

## CURRICULUM OVERVIEW 2017-18 CLASS Upper Foundation Stage

	<b>AUTUMN TERM 1</b>	<b>AUTUMN TERM 2</b>	<b>SPRING TERM 1</b>	<b>SPRING TERM 2</b>	<b>SUMMER TERM 1</b>	<b>SUMMER TERM 2</b>
<b>TOPICS</b>	<b>Ourselves Food Around the World</b>	<b>Food Around the World Christmas</b>	<b>Where in the World</b>	<b>Where in the World</b>	<b>Explore and More</b>	<b>Explore and More</b>
<b>KEY EXPERIENCE(S)</b>	Weekly Library Visits	Weekly Library Visits Christmas concerts	Weekly Library Visits Inspire	Weekly Library Visits	Weekly Library Visits	Weekly Library Visits Celebration Afternoon
<b>ACADEMY VALUES</b>	Belonging	Tolerance	Respect	Honesty	Friendship	Responsibility
<b>In all areas of learning there are opportunities to develop skills through continuous provision and focus activities.</b>						
<b>Communication &amp; Language</b>	Introducing talk partners. Talking about likes and dislikes.	Discussing healthy choices. Retelling stories. Christmas Nativity.	Listening to others as a sign of respect. Asking relevant questions.	Using language to describe and compare.	Using language to describe.	Using creative language to add detail to a description.
<b>Physical Development</b>	Outdoor play. Fine motor skill- pencil control and cutting skills. Weekly PE session	Outdoor Play Weekly PE session	Outdoor Play Weekly PE session	Outdoor Play Weekly PE session	Outdoor Play. Weekly PE session	Outdoor Play Weekly PE session
<b>Personal, Social and Emotional Development</b>	Independence in continuous provision. Learning Academy rules. Introducing house points and house teams.	Safety on Bonfire Night.				Changes – preparing for Year 1 and transition.
<b>Literacy</b>	Sounding out and writing labels. Writing likes and dislikes.	Book – Handa’s Surprise. Letter to Santa Elf Diary	Describing and comparing different habitats.	Describing animals in different habitats.	Looking at Space and describing planets.	Creative writing-creating and describing own planet.

<b>Mathematics</b>	Recognising and forming numbers. Counting	Adding and subtracting using groups.	Recognising and describing the properties of shapes.	Sharing and doubling	Repeating patterns. Measuring.	Revisiting addition and subtraction methods. Word problems. Revisiting shape.
<b>Expressive, Arts and Design</b>	Mixing paints. Combining different media.	Christmas Card	Creating habitats pictures using different media	Creating animal patterns using different media.	Using different media to create planet pictures.	Split pin astronauts.
<b>Understanding the World</b>	Access to technology. Focus on E safety.	Materials – choosing a blanket for Baby Jesus.	Comparing different habitats – making observations of environments.	Describing and making observations of animals.		Looking at maps and local environment.