

Reading		
Autumn	Spring	Summer
16-26 Months <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Interested in books and rhymes and may have favourites. 	22-36 Months <p>Has some favourite stories, rhymes, songs, poems or jingles. •Repeats words or phrases from familiar stories.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fills in the missing word or phrase in a known rhyme, story or game, e.g. 'Humpty Dumpty sat on a ...'. 	30-50 <p>Enjoys rhyming and rhythmic activities. •Shows awareness of rhyme and alliteration. •Recognises rhythm in spoken words. • Listens to and joins in with stories and poems, one-to-one and also in small groups. • Joins in with repeated refrains and anticipates key events and phrases in rhymes and stories. •Beginning to be aware of the way stories are structured. •Suggests how the story might end. • Listens to stories with increasing attention and recall. •Describes main story settings, events and principal characters. •Shows interest in illustrations and print in books and print in the environment. •Recognises familiar words and signs such as own name and advertising logos. • Looks at books independently. • Handles books carefully. •Knows information can be relayed in the form of print. • Holds books the correct way up and turns pages. •Knows that print carries meaning and, in English, is read from left to right and top to bottom.</p>

Writing					
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Physical Development <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Makes connections between their movement and the marks they make. 		Physical Development <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Beginning to use three fingers (tripod grip) to hold writing tools • Imitates drawing simple shapes such as circles and lines. •Walks upstairs or downstairs holding onto a rail two feet to a step. •May be beginning to show preference for dominant hand. 		Physical Development <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Draws lines and circles using gross motor movements. •Uses one-handed tools and equipment, e.g. makes snips in paper with child scissors. •Holds pencil between thumb and two fingers, no longer using whole-hand grasp. •Holds pencil near point between first two fingers and thumb and uses it with good control. •Can copy some letters, e.g. letters from their name 	
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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rainbow colours– Elmer the elephant • All about me • Growing • Healthy Me • Autumn changes • Nursery Rhymes • Dear Zoo 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The Gingerbread Man • Nursery Rhymes • Gruffalo • Hedgehogs • Stick Man • Diwali • Firework Night • Remembrance Day 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dragons • Habitats • Nursery Rhymes • Baby animals • Chicken and the egg • Easter festival • Were going on an egg hunt • Oi goat, oi frog, oi 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jim and the beanstalk, • Oliver’s vegetables, • The tiny seed • Sam plants a sunflower • That’s not a daffodil, • The Hungry caterpillar 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Grandma’s beach • What the ladybird heard on holiday? • The light house keeps lunch • T Rex on tour • Barnaby Bear around the world • Transport 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Goldilocks and the three bears • The three little pigs • Cinderella eat your greens • Mixed up fairy tale • The tortoise and the hare • Little red writing

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