

Slade Primary School
Curriculum Overview
 Reception



	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Overview	Belonging	Bears	Journeys	Animals	Growing	Sea and Space
Core Texts	Starting school Owl Babies Little Red Hen Non Fiction books on harvest, seasons,	Goldilocks and the 3 Bears We're going on a Bear Hunt Non Fiction books related to Bears, seasons	The Gingerbread Man Mrs Armitage on Wheels, Non Fiction books – British wildlife, recipe books, transport, seasons	The 3 Little Pigs Mr Gumpy's Outing Non Fiction books on animals	Jack and the beanstalk The Very Hungry Caterpillar Non Fiction books on growing plants, life cycles – plants, insects	Sharing a Shell How to catch a star Non Fiction books on under the sea, space
Genre	Fiction – Losing Tale Non fiction – Information	Fiction – Conquer the monster Tale Poetry	Fiction – Warning Tale Non fiction – Instructions	Fiction – Journey Tale Non fiction – Recount	Fiction – Wishing Tale Poetry	Fiction – Meeting Tale Poetry
Personal, social, emotional development	Making friends Golden rules Name games Hygiene & handwashing Getting changed putting coats on	Feelings – naming emotions Introduce Zones of regulation Healthy eating Dentist & Brushing teeth	Looking after yourself Healthy eating Road safety, being a safe pedestrian	What we like and don't like Listening to the ideas of others Healthy eating Exercise	Describing what I'm good at and growing up Healthy eating Exercise Screen time	Moving on and transition Healthy eating Exercise Hygiene & handwashing
Physical development	PE: Explore Walking Moving with control Write Dance Handwriting patterns	PE: Ourselves: Moving in sequence Hands: Explore pushing Letter formation - ladder letters	PE: Large apparatus: High, low, under, over Letter formation – caterpillar letters	PE: Gymnastics: Moving Dance: Nursery Rhymes Letter formation – robot letters	PE: Jumping Ball skills Letter formation – zigzag letters	PE: Games for Understanding Letter formation – consolidation

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Communication and Language	Understand how to listen carefully, learn new vocabulary, ask questions, talk about their ideas and thoughts in sentences, describing events in some detail, explain how things work and why things might happen, develop social phrases – good morning, how are you?, Listen to stories, retell stories – including with some repetition, read non-fiction books Learn rhymes, nursery rhymes, songs and poems					
Maths	Number Recognition & Counting Intro Numicon shapes & rods and Numberblocks Comparing sizes, heights, 2D and 3D shapes	Linking Numicon shapes with number ideas & numerals Subitising More/less than 2D 3D shapes Length & Capacity	Addition/Subtraction Recall number bonds to 5 Counting in 10s Positional language Weight, Time & Money	Addition/Subtraction Doubling & halving Counting on /back Counting in 2s Pattern 3D Shapes Opposites	Halving sharing Adding parts & wholes Odds and evens Positional language Money Weight	Number problems Estimating Teen numbers Subtracting parts & wholes Position & direction Length & distance
Literacy	Monster Phonics – satpinmdgock ck eur blending Name writing emergent writing	Monster Phonics – hbf ff ll ss jvwxyz zz qu ch sh th th ng Name writing CVC words and Simple sentences Library	Monster Phonics – oo ar oo ow ee ur Simple sentences Library	Monster Phonics – ai or oa er igh air Simple sentences Library	Monster Phonics – ear ure CCVC CVCC Simple sentences / more description Library	Monster Phonics – CVC CCVC CVCC + digraphs / trigraphs + compound words Simple sentences / more description Library
Understanding of the world	Who is in my family? Where are you from? People who help us What can we see, hear and feel outside?	Maps Family Celebrations Seasonal change Look at old bears	Different climates in different countries Change/Materials Look at old cars/buses	Maps Seasonal change Life Cycles & Habitats Compare a farm and a town	Maps Plants Life Cycles What was it like to live in a castle?	Seasonal change Sound Floating and sinking How do we look after our planet? How have I changed?
Computing	iPad - Take photos	Sound recordings Bee-Bots	Remote control cars	iPad - Take a video	Using tools in an art application	Opening and closing files
Expressive Arts and Design	Singing Composing Drawing and Painting	Singing Composing Sculpture – clay, salt dough	Singing Composing Printing	Singing Composing 3D junk modelling	Singing Composing Textiles	Singing Composing Collage
Music	Louder/quieter, faster/slower, higher/lower	Call and response, pitch, beat	Vocal play, beat, tempo, beat	Pitch contour rising and falling, active listening,	Structure, active listening, dynamics, musical storytelling	Music in 3-time, active listening, accompaniment

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