> <p>Chubby paint brush painting</p> <p>Musical instruments- rhythm and beats</p>	<p>Thinner paint brushes</p> <p>Exploring colour mixing with paints</p> <p>Music around the world</p> <p>Junk modelling</p>

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