

# St Richard Reynolds Catholic Primary School EYFS Curriculum Map

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
						
<b>Half Term Topic Focus</b>	<b>Me and My Community</b>	<b>Once upon a time</b>	<b>Starry Night</b>	<b>Ready Steady Grow</b>	<b>Travel and Transport</b>	<b>Animal Safari</b>
<b>Topic description</b>	This project supports children with settling into the new rules and routines of school and encourages them to make new friends and feel confident in their class. It teaches children about being helpful, kind and thoughtful at home and at school. This project also teaches children how they are unique and special, the importance of friendship and how people in their family, school and local community are important and can help them.	This project supports children to develop a love of stories and reading. It encourages children to learn, retell and act out familiar and traditional tales including Cinderella, Goldilocks, Little Red Riding Hood, The Three Little Pigs and The Three Billy Goats Gruff.	This project explores the differences in the world at night compared to during the day. It teaches children about the importance of a good night's sleep, and helps them to discover what is happening in the world while they are sleeping, including finding out about nocturnal animals.	This project teaches children about food and farming and explores themes, including where food comes from, what plants and animals need to grow and survive and what constitutes a healthy lifestyle.	This project teaches children about the global community to which they belong and explores how living things, communities and climates differ around the world.	This project teaches children about the animals that live around the world, how to look after animals and the importance of caring for our local and global environments.
<b>Core Texts</b>	Lost and Found - Oliver Jeffers The Rainbow Fish - Marcus Pfister People Who Help Us (A Focus On...) - John Wood	Goldilocks The Three little Pigs Cinderella	Peace at Last - Jill Murphy Owl Babies- Martin Waddell How to catch a star - Oliver Jeffers	Handa's Surprise - Eileen Browne Rosie's Walk - Pat Hutchins The Enormous Turnip - Irene Yates	Naughty Bus - Jan Oke Mr Gumpy's Outing - John Burningham The Train Ride - June Crebbin	We're Going on a Lion Hunt - David Axtell The Selfish Crocodile - Faustin Charles
<b>Memorable experience</b>	Visit Kidzania	Visit a pantomime show.	Bedtime Story Evening	Visit Bocketts Farm	Visit Kneller gardens	Take different forms of public transport around the local area.
<b>Role Play</b>	Emergency services	Three Bears house - Three Little Pigs house Christmas - Elf workshop	Campsite	Farmyard	Garden Centre	TFL Station (Bus, Train, Tube)
						
<b>Companion Project</b>	<b>Exploring Autumn</b>	<b>Sparkle and Shine</b>	<b>Winter Wonderland</b>	<b>Signs of Spring</b>	<b>Shadows and Reflections</b>	<b>Splash!</b>
<b>Project description</b>	This project teaches children about the natural changes that happen during the season of autumn, including how the weather changes, why trees lose their leaves and how wild animals prepare for winter.	This project teaches children about the celebrations that take place during the autumn and winter seasons, and focus on the significance and symbolism of light at this time of year.	This project teaches children about the changes that happen during winter, including the types of weather associated with winter. It also explores places that have snow all year round and the types of animals that live there.	This project teaches children about the changes that happen during the spring, including weather and the festivals that are celebrated at this time of year.	This project teaches children about natural phenomena, including shadows, reflections and echoes. They explore how shadows are formed and how they can change.	This project teaches children about water, including floating and sinking, freezing and melting, and why it is important for living things to stay hydrated.