			Nursery				
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2	
	11th Sept - 20th Oct	30th Oct - 20th Dec	8th January-9th Feb	19th Feb - 28th March	15th April - 24th May	3rd June - 19th July	
Core Book Plus supporting stories	Theme: Separation, emotions and feelings, repeated phrase, family So Much!	Dear Zoo Dear Zoo Dear Zoo Rod Campbell Theme: Animal names, repetitive phrases, introduction to adjectives Animal Boogie Walking Through the Jungle	Theme: Repetitive, food, family, moral, bilingual, diversity, descriptive. The Tiger who Came to Tea	Whatever Next Whatever Next Next Next Next Next Next Next Next	Theme: Growing, teamwork, repetitive refrains, farm animal naming	Theme: Growth, healthy foods, mini beasts, how I've changed and grown, moving on and transition to reception Monkey Puzzle	
			Cleversticks (using chopsticks)	Look Up! The Train Ride	Jasper's Beanstalk Titch	The Ugly Duckling The Very Busy Spider	
Core Songs and	Open shut them	1 little finger counting song	Red Hot Chilli rhyming song	5 little rockets went out one day	5 fat peas in a peapod pressed	There's a tiny caterpillar on a leaf	
Music For the end of day and any moment Sing a range of well-	Roly poly Wind the bobbin up (wind the big one, tiny one etc)	Here is a box, put on the lidI wonder whatever inside is hid (with animals from story in box)	1 little chilli, 2 little chillies To 5	Zoom Zoom Zoom we're going to the moon 5 little men in a flying saucer	5 little sunflowers Chick, chick, chick, chicken lay a	wriggle wriggle	
known nursery rhymes and songs	Twinkle Twinkle 1 2 3 4 5 once I caught a fish alive				little egg for me		
			Communication	n and Language			
Listening, Attention and Understanding Speaking	Turn taking games and listening games such as There's a little sandy girl, I'm going to roll the ball to who's got the honey etc Rhyming texts and poems- complete the rhyme, rhyming names, playing with sounds, clapping the syllables in our names						
Oracy Outcome	Talking about who is important to us Who is in our family and our relationship to them	Retelling repetitive phrases with picture prompts Naming animals	Retelling story in own words Talking about the foods we like to eat at home Healthy foods - naming the vegetables we have bought and cooked with	Talking about journeys we've been on Retelling story in own words Transport names Space vocabulary	Talking about what a plant needs to grow How we can help each other - linking with learning powers, e.g. helpful hippo	Talking about how I have grown and changed Life cycle of a caterpillar Talking about healthy foods Feelings about moving on	
Cooking	Help to make playdough	Helping to prepare snack	Vegetable noodles, eating with chopsticks (link to Lunar New Year)	Making sandwiches for a picnic	Baking bread	Fruit salad	
Ed Visit/ Visitor	Settling	Post a letter	Local shop - ingredients for vegetable noodle cooking	Forest Gate Upgarden	Forest Gate Community Garden	Celebration picnic: Wanstead Flats	
Celebration of Learning	Introduce Thursday family library day	Christmas family event	Family cooking event - noodles	World Book Day - extend library session; ask parent to read a book	Eid Feast	Family end of term Picnic	
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	Sports day
order to grow	Growing butterfly from chrysalis

Cooking happens at least every half term (See Cooking above)	names of each other and our family members Me now – my height etc. Create a height chart together. Light and dark - exploring torches	ask Louise Glazebrook to come and talk to us about puppies	Walk to shop - talking about area Tasting food from Lima's Red Hot Chilli; talking about how it compares to what we eat at home	outdoor area - pics of trains that go by with tally / labels. Make a book. Space investigation	Celebrating Eid and other things we celebrate in our culture	Talking about how I've grown and changed - baby photos Height chart Seasonal changes in garden Elvis and Priscilla (Jo's tortoises come to visit) - grow them some lettuce!
Creative						
Focus on developing fine motor and gross motor control and dexterity. Learning to use tools: scissors, PVA glue spreaders, sellotape, paintbrushes, mark making implements. Exploring different surfaces and materials. Naming basic colours. Role play extension	Van Gogh Starry Night - making a night sky Making owls with different materials and textures Role Play Home	Creating animal patterns, e.g tiger, zebra Exploring making different types of lines - straight, curly, curvy Animal puppets Role Play Office	Making a chilli from salt dough - forming it and painting it Firework mark making Potato prints Role play Vegetable Shop	Spacescape - large scale Marbling - dark sky Making rockets from recycled materials - large and small scale Rocket shape pictures Role Play Space Centre / Rocket	Tiny peas made and painted with salt dough Vegetable printing Role Play Garden Centre / Shop	Butterfly symmetrical printing Make a caterpillar with clay Role Play School