



## Reception Yearly Overview 2021-22



	Main Topic/Theme	Topic Hooks	Cultural Capital	R.E Focus	English Focus	Math Focus	Phonics Focus
<b>Advent 1</b>	All about ourselves and our families.	Who is in my family? Different types of families. My body and how to keep it healthy.	Family pictures, albums and displays.  My skeleton/senses. Cooking different foods.	Domestic Church – Family, God knows me! Baptism – Belonging, Welcome to God's family.	Initial letter sounds and writing labels. Writing own name, mark making. Uses identifiable letters.	Number and place value; numbers to 5	RWI Set 1 Phonemes and graphemes. Links sounds to letters. Naming letters. Red/Green/high frequency words
<b>Advent 2</b>	Our communities and the people that live in them.	Different people in our communities and the different jobs they do. Different cultures.	Police visit Diwali Christmas	Advent/Christmas – Looking forward to Jesus' birthday. Local church and the community.	Labels, Captions and Lists. Uses identifiable letters. Beginning to be correctly formed.	Number bonds to 5 Addition and Subtraction; sorting into groups	RWI set 1 phonemes and graphemes. Red/Green words/high frequency words.
<b>Lent 1</b>	Winter days and Nights. Where am I?	Where do I live, where is my school? Local walks/using maps/drawing maps. Weather/Ice investigations	Chinese NY 12/2 Ox	Eucharist – Gathering of people to celebrate the mass.	Writing instructions. Using correctly formed letters, can spell words by identifying sounds and blending.	Number and place value; numbers to 10. Addition to 10	RWI set 1 phonemes and graphemes. Red/Green words/high frequency words.
<b>Lent 2</b>	Growing and Change	Seasons and weather. Plant growth Life cycles (caterpillar Lent The Easter Story	Making bird feeders. Investigating insects. Seeds and planting. Butterfly kits. Pancake Day/Mother's Day/Easter	Lent/Easter – Looking forward to Easter; new beginnings.	Information writing Use and understand new vocabulary.	Shape and Space Time	Review of RWI set 1 phonemes and graphemes. Introducing digraphs. Red/Green words/high frequency words.



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<b>Pentecost 1</b>	Different kinds of pets and how we look after them.	Different animals. Where do they live. What do they eat? How do we look after them	Farm Visit	Pentecost – Good news; passing on the word of Jesus. Being friends of Jesus.	Narrative and Oral retelling. Shows understanding of what has been read by using their own words.	Exploring patterns Count on and back Numbers to 20	RWI set 2 phonemes, graphemes, and digraphs. Red/Green words/high frequency words.
<b>Pentecost 2</b>	Holidays and the Seaside.	Different countries/places to go on holiday. How do we travel there? What clothes do we need?	Transport methods Seaside role play Making ice cream	The Universal church – Gods wonderful world.	Writing Questions	Numerical patterns; doubling, halving, odds, and evens. Measure.	RWI set 2 phonemes, graphemes, and digraphs. Red/Green words/high frequency words.