



Communication and Language

Skill - Listening, Attention and Understanding ELG:

- Listen attentively and respond to what they hear with relevant questions, comments and actions when being read to and during whole class discussions and small group interactions.
- Make comments about what they have heard and ask questions to clarify their understanding.
- Hold conversations when engaged in back and forth exchanges with an adult and peers.

Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
To engage in story	To begin to follow	To retell a story	To understand the	To have
times (singing,	instructions with		questions words	conversations with
chanting, repeating)	more than 1 step	To follow a story	(who, what, when,	adults and peers
		without pictures or	where, why and	using back and
To begin to	To ask questions to	props	how)	forth exchanges
understand how	find out more			
and why questions				
	To develop social			
To start to use	phrases			
vocabulary				
	To engage in story times (singing, chanting, repeating) To begin to understand how and why questions	To engage in story times (singing, chanting, repeating) To begin to understand how and why questions To start to use topic-specific To begin to follow instructions with more than 1 step To ask questions to find out more To develop social phrases	To engage in story times (singing, chanting, repeating) To begin to instructions with more than 1 step To begin to understand how and why questions To start to use topic-specific To begin to follow instructions with more than 1 step To ask questions to find out more To develop social phrases	To engage in story times (singing, chanting, repeating) To begin to follow instructions with more than 1 step To follow a story without pictures or props To start to use topic-specific To begin to follow instructions with more than 1 step To follow a story without pictures or props To develop social phrases To develop social phrases

Skill - Speaking

- Participate in small group, class and 1:1 discussions, offering their own ideas using recently introduced vocabulary.
- Offer explanations for why things might happen, making use of recently introduced vocabulary from stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems when appropriate. E
- Express their ideas and feelings about their experiences using full sentences, including use of past, present and future tenses and making use of conjunctions with modelling and support from an adult.

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
To talk to our peers To talk to adults in	To talk in front of a small group	To talk more confidently to other adults around	To use new vocabulary throughout the day	To talk more confidently in front of the whole class	To talk in sentences using a range of tenses
class To begin to learn new vocabulary		school	tinoughout the day	of the whole dass	To talk about why things happen





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Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Skill - Self-Regulation

ELG:

- Show an understanding of their own feelings and those of others and begin to regulate their behaviour accordingly.
- Set and work towards simple goals, being able to wait for what they want and control their immediate impulses when appropriate.
- Give focused attention to what an adult says, responding appropriately, even when engaged in an activity and show an ability to follow instructions involving several ideas or actions.

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
To understand the importance of emotions	To talk about how they are feeling ("use your words")	To begin to regulate our own emotions	To more effectively regulate and manage our	To begin to explain another person's feelings based on their behaviours or	To maintain focus for extended periods of time
To recognise different emotions	To begin to consider the feelings of others	To develop focus during activities	To consider other people's needs and	expressions	
To understand how people show	To begin to adapt		feelings		
emotions	behaviour in different situations				

Skill - Managing Self

- Be confident to try new activities and show independence, resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge.
- Explain the reasons for rules, no right from wrong and try to behave accordingly, manage their own personal hygiene and personal needs, including dressing, going to the toilet and understanding the importance of healthy food choices.

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
To wash hands	To develop	To begin to show	To develop cutlery	To manage own	To manage
independently	understanding of	perseverance and	skills (lunch hall)	basic needs	undressing and
	class and school	resilience in the		independently	dressing
To recognise when	rules	face of challenge			independently
to go to the toilet		(zips or buttons)		To understand the	(swimming lessons)
				importance of	





To manage toileting	To have confidence		healthy food	To show a 'can do'
independently	to try new activities		choices	attitude
To explore the				
different areas of continuous				
provision				
To put a coat on				
independently				

Skill – Building Relationships

ELG:

- Work and play cooperatively and take turns with others, form positive attachments to adults and friendships with peers.
- Show sensitivity to their own and others' needs.

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
To play alongside	To play with our	To begin to develop	To begin to listen to	To maintain	To maintain positive
our peers	peers	friendships	the ideas of others	friendships	attachments with
					peers and adults
To gain confidence	To gain confidence	To begin to work in	To take turns more	To begin to develop	
to speak to friends	to speak to adults in	a group with	independently	relationships with	To begin to
	class	support		others adults	compromise and
				around school	agree on a solution
	To begin take turns				
	with support				

Physical Development

Skill – Gross Motor Skills

- Negotiate space and obstacles safely with consideration for themselves and others.
- Demonstrate strength, balance and coordination when playing.
- Move energetically, such as running, jumping, dancing, hopping, skipping and climbing.

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
To move safely in a	To work	To develop ball	To create short	To follow	To develop
space	cooperatively with a	skills (track a ball,	sequences using	instructions and	coordination
	partner	roll, dribble with	shapes, balances		(swimming)





To stop safely		hands, throw and	and travelling	simple rules in a	
	To balance	catch, kicking)	actions	game	To develop water
To develop control					confidence
when using	To run and stop	To balance and	To move	To begin to be	(swimming)
equipment		safely use	rhythmically to	aware of others in a	
	To jump and begin	apparatus	music	game	
To jump and land	to hop				
safely from a height	To change direction				
	To change direction				
	To explore different				
	ways to travel using				
	equipment				
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Skill – Fine Motor Skills

ELG:

- Hold a pencil effectively in preparation for fluent writing, using the tripod grip in almost all cases.
- Use a range of small tools, including scissors, paintbrushes and cutlery.
- Begin to show accuracy and care when drawing.

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
To use a dominant	To begin to hold	To more	To cut out shapes	To develop	To cut different
hand	scissors correctly	consistently use the	effectively using	consistency with	materials effectively
	and make snips	tripod grip	scissors	letter formation	using scissors
To mark-make					
	To begin to use the	To develop	To draw lines,	To cut out smaller	To independently
To begin to use a	tripod grip	perseverance when	circles and shapes	shapes with	use cutlery
range of tools (big		using scissors	to make pictures	accuracy using	
tweezers, bead-	To form some			scissors	To use the tripod
threading, peg	recognisable letters	To write taught	To effectively		grip effectively and
boards)	(eg. from name)	letters increasingly	control a paintbrush		independently
		accurately	-		-

Literacy

Skill – Comprehension

ELG:

• Demonstrate understanding of what has been read to them by retelling stories and narratives using their own words and recently introduced vocabulary.





- Anticipate (where appropriate) key events in stories.
- Use and understand recently introduced vocabulary during discussions about stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems and during role-play.

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
To sequence	To engage in story	To act out stories	To retell a story	To answer	To ask questions
familiar stories	times, joining in with			questions about	linked to a text
	repeated actions	To begin to predict	To follow a story	own reading	
To independently	and phrases	what might happen	without pictures or		To make choices to
hold and look at a		next	props	To more confidently	read a wider
book correctly	To begin to answer			use key vocabulary	selection of different
	questions about the	To begin to use	To begin to use	linked to a text	texts (fiction, non-
To use pictures to	stories read to them	newly introduced	texts to retrieve		fiction, rhymes,
tell stories		vocabulary	information	To predict story	poetry)
	To enjoy a range of			endings more	
To discuss the	books, including			effectively	
characters in a	fiction, non-fiction,				
story	rhymes and poems				

Skill – Word Reading ELG:

- Say and sound for each letter in the alphabet and at least 10 digraphs
- Read words consistent with their phonic knowledge by sound blending
- Read aloud simple sentences and books that are consistent with their phonic knowledge, including some common exception words

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Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
To read own name	To recognise taught				
	Phase 2 sounds	Phase 2 and Phase			
To recognise taught		3 sounds	3 sounds	3 sounds	3 sounds
Phase 2 sounds	To recognise taught				
	Phase 2 tricky	To recognise taught	To recognise taught	To recognise taught	To recognise taught
To recognise taught	words	Phase 2 and Phase	Phase 2 and Phase	Phase 2, Phase 3	Phase 2, Phase 3
Phase 2 tricky		3 tricky words	3 tricky words	and Phase 4 tricky	and Phase 4 tricky
words	To blend sounds			words	words
	together to read	To recognise taught	To read sentences		
To begin to blend	words using the	digraphs in words	containing tricky		To read compound
sounds together to	taught sounds		words and digraphs		words





read words using		and blend the		To read words with	
the taught sounds	To begin reading	sounds together	To read books	Phase 3 vowel	To read longer
	captions and		matching phonic	sounds	sentences
	sentences using	To read sentences	ability		containing Phase 4
	taught sounds	containing tricky words and digraphs		To read compound words	words and tricky words
	To read books				
	matching phonic	To read books		To read longer	To read books
	ability	matching phonic		sentences	matching phonic
		ability		containing Phase 4 words and tricky	ability
				words	To use a range of
					strategies to make
				To read books	a plausible attempt
				matching phonic	at new words
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Skill – Writing

- Write recognisable letters, most of which are correctly formed.
- Spell words by identifying sounds in them and representing the sounds with a letter or letters.
- Write simple phrases and sentences that can be read by others.

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
To give meanings	To write own name	To begin to write	To begin to form	To more	To apply phonic
to marks made		sentences, using	upper case letters	consistently use	knowledge to
	To write some	finger spaces	correctly	finger spaces	writing more
To copy own name	words and labels,				consistently
	using taught sounds	To form lower case	To experiment with	To read their	
To write initial		letters correctly	full stops	sentence aloud to	To spell more
sounds	To begin to use			check it makes	taught tricky words
	correct letter	To spell some		sense	correctly
To begin to write	formation of taught	taught tricky words			
CVC words using	letters	correctly		To use word mats	To write sentences
taught sounds				to support writing	that can be read by
					others





To begin to apply phonic knowledge to writing
To use phoneme mats to support writing

Mathematics

Skill – Number

- Have a deep understanding of numbers to 10, including the composition of each number.
- Subitise (recognise quantities without counting) up to 5
- Automatically recall (without reference to rhymes counting or other aids) number bonds up to 5 (including subtraction facts) and some number bonds to 10, including double facts

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
To recognise	To recognise	To subitise to 5	To recognise	To recognise	To recap number
numbers 0-3	numbers 0-5		numbers 0-10	numbers 0-20	composition to
		To find 1 more/less			ensure secure
To begin to subitise	To begin to subitise	of numbers to 8	To explore the	To begin to recall	understanding
to 3	to 5		composition of 9	some number	
_ ,, , , , , , ,		To explore the	and 10	bonds to 10	To solve simple
To find 1 more/less	To find 1 more/less	composition of 6, 7			number problems
of numbers to 3	of numbers to 5	and 8	To recognise and	To begin to use	To develop develo
To ovalore the	To explore the	To motob the	use number bonds	double facts	To develop double
To explore the	To explore the composition of 4	To match the	to 5	To recall	facts
composition of 2 and 3	and 5	number to the quantity		subtraction facts to	
and 5	and 5	quantity		5	
	To begin to	To begin to recall			
	recognise number	some subtraction			
	bonds to 5	facts			





Skill - Numerical Patterns

ELG:

- Verbally count beyond 20, recognising the pattern of the counting system
- Compare quantities up to 10 in different contexts, recognising when one quantity is greater than, less than or the same as the other quantity

• Explore and represent patterns within numbers up to 10, including evens and odds, double facts and how quantities can be distributed equally

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
To say which group	To compare	To count objects to	To count to 20	To add numbers	To begin to count to
has more	quantities to 5	10			50
			To compare	To subtract	
To say which group	To compare equal	To compare	quantities to 10	numbers	To know and recall
has less	and unequal groups	quantities to 8		_ , ,	odd numbers to 10
T	Ta and Constant	To be added to	To explore odd and	To order numbers	T. 1
To compare	To continue to	To begin to	even numbers	to 20	To know and recall
quantities to 3	count to 10	understand the difference between	To order numbers	To find the missing	even numbers to 10
To begin to count to		odd and even	to 10	number in an	To double numbers
10 begin to count to		numbers to 8	10 10	addition/subtraction	up to 10
			To count back from	problem	
		To combine 2	10		To find half of
		groups of objects			numbers up to 10
			To take away		
			objects and count		To share quantities
			how many are left		equally
					To combine groups
					of 2s, 5s and 10s

Skill - Shape, Space and Measure

ELG – there are no ELGs linked to this part, however, the children will experience activities linked to this skill to develop their mathematical understanding (2D shapes, 3D shapes, money, capacity, length, weight, time).

Understanding the World

Skill - Past and Present

ELG:

Talk about the lives of people around them and their roles in society





- Know some similarities and differences between things in the past and now, drawing on their experience and what has been read
 in class
- Understand the past through settings, characters and events encountered in books read in class and storytelling.

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
To know about own	To learn about a	To learn about a	To make	To learn about the	To explain some
life story	significant individual	significant individual	comparisons	past through	similarities and
		from the past	between the past	objects and	differences in job
To know how I have	To begin to explain		and now (Farming)	experiences (Toys)	roles and settings
changed	some similarities	To learn about the			
	and differences	past through stories		To draw on own	
To talk about our	between the past	and characters		experiences and	
families and people	and now (linked to			make comparisons	
around us	Remembrance and			(Toys)	
	Christmas)				

Skill – People, Culture and Communities ELG:

- Describe their immediate environment using knowledge from observation, discussion, stories, non-fiction texts and maps
- Know some similarities and differences between different religious and cultural communities 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 (where appropriate) maps.

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
To know about our	To talk about how	To find similarities	To understand the	To use maps of the	To discuss different
family structure	Hindus celebrate	and differences	Easter story and its	local area	cultures and
	Diwali	between our lives	importance for		communities
To talk about who is		and life in another	Christians		
part of our family	To learn about the	country (Chinese			To foster
	Christmas story and	New Year)			acceptance and
To identify	our own				respect for
similarities and	experiences of				differences across
differences between	Christmas				the world
ourselves and their					
peers					





To know where we live			
To know the name of the village our school is in			
To begin to know that there are many countries in the world (Language and Culture Day)			

Skill - 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

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
To ask questions	To observe and	To observe and	To observe and	To make	To observe and
about the natural	describe the signs	describe the signs	describe the signs	observations and	describe the signs
environment	of Autumn	of Winter	of Spring	discuss changes (Plants)	of Summer
To respect and care		To begin to	To identify and		To make accurate
for the natural		understand	draw animals	To make accurate	drawings of animals
environment		changing states of	(Farming)	drawings of plants	
		matter (freezing)			
		To make comparisons with a contrasting environment (Polar Lands)			





Expressive Arts ar	Expressive Arts and Design					

Expressive Arts and Design

Skill - 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 the process they have used
- Make use of props and materials when role-playing characters in narratives and stories

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
To name colours	To explore different	To experiment with	To mix paint to	To plan and talk	To suggest some	
	techniques for	different mark-	achieve a particular	about our designs	improvements or	
To experiment with	joining materials	making media (oil	colour		changes to our	
mixing colours	(glue, tape)	pastels, crayons,		To talk about our	finished work	
-		paint)	To select own props	finished work		
To create simple	To use colours for a		and materials when		To explain the	
representations of	particular purpose	To know the names	role-playing	To use artists work	process and	
people and objects		of tools		to inspire our own	functions of tools	
	To use cooking			creations		
To role-play using	equipment	To start designing				
given props and						
costumes						
Skill – Being Imaginative and Expressive						





ELG:

- Invent, adapt and recount narratives and stories with peers and adults
- 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

Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
To sing songs with repetition (nursery	To use body percussion	To recount and retell stories with	To learn and perform in a	To move in time to music and learn	To write own poems based on previous
rhymes)	To learn and	peers, developing confidence	different setting (Church)	dance routines	ones learnt
To join in with	perform songs and		,	To develop	To create own
singing assemblies	stories as an ensemble (Nativity)	To begin to play a selection of	To learn about different genres of	confidence when playing percussion	compositions
To perform songs		percussion	music with	instruments in a	
during services (Harvest)	To build a repertoire of songs	instruments	characters and stories	group	

Technology

Although technology is no longer included within the Early Learning Goals, we think it is an important part of the Early Years Curriculum. As a result, children will be taught skills such as navigating using a mouse, keyboard and typing recognition, opening and closing programmes, taking photographs using cameras and tablets, programming Beebots to follow commands and instructions. Children will also learn about Online Safety including asking permission from an adult, safe use of the internet, appropriate and inappropriate content and how to report this to a trusted adult through talking.