

Nursery Long Term Plan Knowledge & Understanding

	Autumn 1	Spring	Summer 2
Knowledge and Understanding Past and Present	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Begin to make sense of their own life-story and family's history. 		
Knowledge and Understanding People, Culture and Communities	Birth to three - babies, toddlers and young children will be learning to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Make connections between the features of their family and other families. Begins to question what makes them unique and can describe what they feel is special about them and others. Shows an interest in digital devices such as IPADS 	Three and Four-Year-Olds will be learning to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Show interest in different occupations. Explore how things work. Notice differences between people. 	Three and Four-Year-Olds will be learning to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Continue developing positive attitudes about the differences between people. Know that there are different countries in the world and talk about the differences they have experienced or seen in photos. Remembers significant events and times throughout their Nursery year in and in their family and can describe these to others. Is able to make sense and communicate their own life story and that of others.
Knowledge and Understanding The Natural World	Birth to three - babies, toddlers and young children will be learning to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Repeat actions that have an effect. Explore materials with different properties. Explore natural materials, indoors and outside. Explore and respond to different natural phenomena in their setting and on trips. Begins to notice the changes in season and their outdoor environment Talks about the impact of these changes and suggests ways to support the wildlife. Talks about and recognises the changes to clothing in relation to the season 	Three and Four-Year-Olds will be learning to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Use all their senses in hands on exploration of natural materials. Explore collections of materials with similar and/or different properties. Talk about what they see, using a wide vocabulary. Plant seeds and care for growing plants. Understand the key features of the life cycle of a plant and an animal. Begin to understand the need to respect and care for the natural environment and all living things. 	Three and Four-Year-Olds will be learning to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Explore and talk about different forces they can feel. Talk about the differences between materials and changes they notice. Children are able to care for the living things in the environment Continues to understand and explore how and why things grow, decay and change over time.