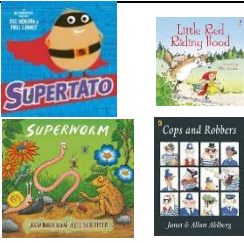
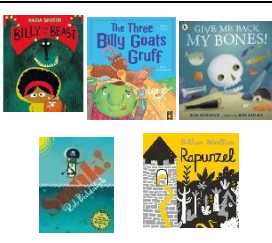


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Whole School Humanities Links	<i>Geography</i>	<i>History</i>	<i>DT</i>	<i>Geography</i>	<i>History</i>	<i>Art</i>
?Big Question?	Who is special to me?	Do we all celebrate the same way?	What are my superpowers?	Can we live in Space?	Where are all the dinosaurs?	Where can imagination take us?
Themes and Focus <i>*might vary, based on children's interests</i>	Me and my Community Family and Friends Exploring our classroom, playground & school Our Local Area	Celebrations and Traditions Traditional tales What and how we celebrate	Superheroes; caped and real life! Superpowers Emergency services and important jobs in the community	Earth and Space The planet we live on Taking care of the Earth The Solar System Extra-terrestrial Life	Mini Beasts and Mega Beasts Lifecycles Plants and animals Dinosaurs and Fossils	Imaginary worlds Castles, Knights, Princesses, Wizards, Pirates, Dragons Monsters, Mythical Creatures, Mermaids, Kings & Queens
 Drawing Club Texts						
Blasts from the Past	The Wobbles Trapdoor	The Snowman Trapdoor	Bananaman Mr Benn - Zookeeper	Curious George in Space	The Flintstones	The Magic Roundabout Willow the Wisp
Supporting Texts Opportunities	<i>Owl Babies</i> <i>My Mum is a Lioness So Much!</i> <i>When a dragon goes to school</i> <i>The Colour Monster Goes to School</i> <i>All Kinds of Families</i> <i>Papa Penguin</i> <i>The Must Have Mum</i> <i>My Teacher is a Werewolf</i> <i>Incredible You</i>	<i>The Story of Rama & Sita</i> <i>Room on the Broom</i> <i>Mouldilocks and the Three Scares</i> <i>Funny Bones</i> <i>Seriously Silly Stories</i> <i>Revoltin' Rhymes</i> <i>Stick Man</i> <i>Father Christmas Needs a Wee</i> <i>When a Dragon has Christmas</i> <i>The Nativity</i>	<i>A superhero like you</i> <i>Real Superheroes</i> <i>Superheroes Don't Get Scared</i> <i>My Mum is a Supermum</i> <i>Super Daisy</i> <i>SuperKid</i> <i>Juniper Jupiter</i> <i>Doctorsaurus</i> <i>Mr Tick the Teacher</i> <i>The Jolly Postman</i> <i>Mog and the Vet</i>	<i>Astro Girl</i> <i>How to Catch a Star</i> <i>Look Up</i> <i>Hello Star</i> <i>Suzy Orbit Astronaut</i> <i>The Kings Pants</i> <i>A Little Blue Dot</i> <i>The Way Back Home</i> <i>Beegu</i> <i>Stardust</i> <i>The Smeds and The Smoos</i>	<i>If I had a Dinosaur</i> <i>Gigantausaurus</i> <i>Goldilocks and the Three Dinosaurs</i> <i>Non-fiction books Erroll's Garden</i> <i>Anna Hibiscus</i> <i>The Very Hungry Caterpillar</i> <i>Mad About Minibeasts</i> <i>That's My Flower</i> <i>Aaargh Spider</i> <i>Tadpoles Promise</i>	<i>Bog Baby</i> <i>This is not a Unicorn</i> <i>The Night Pireates</i> <i>There is No Big Bad Wolf in this Story</i> <i>Princess Break Free</i> <i>My Hair is as Long as a River</i> <i>On the Way Home</i> <i>The Boy, the Troll and the Chalk</i>
Role Play possibilities	Home corner, café, post office, shops, car mechanics, bus stops	Grotto, Winter Wonderland	Police Station, Fire station, superhero HQ	Self construction role play props and areas ... – Rocket ships, space centre	Flower market, garden centre, jungle	Castle, pirate ships, fairy land





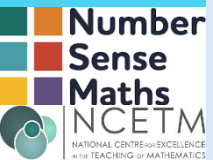
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PSED	Making friends, Rules and Routines, Learning Zoo, Zones of Regulation, Sebright Standards, British Values, Breathing, Meditation, Class Jobs & Roles					
Jigsaw 	Being Me in my World Self-Identity. Understanding feelings. Being in a classroom. Rights and responsibilities.	Celebrating Difference Identifying talents. Families . Where we live. Making friends. Standing up for yourself	Dreams and Goals Challenges. Perseverance. Goal-setting. Overcoming obstacles. Seeking help. Jobs. Achieving goals.	Healthy Me Exercising bodies. Physical activity. Healthy food. Sleep. Keeping clean Safety.	Relationships Family life. Friendships. Falling out. Dealing with bullying. Being a good friend.	Changing Me Bodies. Respecting my body. Growing up. Growth and change. Fun and fears. Celebrations
Supporting Texts	The Colour Monster Ruby's Worry Super Doopa You Whirly Twirly Me Invisible String I like Myself	Pink is for Boys Stanley's Stick Riley Can Be Anything Only One You	The Lion Inside The Giraffe That Couldn't Dance Pow! Blue Monster Wants it All	Aaaagh There's a Skeleton Inside You! I Can Eat a Rainbow Where Does My Food Come From? Oliver's Fruit Salad	Hello Friend Meesha Makes Friends Kind Where the Wild Things Are Peanut Butter and Cupcake Can Cat and Bird Be Friends?	I love my hair! Incredible You The Koala who Could All You Need Jitters Be You
Communication & Language	Daily stories, Poems, Rhymes, Songs, Drawing Club Vocabulary, Role Play, Circle Time, Talk Partners, Thinking Thumbs, Home Bear, Show & Tell, Storytelling, Word of the Week, Makaton, Assembly					
	Alan learns to makes friends	Alan learns to listen	Rainbow Sentences	Rainbow Sentences	Rainbow Stories	Rainbow Stories
Physical Development: Fine Motor	Dough Disco, Playdough, Sand tools, Clay, Scissor Skills, Tweezer work, Threading, Cutlery, Buttons and Zips, Tripod Grip, Gardening, Cooking, Weaving					
Physical Development: Gross Motor	PE Lessons, A variety of team playground games to build confidence and understanding Write Dance, Yoga, using playground resources – <i>climbing, scooters and bikes, football, basketball, digging in the mud and sand, balance boards, and lots of running around!</i> Activities to support footwork, balance, flight, rotation, coordination and agility.					
PE Focus	Early introduction to football	Basic Val Sabin gymnastics session	Early introduction to Hockey	Early introduction to Basketball	Early introduction to running, throwing and jumping	Early introduction to cricket





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Phonics Blossom Federation Phonics Programme	Phase 1 & 2 Phonics and activities throughout the year, Daily Phonics, Home Reading					
	Phase 2 Phonics	Phase 2 Phonics	Phase 2 & 3 Phonics	Phase 2 & 3 Phonics	Phase 3 Phonics	Phase 3 & 4 Phonics
Reading	Listening to stories throughout the day, Story-telling & Role Play, Sight Words ('tricky words'), Phonetic Word Flashcards, Reading Buddies, Group Reading Decodable Texts, Home Reading, Developing skills in; questioning, vocabulary acquisition, inference, prediction, explaining, retrieval, sequencing					
	Reading Planet Lilac	Reading Planet Pink	Reading Planet Pink & Red	Reading Planet Red & Yellow	Reading Planet Yellow <i>DSR when ready</i>	Reading Planet Yellow & Blue <i>DSR</i>
Writing	Daily mark making & name writing, pencil grip practise Daily handwriting: shapes and patterns, learning rhymes to form letters and letter families – i l t u y j / n m r p b h k / c o a d q s f e / v x z x					
	Letter formation Oral composition Initial sounds in words	Pencil grip Blending games Phonics based spelling Labelling Simple dictation	Writing words Guided writing Caption writing Finger spaces	Caption writing Sentence Starters Finger spaces Capital Letters and Full stop	Simple sentence writing Writing for different purposes: lists, labels, letters	Extended writing
Maths  	Daily NumberSense, NumberBlocks, daily counting for register, daily calendar, number stories, story voting, puzzles and jigsaws, building and constructing with shapes and blocks; spatial awareness, measurement and height, water & sand play; measuring and capacity, dice games, playground games: skittles, bean bags, role play Activities relating to shapes, positional language, patterns, cardinality and counting, comparison, composition of numbers					
	Match, Sort and Compare objects Talk about measure and patterns: compare size, mass, capacity Explore, copy, continue and create patterns	Numbers: find, subitise, represent, 1 more & 1 less, composition of 1-5 Shapes	Zero Numbers: find, subitise, represent, 1 more & 1 less, composition of 0-8, pairs, doubles, combining groups, conceptual subitising Mass & capacity Length, Height and Time	Building 9 and 10: find, compare, represent, conceptual subitise, 1 more & 1 less, composition of 0-10 Number bonds to 10 (2 & 3 parts), arrangements to 10, doubles to 10, explore odd and even 3D shapes	To 20 and Beyond: verbal counting, patterns in number Adding and Subtraction – how many now? Manipulate, compose, decompose, rotate, explain 2D & 3D shapes	Sharing and Grouping exploration, even and odd sharing and grouping, doubles Identify, explore, create, replicate, build and construct patterns Describe position Mapping
Expressive Art & Design	Daily opportunities for creativity, independent access to creative resources, making class displays, experimenting with different materials, interest based art					
	Sketching		Painting		Collage	





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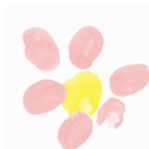
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	Portraits and family pictures Nature pictures	Decorations for class Advent Art and Celebration cards Not a Stick – using glue and creating props	Not a Box – how to transform boxes	Using different materials; Paper mache, clay, screen printing	Clay fossils Adding texture to pictures	How to make puppets
Focus Artists might include	The Big Draw – Kehinde Wiley Kay Davis El Anatsui	Jaxson Pollock Andy Warhol	The Big Draw – Alma Thomas	Morysetta Pandora Mond	The Big Draw – Lubaina Himid Van Gogh	Kandinsky Matisse
Supporting Texts	The Artist The Pencil The Magic Crayon	Not a Stick Too Much Glue	Not a Box Boxitexts Mixed	The Boy who Painted the World The Artist who Painted a Blue Horse	The Dot Paper Stories	I am an Artist Luna Loves Art
Music	Body Percussion Motown	Ta-ka-di-mi Performance practise	BassFace – Tuned Percussion	Shaping your voice	Music and Movement Class assembly	Dalcroze Music Singing Festival
Science The Natural World	Seasons and weather: Autumn Animals and hibernation	Seasons and weather: Winter (Changes in weather and state) Animals and their habits – nocturnal	Seasons and weather: Spring Animals that we see in the spring	Science Week – 9 th March Earth & Space What is gravity? How to look after the planet	Life cycles Planting and growing Mini Beast hotel Recycling Fossils	Seasons and weather: Summer
Experimenting and investigating	Sand and water play, sorting and categorizing, colour mixing, investigating how things work					
	Natural objects (leaves, conkers, cones)	Freezing and Melting	Colour Mixing	Magnets Maps	Planting and growing Mini beast hunts Volcanoes	Shadows Maps





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Supporting Texts	Hibernation Hotel The Leaf Thief Pumpkin Soup The Squirrels who Squabbled	Stickman Tree We're Going on a Leaf Hunt First Winter	Stuck Mixed The Colour Monster	Mae Jemerson (Little People, Big Dreams) Pop Up Boox of Space Non-Fiction	Pip and Egg The Hungry Caterpillar Slow Down Tad	Non-Fiction
RE & Celebrations People and Communities	Rosh Hashanah – 10 th Sept Yom Kippur – Sept 20 th Sukkot – 25 th Sept	Hannukah – 4 th Dec Diwali – 8 th Nov , Halloween – 31 st Oct, Guy Fawkes – 5 th Nov, Remembrance Day – 11 th Nov, Christmas – 25 th Dec	<i>Lunar New Year – 6th Feb</i> Ramadan – 8 th Feb	Holi – 22nd March Eid-UI-Fitr – 9 th March <i>Good Friday – 26th March</i> <i>Easter – 28th March</i>	Eid-UI-Adha – 6 th - 30 th May	
	The Good Samaritan (Stories) What happens on Buddha? (Celebrating)	What happens at Diwali? (Celebrating) What happens at Christmas? (Celebrating)	My Muslim Faith (Aspects) The Donkey in the Tiger Skin (Aspects)	What happens at Passover? (Celebrating) What happens at Easter? (Celebrating)	How do we make friends? (Aspects) What happens at Eid-UI-Fitr/Adha? (Celebrating)	The Lost Coin (Stories) Visiting a church (Aspect)
ICT	Technology Around Us Role Play opportunities with unplugged equipment. Now Press Play audio equipment. Use of physical devices such as Beebots and Probots. 2BeSafe Online safety resources in line with half termly topics.					
Spanish	Greetings Numbers 1-10 Colours		Body Parts Fruits Review Autumn term learning		Farm Animals Family Members Review Autumn and Spring learning	
Trips and WOW Moments	Perform Drama Workshop – October Local visit: (park/shop/farm/post office/library) Pirate Week & Party! – week 4 Black History Month: Motown Party National Poetry Day – 2 nd Oct	Anti-Bullying Week – Odd socks Day – Mon 16 th Nov Christmas Lunch & Jumper Day – TBC Baking Gingerbread	World of Work Week – 2 nd Feb Visit to fire station Dentist visit Hackney School of Food Food tasting & cooking foods from around the world and different cultures	World Book Day Space Picnic Science Week Easter Egg Hunt and making Easter cakes	Eid parties Caterpillars/chicks in class Minibeast workshop Soanes Centre Making our garden grow Fruit kebabs	Parents Picnic Princess Diana Playground? Discover Centre? Forest School





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Parent Events Sports Day Opportunities to celebrate learning & Floor book celebration	Meet the Teacher – 	Parents in for lunch – Parents Meetings EYFS Performance Winter Fair – 	Rock up and Read Stay and Play session? 	Rock up and Read Space Art Exhibition 	Eid Parties and Parent Celebration event after school – Mon 27th April Parent picnic? The Big Draw Art Exhibition	Summer Fair Transition events Hackney Singing Festival Report drop in

