

Childer Thornton Primary Nursery Long Term Plan

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Main theme (but not limited to...)	Let's Explore!	Celebrations/Starry Nights	Big Wide World	Splash	Growing	The Great Outdoors
Values	Curiosity, creativity, broadmindedness, responsibility, enjoying life, sense of belonging					
Opportunities	Story mountain is an integral part of our daily practice					
Possible ideas/lines of enquiry	<p>All about me, my family, and where I live. Who is in my family? ***** Traditional stories may be covered during this section</p>	<p>Birthdays, special events / weekly news, Halloween, Bonfire Night, Diwali, Christmas Light and dark-link to day and night. Space Key Person- Tim Peake/ the fire brigade .</p>	<p>Different types of weather, animals in winter, Where in the world? Comparing different places- London and afar. Key Person-The Queen</p>	<p>Sea creatures, recycling. Endangered animals Pirates, Pancake Day Easter. Planting Key Person- David Attenborough Charles Darwin-Living things, Eugenie Clark – shark scientist</p>	<p>Plants, exploring food (healthy food choices), gardening Life cycles – Frog/butterfly/plant/sunflowers Local Area – Local park visit, plant seeds for people in the community and hand them out</p>	<p>Summer-sun safety and holidays - present Exploring the outdoor area – what changes have you noticed during the summer months? Mini</p>

			Explorers- my first heroes			beasts (insects), Ourselves (growing and moving on)
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<p>Vocabulary</p> <p>Vocabulary introduced</p> <p>Vocabulary we want the children to know</p> <p>Vocabulary covered in nursery and reception</p>	<p>Family</p> <p>Relative</p> <p>Cousin</p> <p>Auntie</p> <p>Uncle</p> <p>Grandparent(Their own names for Grandparents)</p> <p>Stepsister/stepbrother</p> <p>Day</p> <p>Week</p> <p>Old</p> <p>New</p> <p>Before</p> <p>After</p> <p>Today</p> <p>Tomorrow</p> <p>Yesterday</p> <p>A long time ago</p> <p>Objects</p> <p>Now</p> <p>Special</p> <p>Story vocab:</p> <p>We're Going on a Bear Hunt: Scared,</p>	<p>Sounds of fireworks</p> <p>Colours of fireworks</p> <p>Celebration</p> <p>Special times</p> <p>Christmas</p> <p>God</p> <p>Church</p> <p>Bible, Nativity</p> <p>Astronaut</p> <p>Craters</p> <p>Story vocab:</p> <p>Peace at Last: grumpy</p> <p>peace 'at last' hour</p> <p>tired nocturnal</p> <p>pretending cuckoo</p> <p>leaky refrigerator (fridge) believe owl</p> <p>hedgehog</p> <p>uncomfortable peeped</p> <p>alarm clock yawn</p>	<p>path</p> <p>road</p> <p>people</p> <p>park</p> <p>house</p> <p>shop</p> <p>farm</p> <p>sea</p> <p>beach</p> <p>hill</p> <p>weather</p> <p>rain</p> <p>wind</p> <p>sun</p> <p>snow</p> <p>ice</p> <p>freeze</p> <p>melt</p> <p>seasons</p> <p>winter</p> <p>summer</p> <p>autumn</p> <p>spring</p> <p>map</p>	<p>Recycling, Easter</p> <p>Clem and Crab:</p> <p>crunch nestled</p> <p>aquarium crashing</p> <p>tide conservation</p> <p>treasure</p> <p>plastics/plastic waste</p> <p>ashore ocean</p> <p>recycled facts</p> <p>glistened protect</p> <p>glimpsed</p> <p>environment</p>	<p>Life cycle</p> <p>Cocoon</p> <p>Chrysalis</p> <p>Tadpole</p> <p>Incubator</p> <p>Buds</p> <p>Bulbs</p> <p>Seeds</p> <p>Compost</p> <p>Soil</p> <p>Plant</p> <p>Chicks</p> <p>Butterfly</p> <p>caterpillar</p> <p>Story vocab:</p> <p>Supertato: frozen, 'chips are down', 'pea on the loose', 'met his match', gasped, escapee</p>	<p>Mini beast</p> <p>Insect</p> <p>Froglet</p> <p>Story vocab:</p>
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	oozy, thick, swirly- whirly, storm		place local world Story vocab: Naughty Bus: Double decker bus, winch, reflection, handsome			
Experiences	Autumn walk around school, local area walk. Visit from key workers (police, nurses, doctors etc) Visit from people in the local community Meet with local bakery	Forest schools Panto Christmas Play Hedgehog visitors/ make a hedgehog house	Winter Hunt, Visit from the Naughty Bus Dentist visit – link to the Naughty Bus Lunar New Year	Easter egg hunt. Spring walk signs of spring. Beach day themed day	Sunflower growing competition, growing / harvesting vegetables, Gardening - the edible garden Meet with the local vet Healthy eating/ planting workshop	Butterfly life cycles / Life cycle of a frog observation of growth), Planning a summer picnic

Enhancements	Mirrors, family photos, photos of the local area – past and present	Powder paints, toys from the past, torches, telescopes, materials so that the children can make their own telescopes, space resources – rockets, astronaut figures, star gazing app on ipads, non-fiction space books, fire engine, glow in the dark pens, writing with wax, paper straws	Weather chart (could be all year round), weather forecasts, images of London, crown templates, jewels, non-fiction texts about the royal family, maps of London/	Sea creatures, recycle bins, ice models for the children to explore – how can you get the creature to escape, hair dryer, pirate figures, pirate ship, non-fiction sea creature/ pirate texts, selection of different materials for the children to test – can you make a waterproof hat? Bulbs, seeds,	Sunflower seeds, butterfly life cycle experience, tadpoles, eggs and incubator,	Seaside resources – shells, non fictions/ fiction texts about holidays visiting the seaside, mini beast/ insect resources, craft materials to enable the children to make their

			Childer Thornton			own mini beasts
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