


Early Years Overview 2024-2025

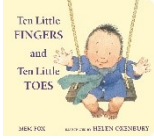
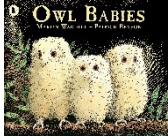
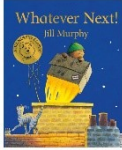

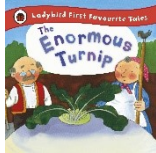
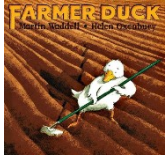
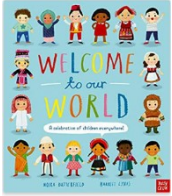

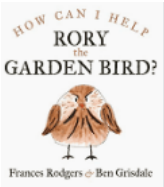
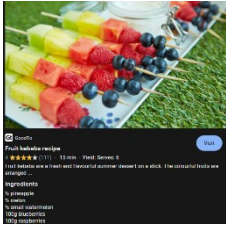


	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Daycare	All About Me	Sensory Seasons	Once upon a time	Who can help me?	Let's go outside	Noisy Farm
Nursery	Me and my home	Amazing Autumn	Once Upon a Time	People who help us	In the Garden	Fabulous Farm animals
Reception	Me and my Manchester home	Tremendous Trees and woodland Animals	Once Upon a Time	Home and Away	In the Garden	Down on the Farm

Reception Curriculum Overview 2024-25

Communication and Language	Developing Focus	Understanding and Responding	Engaging with stories and information	Listening in groups	Following more complex instructions	Sustained attention and reflection
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	Settling in and our new class rules	Building friendships	Working independently and considering the feelings of others	Staying safe and understanding right from wrong	Staying healthy	Independence, resilience and working towards goals.
Physical Development	Fundamentals 1 Pencil grip and strength	Fundamentals 2 Using tools	Ball skills Using scissors and a wider variety of tools	Gymnastics Manipulating and creating	Dance Increasing dexterity and control	Games Developing handwriting skills
Word Reading	Phase 1 and 2 LW phonics Recognising labels and identifying names	Phase 2 LW Reading common exception words	Phase 3 LW Beginning to read simple sentences	Phase 3 LW Independently reading words	Phase 3 LW consolidation/phase 4 Reading simple sentences	Phase 4 LW consolidation/phase 5 Reading simple sentences independently and

						demonstrating understanding
Writing	Pencil grip and developing control Name writing	Letter formation and exploring writing as communication	Writing for purpose and with independence	Beginning to write in sentences	Exploring different styles of writing	Writing independently using capital letters, full stops and finger spaces Checking writing makes sense
Mathematics	Match, sort, compare and measure	Numbers to 5 Shapes	Numbers to 8 Mass, capacity, length, height and time	Building 9 and 10 3D shapes	To 20 and beyond	Visualise build and map Making connections
Understanding the World	Me and my body Past and Present Features of Manchester	Investigating trees and animals Change over time	The natural world Where do I live? Basic maps	Exploring materials Comparing locations	Plants and minibeasts	Farm animals Changes over time
Expressive Art and Design	Using open ended resources and role play	Exploring different media and forms of expression	Developing design skills and storylines	Creating collaboratively and building structures	Making links and cooking soup	Developing performance and exploring sculpture
Celebrations, festivals, events	Harvest	Diwali Remembrance Day Hannukah Bonfire Night Christmas	Chinese New Year Shrove Tuesday	Ramadan Easter Holi		Eid-Al-Adha
Enrichment	Local area walk	Black History Month Diwali Bonfire Night Planting Spring bulbs Remembrance Day Theatre Company Nativity Performance	Chinese New Year Shrove Tuesday Baking Gingerbread	Planting potatoes (GYOP project)	Bug man visit International Day Making Soup Visit from the dental nurse	Farm Trip Harvesting potatoes (GYOP project) Meeting a chicken Sports Day

Reception Talk 4 Writing Model Texts

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Fiction						
Non-Fiction		<p>Foxes</p>  <p>Foxes are not cats. They are wild animals. What are they like? Foxes have a bushy tail, bushy ears and reddish-brown fur. They have 4 black legs. What do they eat? Foxes eat small animals such as mice and birds. They also like to eat chickens! In addition, they eat insects and juicy berries. Where do they live? Foxes dig holes underground to make their dens.</p>	<p><u>How to get ready to play in the mud</u></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. First put on your coat and zip it up. 2. Next find your wellies and your suit. 3. Then take off your shoes and put on your suit 4. Finally put on your wellies. <p>Now you are ready to go in the mud!</p>			<p>My Farm Diary</p> <p>Tuesday 2nd October I went through the field to the egg box. I was sure that I had found it. I was right. I had found it. I was sure that I had found it. I was right. I had found it. I was sure that I had found it. I was right. I had found it.</p> <p>Then this was the day that I had found the egg. I was sure that I had found it. I was right. I had found it. I was sure that I had found it. I was right. I had found it.</p> <p>My To Do List</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <input type="checkbox"/> Feed the cows <input type="checkbox"/> Feed the pigs <input type="checkbox"/> Feed the sheep <input type="checkbox"/> Feed the chickens <input type="checkbox"/> Feed the donkey <input type="checkbox"/> Feed the horse <input type="checkbox"/> Feed the goats <input type="checkbox"/> Milk the cows <input type="checkbox"/> Collect the eggs  
Poetry	1, 2, Buckle my shoe - Jane Cabrera	Leaf Man - Lois Elhart	5 little men in a flying saucer - nursery rhyme	The chicken lays eggs - Meish Goldish	A little seed - Mabel Watts	The Cow - Author unknown

Supporting texts	<p>Coming to England – Floella Benjamin</p> <p>Elmer - David McKee</p> <p>What makes me a me? – Ben Faulks and David Tazzyman</p> <p>Marvellous Me – Lisa Bullard</p> <p>You choose – Pippa Goodheart</p> <p>So Much! – Trish Cooke</p> <p>Three Little Pigs</p> <p>Houses and Homes – information text</p> <p>The mega magic Hair swap – Rochelle Humes</p> <p>Families – Usbourne</p>	<p>A home full of friends – Peter Butley</p> <p>We’re going on a bear hunt – Michael Rosen</p> <p>Welcome to the Woodland – Ruth Owen</p> <p>The hedgehog – Nick Butterworth</p> <p><i>The town mouse and the country mouse.</i></p> <p>One mole digging a hole – Julia Donaldson</p> <p>The Gruffalo – Julia Donaldson</p> <p>Squirrels Busy Day – Lucy Barnard</p> <p>Little Acorn</p>	<p>How to catch a star – Oliver Jeffers</p> <p>Mrs Armitage on Wheels – Quentin Blake</p> <p>Goodnight Moon – Margaret Wise Brown</p> <p>The Way Back Home – Oliver Jeffers</p> <p>Aliens love underpants – Claire Freedman</p> <p>The Darkest Dark – Chris Hadfield</p> <p>The Smeds and The Smoos – Julia Donaldson</p> <p>Helen Sharman – Non fiction</p> <p>Red Rockets and Rainbow jelly– Sue Heap</p>	<p>Six dinner sid – Inga Moore</p> <p>My First Book of Garden Birds – RSPB</p> <p>Too shy to sing – Author unkown</p> <p>The Go-Away Bird – Julia Donaldson</p> <p>Robins, Wrens and other British Birds – National Trust</p> <p>The Dawn Chorus – Suzanne Barton</p> <p>Rosie’s Walk – Pat Hutchins</p> <p>Why do birds have feathers? – Wildlife wonders</p>	<p>Handa’s surprise – Eileen Browne</p> <p>Off to the Market – Elizabeth Dale</p> <p>Oliver’s vegetables – Vivian French</p> <p>Vegetables – Vic Parker</p> <p>A farmer’s life for me – Jan Dobbins</p> <p>From a tiny seed to a mighty tree – Fundamental science</p> <p>Supertato – Sue Hendra</p> <p>The Runaway Pea – Kjartan Poskitt</p> <p>The Pear Tree – Meredith Hooper</p> <p>The Scarecrow’s wedding – Julia Donaldson</p>	<p>Mr Gumpy’s Outing - John Burningham</p> <p>What the Ladybird heard – Julia Donaldson</p> <p>You’re too small – Shen Roddie</p> <p>Cockadoodle Moo – John Foster</p> <p>A squash and a squeeze – Julia Donaldson</p> <p>Duck in the truck – Jez Alborough</p> <p>The farmer’s Away! – Anne Vittur Kennedy</p>
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