Reception Long Term Plan





Our vision is at the heart of all we do:

"Do everything in Love" 1 Corinthians 16:14,

At Ide Hill Church of England Primary, we seek the 'abundant life' that Jesus promised (John 10:10) - pupils and staff flourish. From the tiny Saplings in Reception to the mighty Oaks of Year 6, children are nurtured through the learning and experiencing of respect, responsibility and love - and the greatest of these is love (1 Corinthians 13:13).

Intent: At Ide Hill CofE Primary School we work hard to provide a stimulating environment that provides exciting opportunities, promotes challenge, exploration, adventure and a real love of learning right from Reception, with our vision and values at the heart of all we do.

It is our intent that all children in Reception develop physically, verbally, cognitively and emotionally in an environment, which values all cultures, communities and people. We aim for our children to be confident, curious and independent, to believe in themselves and interact positively with others, to be successful learners and to flourish.

Implementation: "Play is essential for children's development, building their confidence as they learn to explore, relate to others, set their own goals and solve problems." EYFS Statutory Framework September 2021

Our longterm plan is constantly evolving, depending upon the needs of children in the class and their interests. We aim to support all children and how they learn, by developing the "whole" child and learning through play. With the EYFS Framework principles firmly embedded, we provide planned teacherled and child-initiated play, activities and continuous provision, allowing for high quality interactions with the children and for catching those unplanned "teachable" moments. From day one, the important routines of the day and expectations are put in place to enable each child to feel safe and secure. We model how to communicate and use appropriate language, supporting "back and forth" conversations, sharing ideas, exploring and questioning, retelling, using talk partners in a safe and encouraging environment. We love finding and learning new words for facts together! The environment and resources are designed to meet the developing needs of every child, providing a stimulating, nuturing space where children feel happy and enthusiastic to play and learn. We provide experiences that the children can relate to and feel comfortable with, provide resources and activities for their physical development and, over the year, we will plan challenges for the children to negotiate and extend their learning. Staff interact in meaningful, supportive ways by explaining, demonstrating and setting challenges, as well as modelling the important skill of listening to each other. Through careful transition planning in the summer term, staff begin to build a picture of each child, what they know and understand and can do. We continue to assess each child through careful observation and planning, to develop their next steps in new skills and knowledge, monitoring their progress over the year. We focus on their attitudes to learning and play (Characteristics of Effective Learning) in a supportive and encouraging environment, so they start Y1 as happy, engaged and successful individuals.

Please read in conjunction with the Saplings' Progression of Skills document.

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EYFS Principles	Positive Relation Enabling environ needs and help th Learning and De	nships: Children flour nments: Children lear hem to build their learr	ish with warm, strong in and develop well in ning over time. develop and learn at	& positive partnership safe and secure envir different rates. The fr	os between all staff and ronments who respond amework covers the ec	ident and self-assured. parents/carers. to their individual interests and lucation and care of all children in
Characteristics of Effective Learning	Active Learning: Creating and Th things At Ide Hill CofE P We believe that th	inking Critically: child Primary School we und he correct balance of a	and keep on trying if dren have and develo lerstand that play is a adult directed and uni	they encounter difficul op their own ideas, ma n integral part of learn nterrupted child-initiate	ties, and enjoy achieve ke links between ideas, ing and this is at the he	and develop strategies for doing eart of our early year's curriculum. st outcomes for pupils. Warm and

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General Themes:	WHAT MAKES "ME"?	ARE YOU SITTING COMFORTABLY?	WHO IS JACK FROST?	HOW DOES YOUR GARDEN GROW?	ARE WE THERE YET?	WHAT IS THE COMMOTION IN THE OCEAN?
These themes are a starting point to allow for children's interests.	Starting school / getting to know my new class / Being me in my world and what I like/don't like / Being kind and making friends / celebrating differences / Family and a sense of belonging/ Harvest	Traditional tales/storytelling Autumn and seasonal changes / Hibernation – British animals / People who help us / posting letters / Link to Diwali/Hanukkah and Nativity story. Remembrance.	changes / Chinese New Year and story of Great Race / hibernation & topor – bears / 8 species of bear / where do bears live?	Life cycles of butterflies, frogs and hens / human growth and keeping healthy. Habitats / Spring & seasonal changes / how does a seed grow? / Plants and weather Easter	going on safari – African animals and landscapes & conservations / where shall we go? How will we get there? / Following maps/comparing and contrasting our local environment with others in world	Sea creatures / floating and sinking – design and build boats / pirates & mermaids / fossils & dinosaurs / saving our seas and protecting our planet / changes and moving on

high quality Texts:	Owl Babies All are welcome! The Everywhere Bear My Hair Elmer The Colour Monster goes to school Birthday Bear Super duper you! The Great Big Book of Families! Beegu The Worrysaurus My Skin, Your Skin My Hair	The Little Red Hen The Gingerbread Man The Three Little Pigs Jack and the Beanstalk You Choose – Traditional Tales The Jolly Postman A Letter for Bear Rama and Sita The Nativity story Princess Smartypants/Prince Cinders	Five Bears Bear Snores On Jack Frost The Gruffalo The Great Race Not a Stick! Stickman Goldilocks & 3 bears (alternative) Peace at Last! My Friend, Bear The Empty Pot Mr Wolf's Pancakes	The Hungry Caterpillar Tadpole's Promise Oliver's Vegetables Jasper's Beanstalk Sharing a Shell The Little Green Hen The Tiny Seed How to Grow a Unicorn Tad Mr Wolf's Pancakes	Nisha's Journey Whatever Next! We're going on a lion hunt Handa's Surprise The Whale & the Snail The Journey of Everyday Things Snail Trail A Ticket Around the World The Naughty Bus Oi! Get off the bus!	Someone swallowed Stanley The Lighthouse Keeper's Breakfast Billy's Bucket Tiddler The Storm Whale Pirates Love Underpants! Dinosaur texts The Lion Inside Jack & the Flum Flum Tree
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Possible Enrichment Ideas:	WHAT MAKES "ME"? Birthday celebrations in home corner/Mungo's birthday Harvest / Autumn walk – looking for signs of Autumn Visit to meet donkeys? Teddy Bear's picnic	ARE YOU SITTING COMFORTABLY? Cooking – Autumn recipes Sparkle and Shine – Bonfire Night /Christmas/Diwali/Hannukah Trip to postbox Children in Need/Remembrance Collect a stick – turn it into something amazing.	WHO IS JACK FROST? Cooking – pancakes/Lent Teddy Bear's Picnic Chinese New Year Internet Safety Day Forest School People who help us-visitor?	HOW DOES YOUR GARDEN GROW? Bore Place or Farm visit? Spring walk/Forest Sch Tadpoles/caterpillars Easter – pancakes etc Planting seeds/growing flowers and vegetables World Book Day Easter Pause Day Mothering Sunday	ARE WE THERE YET? Map out your journey to school Ramadan/Eid Forest School Visitor – growing up in a different country	WHAT IS THE COMMOTION IN THE OCEAN? World Environment Day Whole School walk to Emmetts? Pirate invasion Forest School
Assessment	Baseline Assessment Nursery/Pre School data In House Baseline Assessments	PPM/Data Parents Evenings	Moderation	PPM/Data Parents Evenings	Moderation	EYFS Profile/Handover
Parents:	Wow moments Staggered Start Learning Journey Phonics Workshop Home School Agreement Show and Share afternoon	Wow moments Learning Journey Parents Evening Sparkle & Shine Nativity	Wow moments Learning Journey Show and Share Afternoon Reading Volunteers	Wow moments Learning Journey Parents Evenings Reading Volunteers	Wow moments Learning Journey Show and Share Afternoon Reading Volunteers	Wow moments Learning Journey EYFS Profile and Reports Sports day and picnic/Transition Reading Volunteers

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<u>Communication and</u> Language Educational Programme	the foundations for lang language-rich environm practitioners will build of providing them with ext story-telling and role pla	guage and cognitive develo ent is crucial. By comment children's language effectiv censive opportunities to us	pment. The number and o ing on what children are i rely. Reading frequently to e and embed new words i neir ideas with support an	quality of the conversations the nterested in or doing, and echo o children, and engaging them a in a range of contexts, will give d modelling from their teacher,	ey have with adults and pee- bing back what they say with actively in stories, non-fictio children the opportunity to	n new vocabulary added, n, rhymes and poems, and then thrive. Through conversation,
COMMUNICATION & LANGUAGE Overview Listening, Attention and Understanding Speaking	Welcome to EYFS Settling in Taking turns to listen Model back and forth conversations Follow instruction and daily routines Express your preferences/passions	Tell me a story! Listen to and recount a story with repeated phrases and actions To begin to understand what a question is Follow simple two-step instruction Share with a small group	Tell me why! Remember key events in a story Ask more questions to find out more information How do you know? Can you remember the new word we learnt?	Explain to me! Can you share with a friend and tell me what they think? Remember to listen to each other and take turns to talk Use a full sentence to explain your idea Talk to your partner Why do you think that?	Can you recount an event? Retell what happened Repeat phrases and new vocabulary Make links with your own experiences Discuss with a partner or group – share your ideas	Tell me about the differences? Listen to and engage with fiction/non-fiction texts How are they similar/different? Are you listening carefully to your partner/adult? What do they think?
Early Learning Goal:	Make comments about wh peers. Speaking: Participate in small group, of recently introduced voc	ond to what they hear with re nat they have heard and ask q class and one-to-one discussi abulary from stories, non-fict	uestions to clarify their unde ons, offering their own ideas ion, rhymes and poems whe		n engaged in back-and-forth ex llary; Offer explanations for wh and feelings about their experi	

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Personal, Social & Emotional Development Educational Programme Overview	development. Underpinn with adults enable childre sense of self, set themsel adult modelling and guida interaction with other chi	ing their personal developme en to learn how to understan ves simple goals, have confic ance, they will learn how to l	dence in their own abilities, to ook after their bodies, includ ke good friendships, co-opera	ments that shape their soc se of others. Children shou o persist and wait for what ing healthy eating, and ma	ial world. Strong, warm and Id be supported to manage they want and direct atten mage personal needs indep	d supportive 9 relationships e emotions, develop a positive
Self-Regulation	Recognising emotions	Expressing emotions	Maintaining focus	Controlling emotions effectively	Staying calm and focused	Following instructions and completing the task
Managing Self	Why do we need rules?	I can take care of myself	Being more independent Begin to work	Don't give up, you can do it	Showing resilience and perseverance	Being healthy – food, sleep and exercise Showing a "can do" attitude
Building Relationships	To make new friends and feel safe	Develop positive relationships with children and staff	collaboratively with a partner or group	Solutions and compromises	Listen to others carefully	Build confident relationships with others around school
SCARF PSHE Scheme	SCARF: Me and My Relationships	SCARF: Valuing Difference	SCARF: Keeping Safe	SCARF: Rights and Respect	SCARF: Being my Best	SCARF: Growing and Changing Change
Early Learning Goal:	they want and control their an ability to follow instruction Managing Self: Be confident to try new active accordingly; Manage their or Building Relationships:	immediate impulses when approns involving several ideas or activities and show independence, in wn basic hygiene and personal in the second second personal in the second second personal in the second secon	tions.	to what the teacher says, res ne face of challenge; Explain t to the toilet, and understandi	ponding appropriately even w he reasons for rules, know righ ng the importance of healthy	hen engaged in activity, and show ht from wrong and try to behave food choices.
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Physical Development Educational Programme Overview	incrementally throughout through tummy time, cra adults can support childre developing healthy bodie literacy. Repeated and va	en to develop their core stre s and social and emotional w	th sensory explorations and ith both objects and adults. ngth, stability, balance, spat vell-being. Fine motor contr e and play with small world	the development of a child By creating games and prov ial awareness, co-ordination ol and precision helps with l activities, puzzles, arts and o	's strength, co-ordination iding opportunities for pla n and agility. Gross motor nand-eye co-ordination, w	and positional awareness by both indoors and outdoors, skills provide the foundation for
GROSS MOTOR SKILLS Daily opportunities for Gross Motor Development See PE Scheme FINE MOTOR SKILLS Daily opportunities for Fine Motor Activities Continuously check the process of children's handwriting (pencil grip and letter formation, including directionality). Provide extra help and guidance when needed.	Multi Skills Wiggle & Squiggle Dance Outdoor area daily activities Dough Disco Funky Finger Activities Sand writing Large scale writing with different mark makers	Multi Skills Wiggle & Squiggle Dance Outdoor area daily activities Dough Disco Funky Finger Activities Sand writing Large scale writing with different mark makers	Gymnastics Wiggle & Squiggle Dance Outdoor area daily activities Dough Disco Funky Finger Activities Sand writing	Throwing and Catching/Agility Wriggle & Squiggle Dance Outdoor area daily activities Sand writing Funky Finger Activities Sewing	Rounders Wiggle & Squiggle Dance Outdoor area daily activities Use of a variety of tools/construction toys/etc	Athletics Forest School Dance Outdoor area daily activities Use of a variety of tools/construction toys/etc
Early Learning Goal:	running, jumping, dancing, h Fine Motor Skills:	es safely, with consideration for hopping, skipping and climbing. reparation for fluent writing – u en drawing.		-		

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Literacy Educational Programme	comprehension (neces books (stories and non working out of the pro (spelling and handwriti	to develop a life-long love of sary for both reading and writ -fiction) they read with them, nunciation of unfamiliar printe ng) and composition (articula	ing) starts from birth. It only and enjoy rhymes, poems a ed words (decoding) and the ting ideas and structuring the	develops when adults talk nd songs together. Skilled v speedy recognition of fam em in speech, before writin	with children about the vord reading, taught late iliar printed words. Writi g).	world around them and the r, involves both the speedy ng involves transcription
Phonics (Rocket Phonics Scheme) WORD READING Children will practice word reading during phonics lessons, in independent learning in the continuous provision, while reading their reading books and practicing their set HFW. Developing a passion for reading / 1:1 reading /Daily Story Time – reading aloud in Book Nook/whole class and continuous provision/Reading buddies once a week/Book Vote/Daily Readers	Phonic Sounds: /s/ as in sun /p/ as in pan /a/ as in apple /n/ as in net /t/ as in tap /m/ as in mouse /i/ as in insect /d/ as in dog /g/ as in goat /o/ as in octopus /k/ as in cat /k/ as in kite Tricky words: I, the, to, go, no, into	Phonic Sounds: /ck/ as in duck /h/ as in hat /e/ as in elephant /b/ as in bat /u/ as in umbrella /f/ as in frog and cliff /r/ as in rabbit /l/ as in ladder /l/ as in shell /s/ as in dress Double consonant letters, Two-syllable words Tricky words: l, the, to, go, no, into	<pre>Phonic Sounds: /j/ as in jug /v/ as in van /w/ as in web /k+s/ as in fox /y/ as in yellow /z/ as in zebra and puzzle /z/ as in bugs /k+w/ as in queen Tricky words: he, she, we, me, be, was, my, you, her, they, all, are</pre>	Phonic Sounds: /ch/ as in chick /sh/ as in sheep /th/ as in thumb and feather /n+g/ as in ring /ai/ as in train /ee/ as in bee /igh/ as in light /oa/ as in boat short /oo/ as in book long /oo/ as in moon Tricky words: he, she, we, me, be, was, my, you, her, they, all, are	Phonic Sounds: /ar/ as in car /or/ as in fork /ur/ as in purse /ou/ as in owl /oi/ as in coin /eer/ as in ear /air/ as in chair /y+oor/ as in manure /uh/ as in hammer Tricky words: some, one, said, come, do, so, were, when, have, there, out, like, little, what	 Phonic Sounds: wh,ph /ai/ alternatives (e.g. a-e, ay, a) /ee/ alternatives (e.g. ea, e-e, y) /igh/ alternatives (e.g. y, i-e, ie) /oa/ alternatives (e.g. o, oe, o-e) Tricky words: some, one, said, come, do, so, were, when, have, there, out, like, little, what
COMPREHENSION	Listening Understanding What do you know already?	Listening Understanding What is a question? Exploring new vocabulary and phrases from texts they have listened to Making links in their learning	Listening Understanding Asking questions Exploring new vocabulary and phrases from texts shared in class and from what they have read Making links in their learning	Listening Understanding Predictions Asking questions Exploring new vocabulary and phrases from texts shared in class and from what they have read Making links in their learning	Listening Understanding Predictions Asking questions Exploring new vocabulary and phrases from texts shared in class and from what they have read Making links	Listening Understanding Asking questions Exploring new vocabulary and phrases from texts shared in class and from what they have read Making links Understanding different types of text

WRITING Texts may change with children's interests. Writing opportunities teacher directed active and in continuous pro Provide relevant vocabulary/words of Talk4Writing Literacyshed	in vities patterns in a range mediums. They will begin to develop a dominant hand an work towards a tri grip. Children will s to give meaning to marks and labels. Writing initial sourd and simple caption initial sounds to lal characters / image Children will begin write their names. Bs: Comprehension: Demonstrate under appropriate – key Word Reading: Say a sound for ear books that are con Writing:	writing sometimes with adults acting as scribes Writing CV words to label characters. Writing simple captions about pictures from pod traditional tales e.g. it is a start hen. Sequence stories such as Th Tiger that came to tea/Christmas story. bel s.	 words such as I, me, my, like, to, the. Writing CVC, CVCC, CVC words. Guid writing based around developing short sentences/ideas about children's interests or theme. Use T4W story map structure if appropriate. hem by retelling stories and n d recently introduced vocabu 10 digraphs; Read words con including some common excert 	own story maps, writing captions and labels, beginning to write simple sentences, rehearsing what we want to write (what do we need to remember when writing a sentence?) Writing short sentences to accompany T4W story maps if appropriate Recount of possible trip? arratives using their own words a ary during discussions about stori sistent with their phonic knowledge ption words.	Rhyming words nd recently introduced vocab es, non-fiction, rhymes and p ge by sound-blending; Read a	oems and during role-play. aloud simple sentences and
	phrases and sente	nces that can be ready by others.	Saplings Long Term Pla	in		
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<u>Maths</u> <u>Educational</u> <u>Programme</u>	confidently, develop a de varied opportunities to b develop a secure base of	nding in number is essential so th ep understanding of the numbers uild and apply this understanding knowledge and vocabulary from n to develop their spatial reasonin	s to 10, the relationships be - such as using manipulati which mastery of mathema	etween them and the patterns ves, including small pebbles an itics is built. In addition, it is im	within those numbers. By d tens frames for organisi portant that the curriculu	providing frequent and ng counting - children will m includes rich

	develop positive attitudes a	and interests in mathematics,	look for patterns and relati	onships, spot connections, 'h	ave a go', talk to adults and pee	ers about what they
	notice and not be afraid to	make mistakes.				
<u>White Rose Maths</u> Schem <u>e</u>	Getting to know you Just Like Me	Its me, 1, 2, 3 Light and Dark	Alive in 5 Growing 6, 7 & 8	Building 9 & 10 Consolidation	To 20 and beyond First, Then and Now	Find my pattern On the Move
_	Counting Principles/Routines/	Representing, comparing and composition of 1,2,3	Introducing 0 Comparing numbers to 5	Counting to 9 & 10 Comparing numbers to 10	Building numbers beyond 10 Counting numbers beyond 10	Doubling, sharing and grouping
<u>Number</u>	Positional language Match and Sort, compare amounts	Representing 1-5 One More, One Less	Composition of 4 & 5 6, 7 & 8 Comparing numbers	Bonds to 10	Adding more Taking away	Even & Odd Deepening understanding
<u>Shape, Space &</u> <u>Measure</u>	Compare mass, size & capacity	Circles and Triangles Positional Language Shapes with 4 sides	Making Pairs Compare Mass	3D shapes Spatial awareness Patterns	Spatial reasoning 1 Match, rotate, manipulate Spatial reasoning 2	Pattern and relationship Spatial reasoning 3
Possible Maths	Exploring Pattern	Time	Compare Capacity		Compose and decompose	Visualise and Build Spatial reasoning 4
<u>Stories</u>	Balancing Act Where's my Teddy? Rosie's Walk Five Minute's Peace Naughty Bus	Mrs Honey's Hat Kipper's Birthday We're going on a Bear Hunt Circle, Triangle I'm Number 1 Funny Bones Peace at Last The Gingerbread Man The Enormous Turnip Jon Klassen Shape stories	Simon Sock The Ugly Five A Beach for Albert A Squash & a Squeeze Room on the Broom The Blue Balloon Balancing Act None the Number	Snail's Trail Six Dinner Sid What the Ladybird Heard Titch Jack and the Beanstalk Jim and the Beanstalk Mr Wolf's Week Jasper's Beanstalk	1 is a Snail The Real Princess 20 Trucks 1 Moose, 20 Mice 1 to 10 and back again Tad Mr Gumpy's Outing Jack and the flum flum tree	Mapping Double Dave One Odd Day Underwater Counting Billy's Bucket If I built a house Little Red Riding Hood How many legs? Mr Archimedes bath
<u>Other Possible</u> <u>Resources</u>	Nursery Rhymes – counting songs Action songs	Numberblocks Subitise songs Nursery Rhymes	Numberblocks Numbers to ten songs Nursery Rhymes	Numberblocks Nursery Rhymes Count to 20 song	Numberblocks Topmark games ICT games	Numberblocks Topmark games ICT games
Early Learning Goal:	Number: Have a deep understanding (without reference to rhym Numerical Patterns: Verbally count beyond 20,	g of number to 10, including the second	he composition of each nun umber bonds up to 5 (includ e counting system; Compare	ber; Subitise (recognise qua ing subtraction facts) and so quantities up to 10 in differe	ntities without counting) up to 5 me number bonds to 10, includi ent contexts, recognising when ding evens and odds, double fac	; Automatically recall ng double facts. one quantity is greater

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Understanding the World Educational Programme	experiences increase society such as polic understanding of ou	es their knowledge and sen e officers, nurses and firefi r culturally, socially, techno	se of the world around the ghters. In addition, listenir plogically and ecologically	em – from visiting parks, lik ng to a broad selection of s diverse world. As well as b	ommunity. The frequency and r braries and museums to meetin tories, non-fiction, rhymes and uilding important knowledge, th ary will support later reading col	g important members of poems will foster their nis extends their familiarity
Developing Experts	Seasons: Autumn	Seasons: Autumn/Winter	Seasons: Winter	Seasons: Spring	Seasons: Spring/Summer	Seasons: Summer
<u>Scheme</u> – these plans will be linked to our general themes and we will follow children's interests. Thinking scientifically	Animals (what is your favourite?) Dinosaurs Our senses	Animals (British and nocturnal) Materials Food (Diwali/Christmas)	Our Body Health & Safety Animals (Bears and hibernating animals)	Plants - seeds Animals – life cycles People who help us Talk about lives of people	Food Plants Animals (Bugs)	Forces The Beach Animals (under the sea/on beach)
Thinking geographically Thinking historically	Food (What is your favourite? / Harvest - soup) Talk about their experiences – past and present	Drawing on their own experiences, talk about past and present events – Guy Fawkes	Talk about past and present – through books/characters/events	Similarities and differences between now and then	Our Body (eating healthily) Africa – habitat/environment/life Conservation – David Attenborough Talk about past and present – through books/characters/events	Using maps – our local environment Talk about past and present/future events
Festivals/Celebrations	Home traditions/celebrations Community Harvest	Remembrance Diwali Hannukah Kwanzaa Christmas	Chinese New Year Shrove Tuesday Ash Wednesday Holi	Easter Ramadan Mothering Sunday Red Nose Day	Eid	Environment Day Father's Day
Early Learning Goal:		neir experiences and what has			es between different religious and characters and events encountered	

different religious and cultural communiities in this country, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class; Explain some similarities and differences between
life in this country and life in other countries, drawing on knowledge from stories, non-fiction texts and – when appropriate – maps.
The Natural World:
Explore the natural world around them, making observations and drawing pictures of animals and plants; Know some similarities and differences between the natural world
around them and contrasting environments, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class; Understand some important processes and changes in the natural
world around them, including the seasons and changing states of matter.

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Rochester Diocese RE Curriculum	The curriculum enables children to flourish through our school vision and values and to develop a positive sense of themselves and others and learn how to form positive and respectful relationships. They will begin to understand and value the differences of individuals and groups within their own community. Children will have opportunity to develop their emerging moral and cultural awareness and spirituality.							
<u>Vision & Values</u> Do everything in Love – love, respect & responsibility <u>Golden Threads</u>	Settling In How am I special? Meeting the children of faith. Why is the word "God" so important to Christians?	Understanding Christianity/Incarnation Why do Christians celebrate the Nativity story?	Understanding Christianity – God/Creation Why is the word "God" so important to Christians? How did God create our wonderful world? Old Testament stories.	Understanding Christianity – Salvation Why do Christians put a cross in an Easter garden?	Stories from the New Testament What is special about Jesus and the message he brings?	World Faiths What can we learn from other faiths and their stories?		
	Promote Spirituality – awe and wonder, opportunities to stop and reflect, be peaceful, celebrate, see the joy and beauty in world around us from something tiny to something big.							
Possible HQ Texts	Hats of Faith All Are Welcome Love makes a family	Introduce The Bible The Nativity Story	Wonderful Earth Here We Are Children's Bible Old Testament Stories - Noah and Joseph	Children's Bible – Easter Week Story	Zaccheus Miracle of the Fish Parable of Lost Sheep Jesus Calms the Storm Healing the Paralyzed Man	See Inside World Religions The Proudest Blue World Faith Stories		
Further Resources	CBBC Harvest	CBBC Let's Celebrate	CBBC Let's Celebrate	CBBC Let's Celebrate				
End of Year Outcomes:	 Incarnation Children will know that: Christians believe that God came to earth in human form as Jesus Christians believe that Jesus came to show that all people are special and precious to God 		 <u>Creation</u> <u>Children will know that:</u> The Word God is a name Christians believe God is the creator of the universe Christians believe God made our wonderful world and so we should look after it 		 Salvation Children will know that: Christians remember Jesus' last week at Easter Jesus name means "He saves" Christians believe Jesus came to show God's Love Christians try to show love to others 			

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Expressive Arts and Design Educational Programme	The development of children's artistic and cultural awareness supports their imagination and creativity. It is important that children have regular opportunities to engage with the arts, enabling them to explore and play with a wide range of media and materials. The quality and variety of what children see, hear and participate in is crucial for developing their understanding, self-expression, vocabulary and ability to communicate through the arts. The frequency, repetition and depth of their experiences are fundamental to their progress in interpreting and appreciating what they hear, respond to and observe.								
	Access Art Areas of Focus:								
<u>Art</u> Access Art Scheme	What can we see? How can we explore colour?		How can we build worlds? How can we explore materials and marks?		How can we explore 3D materials? How can we use our bodies to make art? How can we use our imaginations?				
Possible ideas – these may be moved round to fit children's interests or themes	Finding Circles/Observational Drawing/Collecting, Arranging, Drawing/Still Life Compositions/Self Portraits/Finger Puppets Collecting Colour/To Colour/Collaging/Painting with string/Wax resist Autumn Leaves		Cardboard Creations/Prop Making/Creating a Book World/Mini World/Bug Hotel Ducklings/Mark Making and Sound/Night Time Collage/Imaginary Landscapes/Transforming Objects "I ts not a stick" & "Its not a box" stories		Fruit and Veg Heads/Clay Play/Marbelling/Repeat Pattern Printing/Modroc plaster board Movement Maps/Dancing to Art/Hands, Feet and Flowers/Dressing as Fossils Imaginary Landscapes/Let's start withcollage/Galaxy Painting				
DT Kapow Scheme alongside chn's interests	Structures: Junk Modelling Food: Soup	g Seasonal Projects: Hibernation Boxes Sliding chimney	Textiles: Bookmarks	Seasonal Projects: Hanging egg décoration Flower weaving	Structures: Boats	Seasonal Projects: Designing and Making a Rainbow Salad			

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General Theme	GETTING TO KNOW YOU!	ARE YOU SITTING COMFORTABLY?	WHO IS JACK FROST?	HOW DOES YOUR GARDEN GROW?	ARE WE THERE YET?	WHAT IS THE COMMOTION IN THE OCEAN?	
Music KAPOW we will follow children's interests alongside this planning	Exploring Sound Exploring how to use our voice and bodies to make sounds, experimenting with tempo and dynamic when playing instruments and	Celebration Music Learning about the music from a range of cultural and religious celebrations, including Diwali, Hanukkah, Kwanzaa and Christmas	Music and Movement Creating simple actions to songs, learning how to move to a beat and expressing feelings and emotions through movement to music	Creating simple actions // to songs, learning how to to move to a beat and to expressing feelings and provide the to move movement to music to the top to the top to the top top to the top	Musical Stories A unit based on traditional childrens' tales and songs, where pupils learn that music and instruments can be used to convey moods or	Big Band Learning about the four different groups of musical instruments, following a beat using an untuned instrument and performing a practised	
	identifying sounds in the environment BBC Let's Move Autumn	Diwali story Nativity Dance	Chinese New Year dragon dances Bear Songs Winter Songs	Spring & growing songs	represent characters. Travel/Journey songs	song to a small audience Seaside songs Pirate songs	
Early Learning Goal:	Creating with materials: Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function; Share their creations, explaining th process they used; Make use of props and materials when role playing characters in narratives and stories. Being Imaginative and Expressive: Invent, adapt and recount narratives and stories with peers and their teacher; Sing a range of well-known nursery rhymes and songs; Perform songs, rhymes, poems and stories with others, and – when appropriate try to move in time with music.						