EYFS Long Term Plan-Understanding the World

	 ELGs- 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. 		 ELGs- People, cultures and communities 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 (when appropriate) maps. 		 ELGs- Past and Present 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 experiences 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
School BIG Question	Who Am I?		What is my heritage and culture?		Local History/Geography study	
Year Group Line of Enquiry	Amazing Me!	Let's Celebrate!	People Who Help Us	Ready, Steady, Grow!	Under the sea	Down on the Farm
Quality Text	Grandpa – John Burningham; Owl Babies – Martin Waddell; Wanted: The Perfect Pet – Fiona Robertson Lost and Found – Oliver Jeffers; A Great Big Cuddle: Poems for the Very Young – Michael Rosen and Chris Riddell;	Non-fiction texts about Divali, hannukah, bonfire night, advent, Christmas Binny's Diwali by Thrity Umrigar & Nidhi Chanani	The Three Little Pigs-Trad. What do people do all day? — Richard Scarry A Place called Home — Kate Baker I Love Chinese New Year Eva Wong Nava & Li Xin	Jack and the Beanstalk The Very Hungry Caterpillar The little Red Hen-Trad Where food comes from: Seeds to Bread by Sarah Ridley	Rainbow Fish Pirates Love Underpants Michael Recycle – Ellie Bethel Harry saves the Ocean – Sylva Fae	Farmer Duck What the ladybird heard The Pig in the Pond by Martin Waddell and Jill Barton
Visits and visitors	None this term	 Visit - to the church (no cost) Visit - Corby library and theatre visit, Gruffalo's Child (5/10) Or pantomime. (cost) 	 Visitors- Police, Fire service, dentist, (no cost) Visitor from school community to talk 	Visit- Stratford Butterfly Farm (cost)	Princess/mermaid and Pirate Experience Day in school (no cost)	Visit – Farm (West Lodge) (cost)

		Visitor from school community to	about Chinese New		Γ	
		talk about Diwali? (no cost)	Year? (no cost)			
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			This term or next term - Visit			
			- Kingswood (cost)			
	During the Autumn	During the Autumn term	During the Spring	During the Spring term	During the Summer term	During the Summer term
	term children will learn	children will learn to:	term children will	children will learn to:	children will learn to:	children will learn to:
	to:		learn to:			
		-Recognise that seasons		-Identify physical features of	-Compare the seasons of	-Identify animals that
		have different weather	-Recognise some	a farm and compare to their	Spring and Summer	live on land and animals
	-Identify and recognise	patterns.	similarities and	local area (Farm Trip).		that live in water.
	the name of the town		differences between		-Recognise some	
	that they live in. (Our	-Compare the seasons of	life in this country	-Compare the seasons of	environments that are	-Contrast the natural
	school, our town, our	Autumn and Winter.	and life in other	Winter and Spring	different to the one	world around them with
	community)		countries. (Home-		which they live (books,	different environments.
		-Follow a simple map	School link: Sharing	-Draw information from a	story settings)	(town, seaside, farm)
	-Talk about local and	(map of classroom,	own/families	simple map. (Map of the		
	daily weather changes	school)	experiences of other	classroom farm).	-Locate where they live	-Talk about the
	in the town that they		countries)		on a world map and	differences between
	live in (daily calendar)	-Identify the physical		-Describe the life cycle of a	know there are different	materials and changes
		features of their local		butterfly (caterpillars in	countries in the world	they notice. (Cooking)
	-Explore and describe	environment/local park.	- Explore materials	class-making observations,		
	what they can see,		with similar and/or	drawing)	-Identify animals that	-Understand the need to
	hear, feel and smell	-Identify the physical	different properties.		live on land and animals	respect and care for the
	outside. (Autumn	features of a woodland	-Explore and talk	-Plant seeds and care for	that live in	natural environment and
	explorations, outside	and the animals that live	about the natural	growing plants (Making	water.(Making	all living things.
_	area, local area)	there (Books)	world (See book list	observations, drawing)	observations, drawing)	
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<u>6</u>	can feel e.g. push, pull	differences between	countries, maps)	growing plants (Making	world around them with	
t t	(Exploring magnets,	materials and changes		observations, drawing)	different environments.	
S S	vehicles in play)	they notice. (Cooking)	-Talk about the		(town, seaside)	
The Natural World			differences between	-Talk about changing states		
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	changes they notice	experiments. Food colouring	-Make observations of	
	(ice)	in plants, cress/grass in	ocean habitat, seaside	
		different places)	environment.	
	-Describe animals			
	and plants		-Talk about the	
			differences between	
	-Look at and makes		materials and changes	
	maps of the local		they notice	
	environment		(floating/sinking)	
	-Describes a journey		-Understand the need to	
	in the local		respect and care for the	
	environment		natural environment and	
			all living things.	

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				-Talks about some features	- Describe their	-Talk about the roles of
		-Talk about how	-Talk about the roles	of the Catholic Church and	immediate environment.	people in society. (Learn
	-Talk about their family	different people	of people in society.	knows that the school is		about farmers etc)
	and people in the	celebrate. (Learn about		connected to the Parish.	-Talk about what is the	
	community and their	and share experiences of	-Talk about some		same and different in life	-Knows some similarities
	roles.	below celebrations)	special places for		in this country and in	and differences between
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communities		and countries and	the same and			
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cultures		-Knows that Collective				
 		Worship is part of the	-Talk about the lives			
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People,		community.	familiar with and			
Pe		community.	their roles. (visits			
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			-Look at and makes			
			maps of the local			
			environment			
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			-Describes a journey in			
			the local environment			

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Past and Present	-Talk about changes that have happened to them throughout their life. -Talk about what they can see in pictures of the past. (Remembrance Day photos)	-Begin to talk about the past e.g. no TV, different toys/clothes using photos and physical artefacts. (Christmas in the past: chronological order) -Understand the difference between past and present and builds knowledge of key historical events. -Have an awareness of the past linked to themselves and their family and how it has changed.	- Talks about significant historical events and how things were different in the past.	-Talk about changes that have happened to them throughout their life.	-Talk about the past using books and stories, talking about the characters, settings and events. -Give similarities and differences between the past and now.	-Give similarities and differences between the past and now.
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