Riverview CofE Primary & Nursery School Curriculum Overview Pearls - Nursery

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Communication & Language	To sing rhymes and look at picture books. To talk about the different characters and what they are doing. To talk about themselves and their families. Develop communication that can be understood by others.	To talk about celebrations at home. To listen to stories on celebrations such as birthdays, Diwali, Christmas, Hanukah etc and to talk about them and why they are celebrated. To listen to, and follow simple instructions.	To begin to use a wide range of vocabulary in the correct context. To talk in short sentences that others can understand. To listen to, and follow simple instructions and respond to questions appropriately.	To listen to traditional stories and retain key vocabulary.) To be able to talk about the setting, characters and the structure of the story. To be able to use connectives e.g. Once upon a time and then. To listen to, and follow simple instructions and respond to questions appropriately. To talk in short sentences that others can understand.	To listen to traditional stories and retain key vocabulary. To be able to answer questions and share opinions using the relevant vocabulary. To be able to talk about the setting, characters and the structure of the story. To be able to use connectives e.g. Once upon a time and then.	To listen to different Nursery rhymes and be able to join in, singing words confidently and clearly. To be able to answer questions and share opinions using the relevant vocabulary. To be able to talk about the setting, characters and the structure of the story with confidence.

PSED	To separate from main carer and learn to adapt to the Nursery environment. To select and use activities and resources, with some support if needed. To wash hands after using the toilet.	To learn about daily routines and classroom rules. To be aware of behavioural expectations in the Nursery. To select and use activities and resources, with some support if needed. To show an awareness of the importance of oral health.	To learn how to share resources and play in a group. To learn to look after resources within the class. To listen to, and follow rules set. To take turns whilst playing and waiting patiently to have a go.	To show independence in accessing and exploring the environment. To independently put on coats and use the toilet. To listen to, and follow rules set. To learn to look after resources within the class.	To be able to initiate play with peers and keep play going by giving ideas. To become more outgoing with unfamiliar people. To show more confidence in new social situations. To begin to find solutions to conflicts. To show an awareness of how others may be feeling.	To gain enough confidence to talk to adults and peers. To begin to be assertive towards others where necessary.
Physical Development	To take care of toileting needs independently. To begin to show a preference for a dominant hand. To climb apparatus safely.	To independently put on their coats, with some support for the zipper and buttons. To copy dance moves and to move to different kinds of rhythms.	To learn about different fine motor activities, e.g. threading, cutting, using tools, holding a pencil, mark making,	To hold the pencil correctly using a tripod grip. To begin to form numbers and familiar letters, e.g. letters in their name.	To hold the pencil confidently, using the tripod grip and forming letters and numbers mostly correctly. To be able to use scissors confidently and make straight,	To be secure in holding the pencil, using the tripod grip and forming letters and numbers mostly independently. To independently write their name.

			To mark make in	To look at books	zig zag and circular	
	To begin to show	To use mark making	sensory trays and	independently	snips using one	To confidently use
	awareness of	resources with	also copy different	whilst turning	hand.	scissors and other
	moving equipment	increasing	. ,	pages one at a	Hariu.	tools safely.
	safely with peers.	independence.	patterns.	time.	To run skilfully and	toois safely.
	safety with peers.	independence.	To mark make	ume.	•	Ta maank maaka wain n
				University of a section	be able to negotiate	To mark make using
			using a	Using balancing	space.	a comfortable grip
			comfortable grip	apparatus.	To mark make using	when using pencils
			when using pencils	To mark make	a comfortable grip	and pens.
			and pens.	using a	when using pencils	
				comfortable grip	and pens.	
			To move in	when using pencils		
			different ways, e.g.	and pens.		
			climbing, running,			
			jumping etc. in			
			order to develop			
			gross motor skills.			
			To hold jugs and			
			containers			
			confidently and			
			pour from one			
			container into			
			another.			
			To show awareness			
			of healthy food			
			choices and impact			
			on our body.			
Literacy	To be able to mark	To find and identify	To begin to	To be able to mark	Children will begin	Lots of Fred games
	make and identify	familiar letters, e.g.	attempt writing	make and give	to identify some	focussing on oral
	their marks.		familiar letters, e.g			blending.

		letters in their	letters in their	meaning to their	sounds during oral	
	To recognise	names.	name.	marks.	blending games.	Children are able to
	familiar logos and					identify initial
	labels within the	To talk about and	Adults will	To identify the	To begin to make	sounds and blend
	environment.	retell a range of	consistently model	pictures linked to	predictions about a	familiar CVC words.
		familiar stories.	correct formation.	RWI sound.	story, sometimes	
			_ a		supported by an	Make predictions
		To begin to explore	To find and	To begin to form	adult with	about a story using
		initial sounds in	identify familiar	some letters	vocabulary.	the relevant
		familiar words.	letters, e.g. letters in their names.	correctly, e.g. letters in their		vocabulary with
			in their names.	name.		independence.
			To talk about and	name.		To mark make for a
			retell a range of			purpose and be
			familiar stories.			able to talk about
						the marks.
Maths	Singing a range of	To say number	To create and	To subitise to 3.	To subitise to 6.	To subitise to 6.
	number songs.	names to 10 in	repeat simple			
		order.	patterns.	To know number	To remember the	To learn vocabulary
	To say number			order beyond 5	order in which	linked to describing
	names to 5 in order.	To know that a group of objects	To subitise to 3.	when counting.	things happen.	size and distance.
	To know that time	can also be	To know number	To use the	To know that	To be able to say
	can be measured	represented by a	order beyond 5	language of more	subtraction means	number names
	using days.	number	when counting.	and less to	taking an amount	forwards and
				compare amounts.	away from a group.	backwards to 15.
	To know that the	Singing a range of	To say number			
	last number said	number songs.	names to 10 in	To know that	To know that some	To remember the
	represents the total		order.	numbers can be	shapes more	order in which
	number of objects	To know that the		ordered.	appropriate than	things happen.
		last number said	To be able to say		others when	
			number names		building.	

	To show an awareness and name some 2D shapes in the environment.	represents the total number of objects To show an awareness and name some 2D shapes in the environment.	forwards and backwards to 10. To know that each object should only be counted once. Singing a range of number songs.	To be able to demonstrate through games and role play an understanding of positional language. Singing a range of number songs.	To remember different aspects of a journey, e.g. "I walked over a bridge to get to school".	To remember different aspects of a journey, e.g. "I walked over a bridge to get to school".
Understanding the world	To know about family structures and be able to talk about who is part of their family.	To know the difference between farm animals and wild animals. To be able to categorise animals by their characteristics. To make Rangoli patterns on the computer. To learn about the different stories related to Autumn festivals.	To know similarities and differences between modes of transportation. To know that adults do a variety of jobs and that they are not all the same. To show an awareness of the emergency services and how they can help us.	To know that every living being has a life cycle and they change in shape and size as they grow. To know that living beings follow a similar growth pattern and make comparisons. To know about who celebrates Easter and what is its significance. To begin understand the importance of looking after our	To know that difference creatures live in different places based on their characteristics, e.g. farm animals can live around people, however wild animals can be dangerous so we have to be careful. Wild animals live in forests/jungles/ safari and sometimes zoo's or aquariums. To begin understand the importance of looking after our	To know that different animals and birds produce food that we consume and there are different people who make food that we can buy in the supermarket. To begin understand the importance of looking after our environment and all living things` and where we can collect natural resources from.

				environment and	environment and all	
				all living things and	living things and	
				where we can	where we can	
				collect natural	collect natural	
				resources from.	resources from.	
Expressive arts	Listening to and join	Sing familiar	To use scissors	To learn about	To use puppets and	Sing familiar
The state of the s	in with Nursery	Nursery Rhymes.	effectively.	different textures	props to act out	Nursery Rhymes
& Design	rhymes and use			and talk about	different traditional	alongside playing
	musical instruments	To use different	To begin to act out	them.	stories.	instruments and
	to tap out a rhythm.	colours and	different scenarios	criciii.	5,01103.	follow the rhythm.
	to tap out a my time.	materials to make	using props to	Feely bag activities	To make masks for	Tollow the mythin.
		Rangoli Patterns.	enhance	with different	role play.	To listen to music
		rangon ratterns.	imaginative play.	objects for children	Tote play.	and create
		To make salt dough	inaginative play.	to feel and	Sing familiar songs	movements to the
		Diva's.	Sing familiar songs	describe.	in the correct tone	different beats.
		Diva 5.	or make up own	describe.		different beats.
		To make Christmas	· ·	To oppose in valo	and changing	To construct with
			songs.	To engage in role	melody if	bricks and blocks to
		cards and	D	play by making	appropriate.	
		decorations for	Beginning to	stick puppets of		make an enclosure.
		friends and family	construct, stacking	different story	Uses available	_ , , , , , , , ,
		using a range of	blocks vertically	characters.	resources to create	Explore different
		media.	and horizontally,		props to support	materials freely,
			making enclosures	Sing familiar	role-play.	using them with a
		To make Hanukah	and creating	Nursery Rhymes.		purpose.
		cards.	spaces.		To use available	
				Realises tools can	props to develop	
		To make patterns	To play	be used for a	stories and make	
		with paint and	instruments with	purpose.	imaginative play	
		different objects,	increasing control.		more purposeful.	
		exploring what		To create closed	To show different	
		happens when you		shapes with	emotions in	
		mix colours		continuous lines	pictures clearly.	

Joins construction pieces together to build and balance.	which represent objects that can be spoken about or identified. representing features and detail clearly.
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