

Foundation Stage Adult Led Planning Overview for Spring Term 2 2025

	Week 7 24 th Feb	Week 8 3 rd Mar Pancake Day - Tues World Book Day	Week 9 10 th March	Week 10 17 th March British Science Week	Week 11 24 th March Mother's Day	Week 12 31 st March Easter
Theme	Long Ago and New Life					
Key Theme Text	Have you filled a bucket? Colour Monster	Superworm	Archie the Archaeologist Super Mum	Dinosaur More Dinosaur More	Harry and the Bucketful of Dinosaurs	Dora's Chicks
Hook into learning	Have you filled a bucket today? Message from Stripy with bucket filler challenges for the week	Superworm book	Artefacts in the Dig	Dinosaur footprints	Mystery egg	Easter Bunny Message
Understanding the world		Explore how people and animals use underground. Consider what this environment would be like to live in.	Observation of artefacts: look for clues old/new. Compare similarities/differences The world: Comparing then and now. Talking about family and people who are special to us.			New life. Baby animal words. Life cycle of a hen. Christian celebration of Easter. Spring time changes. Changes to weather, animal behaviour.
Huddle Time Stories Story book Monday - Thursday and Video on Friday	Have you filled a bucket today Colour Monster Feelings PSED books	Wriggling worms at work Wonderful worms Diary of a worm Are you an ant? Pete the Cat and his 4 Groovy Buttons	The Dog that Dug Why Mole lives underground (Ting Tales) The Mole who knew it was none of his business Non-fiction - under the ground books	Dinosaur Roar Dinosaur More	Harry and the bucketful of dinosaurs	We're going on an egg hunt Dora's chicks
PSED Jigsaw: Dreams and Goals	Jigsaw: Healthy Me	Jigsaw: Healthy Me Expressing an opinion: I agree / I disagree	Jigsaw: Healthy Me Helping others How we show people we are thankful	Jigsaw: Healthy Me	Jigsaw: Healthy Me Resolving conflicts	Jigsaw: Healthy Me Growing and changing - learning to be independent/links to learning dinosaurs.
Communication and Language	Emotional vocabulary associated with bucket filling e.g. happy, loved, relaxed	Maybe Hand. I think it could be a....	To complete a sentence stem to use a longer sentence	Using adjective to describe. Clapping syllables in multisyllabic words.		Understanding and using prepositional

Mathematics	Exploring ways to represent numbers using the Hungarian number pattern. Introduce the concept 'whole'	Language of size and comparative words. Introduce concept of 'parts' of a whole	Comparing numbers. The numerosity of sets (without being diverted by colour, shape or size) Partitioning a whole into parts. Grid Reference.	Explore number facts to 5. Size / comparison Non-standard measure (footprints)	2D and 3D shape names and properties Tessellation	Repeating patterns: Continue and create AB and ABBA and ABC patterns.
Literacy	Kindness cards - red words to, love, like, I, you	GW: Superworm Write - I am.... I can....	GW: Dig report It is a		GW: Dinosaur fact file It has It can	GW: Message to Easter Bunny
Expressive Arts and Design Art and DT		Printing: Learning to create a mono print (one off print) Roller skills Mark making in paint Observational drawing of animals: making marks to describe texture. (pen and pastel)	Printing: Learning to 'direct print' using a variety of objects.	Printing: Using choice of materials, create an image to take a print from.	Printing: Stencil Printing (introduce ways to mask the paper e.g. tape, paper shapes, objects)	Observational drawing of animals: making marks to describe texture. (pen and pastel)
Expressive Arts and Design Music and Dance		Worm song Bimi Boo (Youtube)		BBC Teach Dinosaur songs Ko Ko Kangaroo Dinosaur stomp		Hot Cross buns song
	Dance: BBC Let's Move: Revising and refining fundamental movements. Progress to a more fluent style.	Dance: BBC Let's Move	Dance: BBC Let's Move Ball skills: sending technique ('look, step, tick-tock')	Dance: BBC Let's Move Ball skills: receiving technique (soft knees, looking eyes, hands ready)	Dance: BBC Let's Move Ball skills: rolling to a target	Dance: BBC Let's Move Ball skills: throw and catch
Physical	Daily letter formation Dance: BBC Let's Move: Revising and refining fundamental movements. Progress to a more fluent style.	Daily letter formation Threading and lacing. Learn how to anchor string. Use of hole punch. Dance: BBC Let's Move	Daily letter formation Exploring and using less familiar small tools to uncover artefacts in dig. Dance: BBC Let's Move Ball skills: sending technique ('look, step, tick-tock')	Daily letter formation Revealing fossils. Using a chisel and hammer technique (plaster moulds) Dance: BBC Let's Move Ball skills: receiving technique (soft knees, looking eyes, hands ready)	Daily letter formation Dinosaur Modelling. Plasticine. Using fingers to create refined small details. Dance: BBC Let's Move Ball skills: rolling to a target	Daily letter formation Basket weaving. Using two hands at once in different ways. Dance: BBC Let's Move Ball skills: throw and catch
Memorable Experience		Pancake races World Book Day - come dressed as a character	Dinosaur Dig Salt dough fossil print			Easter Egg Hunt Easter themed parent learning celebration event