

Dates 2023-2024	Theme, stories, key concepts	Enriching activities and visits	Explorers room	<u>Communication and Language</u>	<u>Physical Development</u>	<u>Personal, Social and Emotional Development</u>	<u>Literacy</u>	<u>Mathematics</u>	<u>Understanding the world</u>	<u>Expressive arts and design</u>
Autumn 2 30.10.23-20.12.23 5 Nov Bonfire night Diwali 13 Nov 27 Nov Guru Nanak's birthday 7-15 Dec Hannukah	Presents Communication My Presents by Rod Campbell	Hydro Squirrel Woods Introduce wider school activities and full-time placements Bus trip Santa's grotto	Party games	<i>Understanding</i> Polite requesting Expressing likes Nouns Prepositions Action songs and interactive nursery rhymes	<i>Moving and handling</i> Gross motor skills Use music to stimulate rhythmic movement Stopping on cue Ribbon dancing... shoulder movement Unwrapping items	<i>Sense of self</i> Cooperative play Being aware of others Awareness of boundaries Help children to recognise their own emotions	<i>Writing</i> Print carries a message Action rhymes Mark making Letters and sounds: Socks and shakers Rhyming soup Foundations for phonics: Party time	<i>Shape and spatial awareness</i> Shapes Prepositions Same/different Shapes in the world	<i>People and communities</i> Festivals Sensory exploration Biscuit and cake decoration	<i>Being imaginative and expressive</i> Move whole body to music Exploring musical instruments Drawing... black line