

Curriculum Overview RECEPTION 2023 -2024



Olive School
Birmingham

Term	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Theme	All about me Dinosaurs	Super Heroes The Seasons	Space Food	Pirates Creatures	Once Upon a Time Animals and Plants	Our Wonderful World Transport
Literacy	Stories with familiar settings. Poetry Rhyme of the week Labels, lists and captions.	Stories with predictable and patterned language. Rhyme of the week Instructions	Stories with familiar settings Rhyme of the week Information texts	Instructions Stories with familiar settings Traditional tales and fairy tales. Rhyme of the week	Traditional tales and fairy tales. Information texts Traditional poetry Rhyme of the week	Recounts with facts and fiction Stories with predictable language and pattern Rhyme of the week
Numeracy	Number and the number system Number stories to 5 Addition and Subtraction Shape Pattern	Number and the number system. Number stories to 10 Addition and Subtraction Position Weight	Number and the number system Number bonds to 5 Addition and Subtraction Comparing numbers Shape Length	Number and the number system Number bonds to 10 Capacity Addition and Subtraction Position Shape	Number and the number system. Doubles of numbers Addition and Subtraction Mental Calculations Shape Length	Number and the number system. Odds and evens Sharing and grouping Weight and Capacity Simple addition and subtraction problems Position
PE	Moving in different ways	Dance	Gymnastics	Throwing and Catching	Games	Athletics – Sports Day

Topic	<p>History: Me My family Our queen Creatures from the past – dinosaurs Geography: My school My home Science - Biology My senses Looking after ourselves Music: Bismillah (<i>Beat and Tempo</i>)</p>	<p>History: Important people in our community Science - Physics: The four seasons Science - Chemistry: Freezing water and melting ice Science – Chemistry: Baking – looking at changes to materials Geography: Special places in different faiths Music: My Faith (<i>Dynamics- Loud and Quiet</i>)</p> <p>Anti-bullying Road safety</p> <p>Religious festivals: Diwali (12th Nov) Christmas (25th Dec) Remembrance Day (11th Nov)</p>	<p>Biology Grow cress Explore the sense of taste Chemistry Changes (cooking star biscuits) and emotions Physics – Space: Use of different media to represent space Physics – Forces: Launching a rocket</p> <p>Music: Being Thankful (<i>Pitch- High and Low</i>)</p> <p>Observational drawings and printing with fruit Stranger Danger</p> <p>Chinese New Year (10th Feb)</p>	<p>Geography: Differences between Lent and Ramadan Use a map and Bee Bot Biology Lifecycle of a chick Physics Sinking and floating Music: Loving Humanity (<i>Structure/Singing</i>)</p> <p>Observational drawings using different media E-Safety</p> <p>World Book Day (7th March) Mothers Day (10th March) Lent (16th Feb-28th March)</p>	<p>Chemistry Changes when baking and cooking Biology Animals and their habitats on the farm Planting seeds Labelling parts of a plant Life cycle of a plant Chemistry Natural materials Geography Houses in local area Music: Fairness and Equality (<i>Texture/Singing</i>)</p> <p>Use of different media to make pictures of farm animals Right and wrong choices</p> <p>Eid ul fitr (10th and 11th April)</p>	<p>Geography: Discover the culture of China, Africa and India Locating places on a map Physics Forces – pushing and pulling Forces - magnets Music: Allah is the Creator (<i>Timbre/Singing</i>)</p> <p>Use of different media to represent our world Sun and water Safety</p> <p>Eid ul Adha (17th and 18th June)</p>
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