

Yorkmead School EYFS Reception Curriculum Overview

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Values	All Together	Being Open-Minded	Curiosity	Determination	Empathy	Fairness
Topics	Ourselves	Festivals	Buildings and Structures	Transport	Living Things	Dinosaurs and Space
Communication & Language	Talking about ourselves	Talking about our own experiences	Talking about processes / Taking turns in discussion	Talking about how things work	Describing things in detail	Using imagination to develop talk
Physical Development Threads throughout all areas of learning	Developing Gross and Fine Motor Moving in different ways Standing Balance	Developing Gross Fine Motor Seated Balance Jumping and Landing	Pencil Grip and Letter Formation Static Balance Balance on a line	Pencil Grip and Letter Formation Counter Balance with a Partner Ball Skills	Pencil Grip and Letter Formation Sending and Receiving Agility: Reaction and Response	Pencil Grip and Letter Formation Floor Work Ball Chasing
Personal, Social & Emotional Development Including learning about different faiths, cultures and diversity.	Building Relationships Families People Who Help Us Emotions	Taking Turns Dealing with conflicts Celebrations & Festivals Diwali Christmas Birthdays	Valuing the contribution of others Dealing with emotions Resolving issues Chinese New Year Safe Adults	Determination Being the best we can be What do you want to be when you grow up? Easter	Revisit feelings and emotions Caring for others Caring for animals and the environment	Transitions New Beginnings Managing Feelings Growth and Change

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Literacy	Nursery Rhymes Talk for Writing Jack and Jill Humpty Dumpty Baby Shark Little Miss Muffet Mary Had a Little Lamb Phonics Phase 2 SATPINMDG	CVC Words Kipper's Birthday Elmer Dig, Sid Dig! Sid Did It! Christmas Phonics Phase 2 OCKEURHBFL	Three Little Pigs Three Billy Goats Gruff Hansel and Gretel Phonics Phase 3 JVWXYZQU ch sh th	Non-Fiction Transport The Train Ride Pirates Mermaids Phonics Phase 3 ng ai ee igh oa oo ar or ur ow oi	Little Red Hen Non-Fiction Farm Animals / Plants Recount of A Trip To The Farm Phonics Phase 3 ear air ure er	Farmer Duck Dinosaurs Space The Cautious Caterpillar Phonics Revision of all Phase 2 and 3 Read and Spell
Mathematics	Baseline Recognising 1-digit numbers Making 1-digit numbers Numicon Naming and describing 2d Shapes	Counting Match Numeral to Quantity Making 5 (5 Frame) One More / Less Counting on / back Order numbers Explore Shapes	Whole - Part Diagrams Making 10 Number Bonds Numicon Properties of Numbers Compare Groups Addition	2D Shape 3D Shape Time Compare Quantities Addition Subtraction Comparing by Size Money Problem Solving	Comparing Capacity Counting in 2s Counting in 5s Counting in 10s Recognising teen numbers Making teen numbers Problem Solving	Doubling Comparing Mass More Than Less Than Comparing Shapes Recognising and Creating Patterns Problem Solving

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Understanding The World	Families People Who Help Us Hospitals Health and Well-being Seasons: Autumn	Celebrations & Festivals Diwali Christmas Birthdays Guy Fawkes Remembrance Day	Chinese New Year Design and Build a House for 3LPs Design, Build and Test a bridge Bee-Bots	Easter Transport Survey Make a moving vehicle Design, Build and Test a Pirate Ship	Growing Plants Sorting / Categorising Animals Animals and Their Young	Eid Charity Appeal RGE Week How Things Grow and Change Planets, including Earth
Expressive Arts and Design	Self Portraits Moving Skeletons Hospital Role-Play Make a pail for Jack & Jill 3D Humpty Dumpty Exploring Sounds	Diya Lamps Rangoli Firework Art Post-Office Role-Play Card making Wrapping Paper Printing Celebration Music	Chinese Dragon Music for a Dragon Parade Building Site Role-Play Collage techniques to make 3LP houses Baking Gingerbread	Spring Bonnets Easter Nest Cakes Mechanics / Pirates Role-Play Singing Pirate Songs	Design and make a plant pot Design and make a cushion for a pet bed Vets Role-Play Garden Centre	Eid Cards Design and Make a Space Ship

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