



Foundation Stage Overview

<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Autumn 1 – Fairytales</u></p> <p>WOW! Factor: Dress up as a favourite character Fantastic Finish: Feast for the family Books: Nadiya’s Bake Me a Story, Goldilocks and the 3 Bears Cinderella, The Three Billy Goats Gruff The Gingerbread Man, Hansel & Gretel Snow White</p> <p>In this unit, we will look at different versions of traditional tales and we learn some sign language to help us tell the stories aloud. The children also follow instructions to make a Gingerbread Man and a jam sandwich.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Autumn 2 – Ourselves</u></p> <p>Factor: A 'sense'ational fun day Fantastic Finish: Christmas Performance Books: Harry and the Dinosaurs go to School, So Much! Mr Wiggle and Mr Waggle, Funny Bones Ben's Baby</p> <p>We will be finding out about ourselves and our families and get to know each other. We will discuss our senses and how we use them.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Spring 1 – Growing</u></p> <p>WOW! Factor: A themed 'dress for mess' day Fantastic Finish: PJ and film day with hot chocolate Books: We're Going on a Bear Hunt, Penguin Small Elmer, One Snowy Night Paint a Sun in the Sky, Over in the Meadow</p> <p>In this unit, we start by thinking about the season of Winter. We then start to talk about the signs of Spring and learn about all the seasons through stories, songs and first hand experiences.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Spring 2 – Seasons</u></p> <p>WOW! Factor: Visit Standalone Farm Fantastic Finish: Mother's Day Tea Party Books: The Enormous Turnip, Oliver's Fruit Salad The Little Red Hen. Jack and the Beanstalk Oliver's Vegetables, The Trouble with Tadpoles</p> <p>The children learn about seeds and plant growth through practical experiences and lovely stories. They learn about the need for a balanced diet.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Summer 1 - Wild About Animals</u></p> <p>WOW! Factor: Local walk Fantastic Finish: Animal mask making Books: The Gruffalo, Rumble in the Jungle, Walking Through The Jungle, Giraffes Can’t Dance The Tiger who came to Tea. The Animal Boogie</p> <p>In this unit, we learn about the different animals and their habitats.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Summer 2 – Fantasyland</u></p> <p>WOW! Factor: Rocket Making Fantastic Finish: Fantasy Ball Books: Wanda's Space Party, You can't Eat a Princess! Marmaduke the Very Different Dragon, Whatever Next! George's Dragon at the Fire Station, Sleeping Beauty</p> <p>This term, we explore lots of different themes such as space, prince and princesses, dragons and aliens and we learn about different story settings. As always, we try to make links to the children's current interests.</p>