



Key Texts

On the Way Home by Jill Murphy
The River: an epic journey to the sea by Hannah Clulow
Martha Maps it Out by Leigh Hodgkinson
Little Red Riding Hood
Christmas: A World of Cookies for Santa and The Christmas Story

As Bood Adventures, we will...

- Turn pages and talk about pictures in small group reading.
- Recognise our names in print.
- Sing and sign nursery rhymes.
- Listen carefully to different sounds, like musical instruments.
- Sing and perform songs.
- Make large-scale marks using different materials.



As Shape and Pattern Detectives, we will learn to...

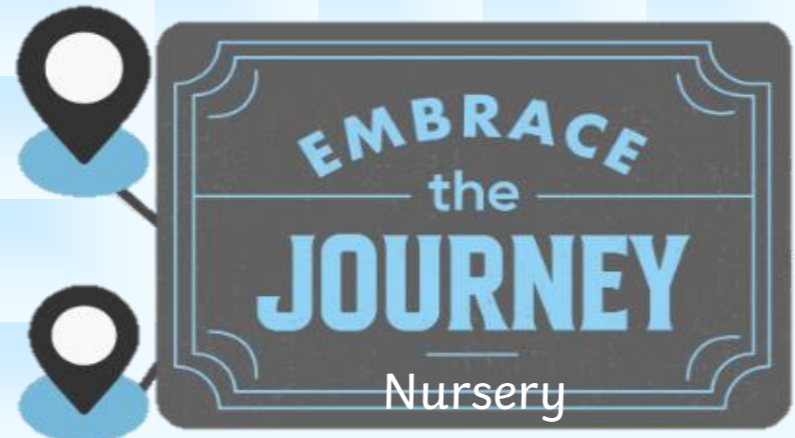
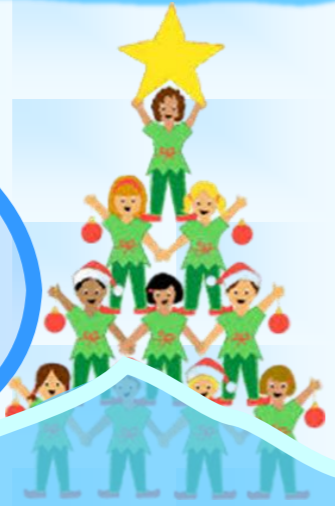
- Subitise and count number 2.
- Extend and fix AB and ABC patterns.
- Create our own symbols.
- Use shapes to build and describe them.
- Describe familiar routes.

As Squiggle Superstars, we will...

- Strengthen our hands with Dough Disco.
- Practice making squiggles while moving – Squiggle Whilst You Wiggle
- Draw people.
- Learn to hold pencils and scissors correctly

As Artists and Performers, we will...

- Hold a paintbrush with control.
- Use sculpture to make enclosures.
- Make collages of objects or people.
- Sing and sign repeated parts of songs.
- Use loose parts to create roles in play.
- Explore rhythm, sound, and play to a beat whilst exploring celebration music



Autumn Term 2

As Movers and Shakers, we will..

- Follow actions moving slowly and quickly.
- Move safely around and negotiate space.
- Jump, stamp, balance, spin, walk, and stretch.
- Work together to create dances, mirror movements, and follow a leader.

As Young Discoverers, we will learn...

- Talk about past experiences, like birthdays and Christmas.
- Use words like *then*, *now*, *next*, and *before* when talking about events.
- Think about how we care for our friends and family.
- Learn about Christmas and how it's celebrated in other countries.
- Explore changes in the weather and seasons.
- Use our senses to explore the world around us.



As Caring Friends, we will learn...

- Recognise kind actions like sharing and helping.
- Talk about how to make and keep friends.
- Share toys and take turns with help.
- Say "sorry" after disagreements.
- Understand truth through stories.
- Name family members and talk about home



As Chatty Champions, we will...

- Listen and follow instructions.
- Take turns and play with others.
- Ask questions and talk about our world.
- Care for toys and each other.
- Learn and perform stories and songs.

Key Vocabulary

~ Christmas ~ Tradition ~ Autumn ~ Winter ~ Seasons ~ digraph ~ Remembrance Day ~ Bonfire Night ~ Guy Fawkes ~

Key text vocabulary will also be taught during story dough and parents informed on tapestry.

Contextual Experiences

~ Walk around the community ~ School Pantomime ~ Dental Talk ~ Armed Forces Uniforms ~