

English

Phonics - Learning how to blend two / three consonants together e.g. pond, stick, splash.

Longer words and compound words. Words ending in suffixes: -ing, -ed, -est.

Tricky words—said, so, have, like, some, come, love, do, were, here, little, says, there, when, what, one, out, today.

Reading - Blend to read words and sentences. Use new phonic knowledge

Writing - Using phonic skills to segment to spell. Write simple sentences independently.



Focus Books

Non-fiction books about Seasons and lifecycles.

The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle.

The Old Lady who Swallowed a Fly.

Non-fiction books about
insects and minibeasts.



Personal, Social and Emotional

Growing and changing.

Reception Curriculum Information

Summer 1 - Living Things

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Stories

Which stories are special and why?



Maths

Number fluency - knowing number bonds within 5 **from memory**.

Exploring number pairs to make 10 through addition and subtraction. Gaining confidence and speed to see the pairs to make all numbers up to 10.

Doubles facts. Odd and even.

Communication and Language

Opportunities in continuous provision - puppets, role play, small world.

Learning and using scientific vocabulary linked to learning about life cycles and minibeasts.

Retelling well known stories using vocabulary learned from books.

Creative

Opportunities in continuous provision - painting, collage, junk modelling, observational drawing, linked to focus books

Musical instruments, dressing up, stage for performing

Colour mixing opportunities

Physical

PE—small games equipment.

Hoops games.

Practising for Sports Day.

Fine Motor Skills.



Understanding the World

Life cycles and changing seasons. Focus on Spring.

Insects and minibeasts. Ugly Bug Ball.

Trip to Tropical World - Tuesday 20 May.

