

Curriculum Overview

Reception	Subject – Mathematics	Term – Michaelmas
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Topics covered	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Counting fixed objects and actions 1 – 10 and beyond • Recognising numbers 1 – 10 • Recording numerals • Matching numerals to quantities 1 - 10 • Ordering numbers 1- 10 • Describing and naming 2D shapes e.g. circle, square, triangle, rectangle • Position e.g. next to, behind, on top of • Repeating patterns • Counting and adding • Read a simple addition sum • Say the next number • Partition 5; number bonds of 2, 3, 4, 5 • Counting back • Comparing length and height using non-standard units • Describing 3D shapes e.g. cone, cube, cuboid, sphere, cylinder • Recognising £1 and £2 coins • Using money in role play • Time; days of the week, months of the year • Count actions in a minute
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For more information about mathematics contact Zoë de Quintal.

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Reception	Subject – Literacy	Term – Michaelmas
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Topics covered	<p>Our phonics programme, <i>Read, Write, Inc</i>, teaches all aspects of early reading and writing, including handwriting, sentence construction, grammar and punctuation.</p> <p>Phonics Say the sound, read the sound, review the following sounds:</p> <p>m, a, s, d, t i, n, p, g, o c, k, u, b, f e, l, h, sh, r j, v, y, w, th z, ch, qu, x, ng, nk</p> <p>Writing Correct letter formations; lower case Cvc, ccvc, cvcc words e.g. cat, ship, sock Recounts / captions</p> <p>Reading Word building e.g. cat, dog, bin, man, ship, chop, fish, sock, strop, blob Reading simple sentences Reading high frequency words e.g. the, I, to</p> <p>Traditional Tales The Elves and the Shoemaker Country Mouse and Town Mouse The Magic Porridge Pot Little Red Hen</p> <p>Nursery Rhymes Jack and Jill Hey Diddle Diddle Little Miss Muffet Old King Cole</p>
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Reception	Subject – Understanding the World (UTW)	Term – Michaelmas
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Topics covered	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Families• Bodies and senses• My past, present and future • Autumn • Transport past and present
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Reception	Subject – Expressive Arts and Design (EAD)	Term – Michaelmas
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Topics covered	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Primary colours• Who is Piet Mondrian?• Looking for primary colours in Piet Mondrian's work• Drawing a self-portrait from a photograph in pencil• To create a self-portrait using pastels• To make puppets of a family member• To create an Autumnal scene • Mixing primary colours to make secondary colours• Looking at the colours Mark Rothko used in his paintings• Printing using wheeled transport• To invent / construct a wheeled vehicle• Christmas decorations
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Reception	Subject – Music	Term – Michaelmas
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Topics covered	<p>Rhythm and Pulse</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • High and low rhythm games • Repeating a pattern • Using shakers and tambourines • Keeping count <p>Pitch</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Listening to high and low • ‘Hello, how are you?’ using tonic sol fa hand signs <p>Singing</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • First nursery rhymes including: Jack & Jill, the grand old Duke of York, Polly put the kettle on <p>Nativity performance</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Festive songs and carols
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Reception	Subject – Religious Studies & PSED (PSHCE)	Term – Michaelmas
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Topics covered	<p>PSHCE scheme – Caritas in Action</p> <p>The dignity of the human person</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• God made me and loves me• God made me and my friends beautiful• How we show love and respect for one another• How we thank God <p>Family and community</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• My family at home• Our school family• How we are different and unique• How we look after one another
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Curriculum Overview

Reception	Subject – Computing	Term – Michaelmas
Topics covered	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Skills• Paint Program• Printing• Arrow keys• Floor robots• Programming Bee-Bots	

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