

Marine Academy Primary and Nursery Curriculum Map Pre-School 2023-2024

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Reception	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Topic	How do I feel? With the second secon	Who can help us? Who can help us?	What is in the woods?	What can I build? What can I build? Who lives in a house like this? In this topic you will learn to design, construct and build for a purpose! You will discuss your own house and what it is made from, as well as compare it to the houses in the story of the Three Little Pigs! You will learn to retell the story of the Three Little Pigs and test your own constructions to see if you can blow your house down! This topic allows you to be creative, explore tools and be a real builder. What will you build in the construction area?	What can I cook? What can I cook? Food glorious food! In this topic you will explore some wonderful traditional tales that all revolve around food. You will begin to explore food, textures and tastes, as well as be able to see yourself as a cook, baker or even a chef! In this topic you will experiment with ingredients and discuss your favourite foods. Are there things that you like or do not like? Have you ever tried anything salty, sweet or sour? What happens when cooking goes wrong? In this topic you will learn all about a healthy diet and explore the wonders of food!	What can I grow? What can I grow? From a bean to a beanstalk and a seed to a turnip, it is amazing how things grow! We can all be gardeners and understand the importance of growth. In this topic, you will explore the changes that occur in our world and see first- hand how we can grow plants and vegetables. You will become experts in the story of Jack and the Beanstalk and recognise the importance of teamwork in the story of The Enormous Turnip. You will discuss how you have grown and developed as a person, while reflecting on your year in Pre-School.
Focus Texts	Week 1 – 2: The Ugly Duckling by DK Ugly Duckling	Week 1-2: Zog and the Flying Doctors by Julia Donaldson	Week 1-2: Goldlocks and the Three Bears by Susanna Davidson	Week 1-2: The Three Little Pigs by Mara Alperin	Week 1-2: The Gingerbread Man by Mairi MacKinnon	Week 1-2: Jack and the Beanstalk by Mara Alperin

	Week 3 – 4: Three Billy Goats Gruff by Alison Edgson Week 5 -6: Elmer by David McKee	Week 3-4: Little Red Riding Hood by Mara Alperin Riding Hood Week 5-6: Cinderella by Susan Davidson	Week 3-4: The Gruffalo by Julia Donaldson Week 5-6: We're Going on a Bear Hunt by Michael Rosen	Week 3-4: The Elves and the Shoemaker by Alison Edgson Week 5-6: Whatever Next! by Jill Murphy Whatever Next!	Week 3-4: The Little Red Hen by Lesley Sims The Little Red Hen Veek 5-6: The Magic Porridge Pot by Rosie Dickins	Week 3-4: The Enormous Turnip by Katie Daynes
Book Hooks to introduce key vocabulary	The Ugly Duckling Children do visit the chickens. Do they all look the same? Are they all a family? Three Billy Goats Gruff Create a bridge use planks and blocks. Can the children cross the bridge quietly so that they don't disturb the troll? Elmer Children to work together to create a huge Elmer! Each child creates their own patch.	Zog and the Flying Doctors A doctor/nurse visits the children to talk about their job and how they help people. Little Red Riding Hood Invite in a carpenter. Talk about how his job is very similar to the woodcutter's job in our new story. Cinderella Children to be given their own magic wand. What is their wish?	<u>Goldilocks and the Three</u> <u>Bears</u> Children to use the ingredients to make the porridge. <u>The Gruffalo</u> Children to find close up pictures of the Gruffalo, focusing on his features. What animal could this be? <u>We're Going on a Bear</u> <u>Hunt</u> Children to go on a welly walk around the school, splashing in puddles, running through the willow and going under the trim trail.	The Three Little Pigs Take the children out on a nature walk. Supply each child with a small bag and ask them to only collect sticks and twigs that are small enough to fit in their bag. When you get back to the setting, compare amounts with each other. What could we do with all these sticks? Build a den/house together. <u>The Elves and the Shoemaker</u> Provide children with a range of tools. What do we use these tools for? What can we build? <u>Whatever Next</u> Provide children with a range of boxes. What can they make with all these boxes? Can they use their imagination?	Ine Gingerbread Man Making and decorating gingerbread biscuits! Can they make their very own gingerbread man?Ine Little Red Hen Ingredients to make bread are left for the children! Who has left these here? Can we make bread together?Ine Magic Porridge Pot A magic porridge pot arrives in their classroom. Play 'pass the magic pot around' where children discuss their favourite foods.	Jack and the Beanstalk A beanstalk has grown in the classroom! How did it get there? <u>Ihe Enormous Turnip</u> Spending time in our garden, watering, digging and planting vegetables. <u>The Growing Story</u> Children to receive a letter from their new teacher, explaining that they have noticed how fast they are growing! Children to draw their new class teacher (or current teacher) a picture of themselves now.
Role Play	Home / Living Room Enhancements: Add children's pictures from home as they get sent in.	Doctors Surgery Enhancements: Add pictures of children dressed as different jobs.	Woods Enhancements: Provide the children with a picnic with	Construction site Enhancements: Introduce straw, bricks and sticks.	Café Enhancements: Introduce bread breaking ingredients.	Garden Enhancements:

			different sized porridge bowls. Add in Gruffalo footprints. Include a river and 'oozy' mud. Add binoculars for the9ir bear hunts.	Add cardboard boxes.Garden		A bean stalk has grown! Introduce real life turnips of different sizes.
SMSC	Whole Body Listening Harvest Academy Rules	Whole Body Listening Christmas	Whole Body Listening Easter	Whole Body Listening Mothering Sunday	Whole Body Listening Father's Day	Whole Body Listening Aspirations Graduation Transition
Educational Experiences	 Children bring in items from home that are special to them. Parents invited in for a sing and sign session. 	 Variety of visits from everyday heroes including a nurse/doctor. 	 Visit to Kings Tamerton woods Welly walks Teddy Bears picnic 	 'Buddy Time' with Year 6 to build and create something as a team. Visit from site team to talk about what they can build and the tools that they use. 	 Baking and cooking experiences. A visit from a farmer. Visit to the chickens to explore where eggs come from. 	 Gardening and planting. Creating turnip food in the mud kitchen. Discussing our 'baby' pictures. Visiting our animals – how have they changed and grown over time?

	The Ugly Duckling	Zog and the Flying Doctors	Goldilocks and the Three	The Three Little Pigs	The Gingerbread Man	Jack and the Beanstalk
	My emotions: Discuss how	Our bodies: It is x-ray time!	Bears	Let's build a house: Using	Run, run as fast as you can:	A giant beanstalk: Make
	the story made them feel.	Drawing around our friends'	Just right: Children to	straw, wood and bricks to	Play a parachute game to	green handprints by painting
	How would they feel if they	bodies, labelling body parts	match the objects to the	create their own houses just	encourage children to work	one hand blue and one
	were the ugly duckling?	and drawing the bones.	correct sized bear.	like the Three Little Pigs did.	together. One of the	hand yellow. The children
	Children will use mirrors to	(Understanding the World)	(Mathematics)	Can they blow their house	children, pretending to be	perform the 'magic trick' of
	make different expressions,	(**************************************	(Mainemanes)	down? Show children	The Gingerbread Man, will go	rubbing their hands together
	discussing how they feel.	Empathy: Show the children		pictures of different houses	under the parachute and	to make green!
	Can they make these	a doll and say she is poorly	Beginning, middle and end:	from around the world.	hide from the old woman.	(Expressive Arts and Design)
	expressions using	and feeling sad. Have any of	Provide the children with a	(Expressive Arts and Design)	The other characters must try	(
	playdough?	the children ever felt sad?	story sack. Discuss the story	(to find The Gingerbread Man	Planting: Each child to have
	(Personal, Social, Emotional	Discuss what they could do	with the children.	The number 3: Explain to	whilst the rest of the group try	their very own bean. Children
	Development)	to help the doll to feel happy	Encourage them to talk	the children that the three	to hide him by shaking the	to plant their bean using a
		again. What helps the	about the story events and	little pigs only like to collect	parachute up and down to	clear bottle and wet tissue.
	My family: Did the ugly	children to feel happy?	retell the story in their own	things in groups of three.	disquise his movements.	Overtime, discuss the growth
	duckling look like his family?	(Personal, Social, Emotional	words. Use story	0 0 1	(Physical Development)	that happens.
	What made him special? Do	Development)	sequencing cards to	Can the children hunt		(Understanding the World)
	you look like your family?		support language.	around the setting to find a	Where is the Gingerbread	
	Children create their	Little Red Riding Hood	(Literacy)	group of three objects?	Man? Use a Gingerbread	The Enormous Turnip
	own Bunting – using	'Oh Grandma, what big	,	(Mathematics)	Man puppet and cardboard	Vegetables: Provide
	pictures from home.	teeth you have': Children to	The Gruffalo		box to explore positional	vegetables for children to
	(Understanding the World)	learn about the importance	Who is the Gruffalo? Children	The Elves and the	language. Encourage the	investigate. Invite children to
		of clean teeth. Children	to paint a picture of the	Shoemaker	children to describe where	make observations and draw
	Three Billy Goats Gruff	learn the song 'Brush your	Gruffalo, identifying the	Which shoe? Look at	The Gingerbread Man is,	them, talking about
	My friends: Discuss how the	teeth'	colour of the prickles on his	different types of shoes and	using a variety of positional	similarities and differences.
	goats worked as a team to	(Personal, Social, Emotional	back or the colour of his eyes!	talk about which shoes are	language.	(Understanding the World)
	trick the troll! In small groups,	Development)	Can they remember what he	most suitable for hot/dry	(Mathematics)	
1	can the children work		looks like? Read the	weather or cold/wet		Shopping List: Suggest
3	together to create a bridge	Story structure: Children to	description together.	weather. You could then	The Little Red Hen	children make vegetable
	so that they can get across	retell the story of Little Red	(Expressive Arts and Deign)	investigate different	Where does food	shopping lists or labels for a
	the river? Provide large	Riding Hood using props and		materials to see which	come from? Children	vegetable patch using their
	wooden building blocks and	Makaton.	Characters: Using the story	materials would make	discover where milk, cheese,	mark making skills.
	shiny blue material for the river.	(Literacy)	spoons, children to name	good shoes for the different	fruit and vegetables come from. Compare this to the	(Literacy)
	(Personal, Social and	Cinderella	and identify the characters from the story. Can the	environments.	story of the Little Red Hen.	The Growing Story
	Emotional)	Prince and Princess crowns:	children use their fine motor	(Understanding the World)	(Understanding the World)	Order by size: Children to cut
	Entenenary	Decorate and make crowns	skills to create headbands for		(ondoisiding ind violid)	out and order the pictures of
	My senses: Set up a Three	using different 2D shapes.	each character?	Making shoes: Make some	Textures: Place grains, wheat,	different sizes dogs or
	Billy Goats Gruff scene in a	(Mathematics)	(Physical Development)	clothes for the elves using	flour and bread into separate	chickens, just like from the
	large activity tray using	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	()	pieces of felt. The children	feely bags or boxes.	story. Children to discuss how
	natural materials, such as	My dreams: Ask the children	We're Going on a Bear	could sew or glue pieces of	Encourage children to be	we are all growing! Visit the
	mud, grass and rocks, with a	what they would like from a	Hunt	felt together to make the	hands-on and describe the	animals in our garden area
	container of water. The	fairy godmother. How could	We can't go over it:	different items of clothing.	different textures they touch.	and match the pictures of a
	children can explore the	the godmother help you?	Children explore positional	(Expressive Arts and Design)	(Understanding the World)	chick with the chickens and
	different materials,	Would they want clothes to	language vocabulary by			the bunnies with the rabbits.
	comparing the different	wear? A type of transport? A	placing a bear in different	Whatever Next!	The Magic Porridge Pot	(Mathematics)
	textures that they can feel.	palace to live in? Or	parts and areas of the cave.	I am a builder: Children to	Cook little pot, cook: can the	
	(Understanding the World)	something else? Pass a	(Mathematics)	build their own rocket using	children remember the words	Baby pictures: Children to
		magic wand around a circle	· · · ·	various construction	to stop and start the	talk about their baby pictures
	Elmer	and encourage the children	Kite making: Children to then	materials. Where will their	porridge? Play a listening	which have been sent in
	My Self-Portrait: Elmer was	to talk about what they	test their kites outside in the	rocket take them?	game where one child is	from home. How have they
	full of colour! What colours	would like. Children to use	wind. Does your kite fly?	(Expressive Arts and Design)	blindfolded in the middle of	changed and grown?
	do you need to paint your	these in their role play as	(Understanding the World)		a circle. The children in the	(Personal, Social, Emotional
	face? Children to use a	well.		What next: Children to	circle take it in turns to say	Development)
	range of colour paints to	(Communication and Language)		discuss what the 'baby	'Cook, little pot, cook!' The blindfolded child guesses	
		Language				

Themed Learning

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	paint a picture of their face			bear' should build next.	who was speaking/where in	
	on paper plates.			Children to use their fine	the room the child was.	
	(Expressive Arts and Design)			motor skills to draw and	(Communication and	
				share what he should build!	Language)	
	My uniqueness: Children to			(Communication and		
	use their fine motor skills to			Language)	Healthy eating: Discuss	
	create their very own Elmer.			0 0 ,	different breakfast foods and	
	How do our Elmer's look				why it is important to eat	
	different? Does it matter that				breakfast. Encourage the	
	they are not the same?				children to talk about what	
	What makes your Elmer				they like to eat for breakfast. Some different breakfast	
	special?				foods could also be tasted,	
	(Physical Development and Personal, Social, Emotional					
					including porridge.	
	Development) WK 1: "One"			M/K 1. Desition of Longer states	(Physical Development)	M/K 1. Desition of Low evenes
		WK 1: Positional Language:	WK 1: "One Upon a Time":	WK 1: Positional Language:	WK 1: "Meet Six"	WK 1: Positional Language:
	Introduction to the	Understand position	A review of numbers 1 to 5.	Discuss routes and	Counting (1 to 6) Subitising	Describe a familiar route.
	number 1	through words alone – for		locations, using words like	(dice patterns).	
	Counting to 1	example, "The bag is under	WK 2: "How to Count"	'in front of' and 'behind'.		WK 2: Shape, "Building
		the table," – with no	One to one		WK 1: "Meet Seven"	Blocks": Combine shapes
	WK 2: "Another One"	pointing	correspondence – match	WK 2: Shape: Select shapes	7 is one more than 6	to make new ones – an
	Introduction to the		one number name to each	appropriately: flat surfaces	Counting (1 to 7).	arch, a bigger triangle etc.
	number 2	WK 2: Shape, "Flatland":	item to be counted	for building, a triangular		
	2 is one more than 1	Talk about and explore 2D	Cardinality – the last	prism for a roof etc	WK 2: "Meet Eight"	WK 3: Pattern: Notice and
		and 3D shapes (for	number in the count is the		Counting (1 to 8) 8 is one	correct an error in a
	WK 3: "Two"	example,	total size of the group	WK 3: Measure: Make	more than 7 Subitising (8).	pattern.
	Counting to 2	circles, rectangles, triangles	Stable order – say the	comparisons between		
	The 'twoness' of 2	and cuboids) using	number names in the	objects relating to length	WK 3: "Meet Nine"	WK 4: Measure: Make
		informal	correct order	and weight.	Counting (1 to 9) The	comparisons between
	WK 4: "Three"	and mathematical			structure of square	capacity.
	Introduction to the	language: 'sides',	WK 3: "Stampolines"	WK 4: Pattern: Extend and	numbers (4 and 9)	
	number 3	'corners'; 'straight',	Subitising numbers 1 to 5.	create ABAB patterns –	Partitioning and combining	WK 5: "Ten Green Bottles"
	3 is one more than 2	'flat', 'round'.	Different ways of arranging	stick, leaf, stick, leaf.	9	Subtracting 1 Counting (1
			blocks to 5			to 10) Counting down 10 to
Maths	WK 5: "One, Two,	WK 3: Measure: Make	Conservation of number	WK 5: "Blockzilla"	WK 4: "Meet ten"	1
	Three"	comparisons between	different arrangement of	Comparison of numbers 1	Counting (1-10) 10 ones are	
	Counting up to 3	objects relating to size.	blocks but the number	to 5 using the language of	equivalent to one 10.	WK 6: "Now We Are Six to
	Comparing numbers		remains the same	'greater than' and		Ten"
	1,2 and 3 – 'bigger'	Wk 4: Pattern, "Pattern		'less than'	WK 5: "Just add 1"	A review of numbers 6 to
	and 'smaller'	Palace":	WK 4: "The Whole of Me"		Adding 1 Counting (1 to	10.
	Ordering numbers 1 to	Talk about and identifies	Composition of numbers 1	WK 6: "Hide and Seek"	10).	
	3	the patterns around them.	to 5	Addition and subtraction of		WK 7: "Peekaboo!"
	3 is made up of 2 and	For example: stripes on	Introduction to the 'part-	numbers to 5		Comparison of numbers to
	1	clothes, designs on rugs	part-whole' structure of			10 using the language of
		and wallpaper. Use	number			'bigger than', 'smaller
	WK6: "Four"	informal language like	Partitioning a whole			than' leading to 'greater
	Meet Four	'pointy', 'spotty', 'blobs'	number into parts			than' and 'less than'
	4 is one more than 3	etc.				
	Counting to 4		WK 5: "The terrible twos"			
	The structure of 4 as a	Wk 5: "Three Little Pigs"	4 can be partitioned into 2			
	square number	Counting to 4, adding 1s	and 2; and, 1 and 1 and 1			
	Recognition of 4 items	using the classic tale.	and 1.			
	without counting	5				
	(Subitising)		WK 6: "Holes"			
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	WK 7: "Five"	Wk 6: "Off We Go!"	The number of a group can				
	Meet Five 5 is one more than 4	Counting to 5 by lining up 1 to 5 in order. Identifying	be changed by adding to it or taking from it.				
	Counting to 5	numbers within a 1 to 5	0 1				
	Line up 1 to 5 in order	line-up					
P.E.	Using large-muscle movements: waving flags, parachute	Body movements: Skip, hop, crawl and stand on one leg. Hold a pose.	Ball control skills: throw and catch	Balancing: trikes, bikes and planks	Climb safely: using alternate feet	Collaborating: Group activities and team games	
	How to find a space.	How to find a space.	How to find a space.	How to find a space.	How to find a space.	How to find a space.	
	We aim for our children to		endent and inquisitive learn	ners with a passion to improv	e and build on core skills. I	Independent Learning time	
	is a time where children access planned and purposeful learning challenges to encourage and support children to meet their next steps. Our provision ensures						
Independent	that the 'unique child' is considered, taking into account their interests and choices, while exposing them to learning opportunities around traditional stories that						
Learning Time	they would not naturally come across. Our planned provision encourages children to gain a deep understanding of the stories through practical and playful						
	activities. Our practitioners are there to model, scaffold and extend learning in this play-based learning environment. We aim for our children to want to spend a						
	considerable amount of time engrossed in their learning, showing pride, passion and enjoyment.						
	Every week, the children will participate in a small group Themed Learning session that is carefully planned to provide some direct and adult-led teaching based						
	around our traditional stories. Throughout the year, the children are exposed to a range of activities that covers all areas of learning, from Communication and						
Themed	Language to Understanding of the World. These activities are to inspire children to use new skills, develop and build upon their previous learning, as well as to						
Learning	encourage children to access different areas of learning and provision to what they are used to. We intend that the children become immersed in the story,						
	where every activity has a core purpose to develop language, vocabulary and story understanding. Our stories are at the heart of the learning, using them as a						
	stimulus to develop foundational skills and to ensure our children are school ready when they leave our Pre-School setting.						
	Children will have direct t	eaching during a storytellin	g session, every day. This wil	l be a session based around	oracy, story language, pr	osody, vocabulary and use	
	of Makaton to retell a whole story. Children will develop a love for reading and want to read for pleasure by hearing the excitement and passion when the adults						
	read to them. Our aim is that no child leaves our Pre-School setting, having not heard, understood or been immersed in traditional tails. Traditional tails have been						
Storytelling	carefully selected to ensure children are hearing rhyme, alliteration and repetition, all to support those foundations for phonics. Our stories are at the heart of all						
Sessions	our learning, but specifically to support communication and language and to develop children's vocabulary. Storytelling sessions is another opportunity where						
	children can visualise and see themselves as a storyteller, as well as ensuring every child is immersed in the current story, which will aid their independent learning.						
	We want our children to want to engage in books and stories.						