

## **Birchwood Primary School** Class plan - Reception Cycle A







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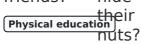
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Planned term	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Key Texts	Have you filled a bucket today? (Carol McCloud) Goldilocks and the Three Bears (Talk for Writing)	The Busy Little Squirrel (Nancy Tafuri) Bear Snores On (Karma Wilson) The Little Red Hen (Talk for Writing)	Penguin and Cupcake (Ashley Spires) Snowflakes (Cerrie Burnell) We're going on a bear hunt (Talk for Writing)	Harry and his Bucket Full of Dinosaurs (Ian Whybrow) Tyrannosaure Drip (Julia Donaldson) The Three Billy Goats Gruff (Talk for Writing)	Mad about minibeasts (Giles Andreae) The Very Hungry usCaterpillar (Eric Carle) Jack and the Beanstalk (Talk for Writing)	The Lion who wanted to love (Giles Andreae) Mama Pamyas Pancakes (Mary and Rich Chamberlin The Tiger Who Came to Tea (Judith Kerr) Handers Surprise (Talk for Writing)





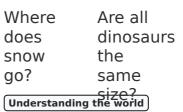




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school. so that the and wants egg and minibeast suitcase Ask children to know dinosaur hunt souvenir different can about the footprints objects from members observe cold around the and snail different of staff to the sights, weather classroom visitors countries introduce sounds and arrive.  themselves and smells Arctic/Antarctic. to the of the Children to children Autumn visit and show environment Snowdome them kipper where they work. what snow is like.  Exciting Teddy Autumn Chinese Dinosaur Growing Visit to the Outcome Bears Smoothies New Year Expert own zoo Picnic Lion Talks beanstalks Dancers							
Outcome Bears Picnic Smoothies New Year Expert own beanstalks  Visits out Kingsbury Snowdome Twycross Zoo  Visitors in Chinese New Year Expert own beanstalks  Chinese New Year Expert own beanstalks  Twycross Zoo  Outcome Bears Smoothies New Year Expert own beanstalks  Twycross Zoo  Outcome Bears Smoothies New Year Expert own beanstalks  Twycross Zoo  Outcome Dancers  Twycross Zoo  Outcome Dancers  Dordon Church		walk around the school. Ask different members of staff to introduce themselves to the children and show them where	visit to a local wood so that the children can observe the sights, sounds and smells of the Autumn	arrives in a package and wants to know about the cold weather and Arctic/Antarc Children to visit Snowdome to show Kipper what snow	arrive to find a big egg and dinosaur footprints around the classroom	arrives with minibeast hunt objects and snail visitors	Puppet brings in a suitcase o souvenirs
Water Park  Visitors in  Chinese New Year Lion Dancers  Dordon Church	•	Bears		New Year Lion	Expert	own	Visit to the
New Year Lion Dancers  Visit to a place of Expert  Dordon Church	Visits out			Snowdome			Twycross Zoo
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English (Explicit)	Oral retelling of a story Name writing Thank you cards	Oral retelling of a story Name writing Curly caterpillar letters Labels	T4W - We're going on a bear hunt Oral retelling of story	Oral retelling of a story Dinosaur adjectives Comparing dinosaurs Poetry Fiction / Non-fiction	Mad about Minibeasts Jack and the beanstalk t4w Characters, setting, problem, solution Changing character/sett	The Lion who wanted love Handa's Surprise t4w Characters, setting, problem, solution ci6banging character/setti
English (Incidental Opportunities		Variety of mark making opportunities	Variety of mark making opportunities	Variety of mark making opportunities Wanted Posters Fact Files	Variety of mark making opportunities Shopping lists, labels, letters	Variety of mark making opportunities Recipes/Instruc
Mathematics (Explicit)	Early Number (Number Nursery Rhymes) Pattern Numbers within 6	Numbers within 6 Measures Shape and Sorting Calendar/Time	Numbers within 10 Addition/Subtoution within 10 Prepositions e(Bear Hunt)	Sorting Length/height ratiobers 0-10 Counting in 2s	Shape and  /pætight Addition and subtraction within 10 Money Measures Counting in 5's and 10's	Depth of numbers within 10 Number Bonds



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Mathematic (Let's Investigate)			Reading temperature (ongoing)	Sorting Estimating Positional Language Ordinal Language	Minibeast Legs Investigation	Fruit Investigation
Understand the world (Science)	ingPeople who help us Senses Similarities and differences	Seasonal Changes Harvest Similarities and Differences	Freezing and melting Snow Small World Similarities and Differences	Size of dinosaurs Dinosaurs diet (herbivore/ca Paleontologis Dinosaur Expert Talks		Floating and sinking
Understand the World (Communiti	ingPeople who help es/ <b>©æБаутаір</b> ,hy/H history	Seasons Cultural listionylarities and differences	Seasonal changes Early Map skills Cultural similarities and differences	Seasonal Changes Landscapes Create own 'dinoscape'	Seasonal changes	Key features of our local environment Following a simple map Cultural similarities and differences







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Expressive Arts and Design (Art/DT)	Self- portraits Transient art Salt Dough Hearts	Conker Creatures Autumn Potions Leaf Mobiles Playdough Hedgehogs	Transient Art Frozen Ice Castle Building dens Story maps Bear Caves	Dinosaur Cave / Museum Cafe Paper Plate Dinosaurs Excavating Papier Mache Volcano	Natural world observation work Matisse's Snail	African art, patterns, tribal masks
Expressive Arts and Design (Music and Dance)	Exploring a variety of percussion instruments Playing names using musical instruments Singing of classroom songs/nurser rhymes/phon	-	Using instruments to make snowy music dlaminese New Year dancing Nursery rhymes and songs Cosmic Kids Yoga	Instruments for retelling the story Nursery Rhymes and songs Let's Move Podcast	Playing instruments with control/contin and creating own patterns Growing songs Let's Move Podcast	African Music and dance ndimstruments to accompany songs Growing songs and songs from other cultures Let's Move Podcast
Food	Open top banana sandwich	Gingerbread Biscuits (Xmas Fair)	Fruit Lollies	Herbivore Salad Easter Chocolate Nests		Fruit Kebabs









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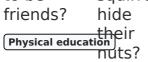
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Personal, social and emotional development	Forming friendships Settling into school Understandin rules and routines Online Safety	Sharing Protective Behaviours g	Feelings Forming friendships Team work	Feelings Trying new things (food tasting) Taking turns and sharing	Growing and change	Moving on
SMSC and British Values	Celebrating differences Sharing	Celebrating differences Sharing	Celebrating differences Sharing	Celebrating differences Sharing	Celebrating differences Sharing	Celebrating differences Sharing
RE	Celebrating differences (appearance, families, likes, dislikes)	Bonfire Night Diwali Christmas	Chinese New Year	Easter	Caring for things and being thankful Care and concern for animals	Visiting a local church



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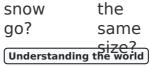




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	Getting changed. Safe use of hall space	Healthy Movers	Healthy Movers	Healthy Movers	Throwing, catching, striking - Top Score	Sports Day Practice - Athletics, Team Games (Top Score)
Now Press Play	People who help us Goldilocks	Christmas Story	Weather	Dinosaurs	Minibeasts Jack and the Beanstalk	Seaside