Reception - English Curriculum Map

	Autumn 1 Theme: Me & You	Autumn 2 Theme: Celebrations	Spring 1 Theme: Land Ahoy!	Spring 2 Theme: Materials	Summer 1 Theme: Growing Strong	Summer 2 Theme: Mini-beasts
Key Texts	The Family Book: Todd Parr We are all Neighbours: Alexandra Penfold Peace at Last: Jill Murphy	Little Glow: Katie Sahota Binny's Diwali: Thrity Umrigar Nativity Story The Nativity Story	Martha Maps it Out: Leigh Hodgkinson The Night Pirates: Peter Harris Me on the Map: Joan Sweeney	The Duck Who Didn't Like Water: Steve Small The Three Little Pigs The Three Little Pigs That's Not My books	TEN SEEDS RUTH BROWN Ten Tiny Seeds: Ruth Brown Errol's Garden: Gillian Hibbs GARDEN SUNFLOWERS SUNFLOWERS JAMES WITHER WITHER Katie and the Sunflowers: James Mayhew	Mad About Minibeasts! Mad about Minibeasts: Giles Andreae What the Ladybird Heard: Julia Donaldson Life Cycle series

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Poetry Basket Poems/Oracy Opportunities	Days of the week song Weather song Listening games Poetry Basket 2: Things I can Do All About Me Tommy Thumb	Nativity, including songs Show & Tell Poetry Basket 2: All Aboard the Space Ship Five Little Astronauts Emotions Poems (linked to ZoR)	Helicopter Stories Poetry Basket 2: Icicles Mr Moon	Drawing Club Poetry Basket 2: Rain Raindrops Houses	Helicopter Stories Yr6 Reading buddies Poetry Basket 2: Flowers Digging	Drawing Club Parent Mystery Reader Poetry Basket 2: Tadpole Caterpillar The Spider Bees
Writing elements	Forming letters taught; name writing (invitation for Open Afternoon)	Writing lists (Christmas), labels & cards; rhyming	Write a thank you letter to visitor; Write instructions for looking after an animal; Factfile about a farm animal	Write simple, repetitve sentences (It's not my); Label a map; Drawing Club	Write a repetitive plant poem; Write a seed diary; Story about magic beans; instructions for planting	Write 'what am I?' riddle about mini- beasts; mini-beast poems; Design & evaluate mini-beast models