REAY PRIMARY SCHOOL

THERE'S NO FULL STOP TO LEARNING

For each term there is a general theme across the EYFS phase, this helps to promote cohesion across the two classes and encourages opportunities for shared learning.

Topic grids are completed each term to demonstrate further learning links in each year group.

The themes reflect the world around us and adults draw attention to key events/seasons etc as they occur.

Core books are used throughout the year.

Development matters is used to observe and assess the children against the month bands.

The themes/topics are fluid to cater to the children's particular interests. The grid below gives the basis for the themes and these are delivered in response to the children.

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Term and theme/topic	Autumn Festivals and celebrations	Spring Seasons The weather around us (winter/spring)	Summer Celebrating Us! (Superhero theme weaved in)
Suggested learning prompts	Birthdays Diwali Ramadan and Eid Holi Festival Christmas Chinese New Year Special times for our families Sharing stories from home about different times people celebrate	Winter – ice, snow, exploring temperature, our senses. Spring – growth, plants, signs of Spring, frogs, life cycles. Observing and spending lots of time in the school garden. Animals in different climates/seasons. Nocturnal animals.	Celebrating our uniqueness What are our strengths? What do we like about each other? Our families Our favourite parts of Nursery and Reception Focusing on children's specific interests and catering for this in the class environment Preparing for transition into the next year group.

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			Settling in sessions in Reception and Year 1.
Suggested core books alongside a range of quality fiction and non-fiction	<u>Nursery</u> Owl Babies by Martin Waddell Brown Bear Brown Bear what do you see? By Bill Martin Jr <u>Reception</u> The Enormous Turnip by Alexei Tolstoy Room on the Broom by Julia Donaldson Whatever Next by Jill Murphy	<u>Nursery</u> Jasper's Beanstalk by Nick Butterworth The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle <u>Reception</u> The Very Hungry Caterpillar by Eric Carle The Tiny Seed by Eric Carle Bumblebear by Nadia Shireen	<u>Nursery</u> Super Duper You by Sophy Henn Elmer by David Mckee <u>Reception</u> The Great Big Book of Families by Mary Hoffman Superworm by Julia Donaldson Eliot, Midnight Superhero by Anne Cottringer

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