

Reception Long term Plan	Autumn 1:	Autumn 2:	Spring 1:	Spring 2:	Summer 1:	Summer 2:
Key Questions	What is special about me? Why am I great?	How is Diwali celebrated? What celebrations might we enjoy? What adventures might we go on?	It is cold outside! What animals like the cold? Superheroes and their powers. What are our talents? How is Chinese New Year celebrated?	What do we notice with the weather? What are the signs of springtime? Why do we celebrate Easter?	Life cycles- Where do caterpillars come from? How do they change? Why shouldn't we drop rubbish in the ocean? (Somebody Swallowed Stanely) What do we find under the Sea?	Who are pirates? What makes me, me? Transition- What will be different in my new class?
Curriculum Pledge	-Make a new friend. -Tour the school to meet new people	-Celebrate a festival. -Visit from a parent to share Diwali experiences -Go to the theatre for a pantomime.	-Try a new food. -Learn a dragon dance and other Chinese traditions. -Meet a farmer!	-Taste a hot cross bun -Annual Easter egg hunt -Learn about road safety from a police officer	-Go and see a real-life shark. -Build a sensory garden and take care of it -Sing our hearts out for a class assembly.	-Be a pirate! -Meet my new teacher -take part in a summer concert.
Visits in/ out (Limited due to rural location)	- Reverend Alison visitor to introduce herself -Mrs Holden (headteacher) to visit classroom and read children a story.	-Theatre visit -Reverend Alison visitor to talk about Christmas -Parent mystery readers	-Spring walk around the school grounds -Farmer visitor -Parent mystery readers	-Easter hunt around school grounds -Orienteering Police officer visitor -Dentist visitor -Reverend Alison visitor to talk about Easter	-Aquarium visit -Orienteering -Parent mystery readers	-Summer walk around the school grounds -Buddies visit to read -Parent mystery readers
First hand experiences	-Walk around the school grounds -Explore new environments	-Baking cakes -Food tasting. Trying new things.	-Build a snowman -Experiment with melting ice -decorating biscuits	-Easter egg hunt -Make a Mother's Day card	-Gardening -Worm charming! -Make a Father's Day card -Listening to stories read by new people.	-Take part in a sports day -Perform with the whole school for a concert. -Dress up for pirate day.
Being part of the School community	-Begin to join in with school assemblies/ worship -Buddies from Year 6 to support settling in	-whole school visit to pantomime -Joining KS1 for Nativity -Lunch with buddies -Christmas lunch together	-Story time with buddies -Top table lunch with teacher	-Whole school Easter hunt in teams	-Whole school to join and watch class assembly	-Partake in sports day with school teams. -Whole school Summer Spectacular
Come in and see us / Parental involvement (Family learning events)	-Meet the teacher meetings -Phonics meeting -Parents evening -Parent learning overviews sent home	-Parent mystery readers -Parents to watch nativity -Parent learning overviews sent home	-Parent mystery readers -Parent learning overviews sent home	-Parent mystery readers -Parents evening -Parent learning overviews sent home	-Parent mystery readers -Parents welcome in to watch class assembly -Parent learning overviews sent home	-Parent mystery readers -Sports day -Parent learning overviews sent home