

Nursery Curriculum Cycle I

Bracken Lane Primary Academy

	Autumn I	Autumn 2	Spring I	Spring 2	Summer I	Summer 2
Question	Why do you love me so much?	Why do leaves go crispy?	Why can't I have chocolate for breakfast?	Are eggs alive?	Do Dragons Exist?	Can I have a dog?
Books	Guess how much I love you Love Monster Have you filled a bucket today? There's a house inside my mummy	Stick man Pumpkin soup Leaf Man The very helpful hedgehog Oliver's Vegetables The Gruffalo	Love monster and the last chocolate I will not ever never eat a tomato Eat your greens, Goldilocks	The Very Hungry Caterpillar Peely Wally We're going on an egg hunt The Easter Story Spring	The Knight Who Wouldn't Fight There's NO such thing as a dragon Dragon Poems Zog	Zoe and Beans The Great Pet Sale Dear Zoo Charlie and Lola (Dog and Guinea Pig)
PSED	Sharing Playing independently Forming good relationships	Confidence in asking for help Play with others Forming good relationships	Expressing preferences Collaborating Forming good relationships	Talking with and listening to others Sharing ideas Forming good relationships	Playing in a group Forming good relationships	Understanding feelings of others Forming good relationships .
Physical	Using equipment and tools safely Washing and drying hands. Moving in different ways	Jumping on and off Moving in different ways Fine motor control	Washing and drying hands. Moving in different ways Lines and circles – drawing/moving Fine motor control	Pencil grip One handed tools – scissors, pencil Copying own name	Pencil grip One handed tools – scissors, pencil Copying own name Getting dressed	Pencil grip One handed tools – scissors, pencil Copying own name Getting dressed
C & L	Listening to stories Talking in sentences	Songs and rhymes Responding to simple instructions	Extending vocabulary Talking in more complex sentences	How and why questions Retelling events/stories in time order	How and why questions Retelling events/stories in time order Extending vocabulary Talking in more complex sentences Responding to simple instructions	How and why questions Retelling events/stories in time order Responding to what others have said
Literacy	Listens to stories, songs and rhymes Knows difference between letters and pictures Gives meaning to marks made	Enjoys favourite songs, stories and rhymes Repeats familiar phrases in stories Knows difference between letters and pictures Gives meaning to marks made	Knows that words can be read out loud Repeats familiar phrases in stories Knows difference between letters and pictures Gives meaning to marks made	Recognise familiar labels, signs and their own name. Show an interest in the books in the environment. Alliteration	. Recognise familiar labels, signs and their own name. Show an interest in the books in the environment. Alliteration Writes messages for others	Hear and say the initial sound in words. Hear alliteration and rhyme Enjoys a range of books Writes own name
Mathematics	Sorting Matching Pairing Number language 'lots' 'a few' 'many'	Sorting Matching Pairing Number names Count objects to 5 Order objects by height Size language ' big' 'small' tall' 'short'	Sorting Matching Pairing Time vocabulary 'before', 'later' or 'soon' 'today' 'tomorrow' Count objects to 5	Sorting Matching Pairing Counting objects to 10 Know some numerals	Sorting Matching Pairing Comparative language 'more than' less than'	Sorting Matching Pairing Counts 1:1 Recognises numerals to 10 Matching numerals and quantities
Understanding the World	Family Beebots	The environment Plants and animals .	Family and Friends Objects in the environment	Significant events – birthdays, wedding etc Living things	How things work	Similarities and differences
Expressive Art and Design	Colours Music, dancing, role play	Changing colours Music, dancing, role play	Imaginative play Constructing with a purpose Blocks of colour	Role play and create imaginary worlds. Representations of events, people and objects. Constructing with a purpose	Using a variety of materials Builds stories and worlds during role play Re-enact experiences Blocks of colour	Using a variety of materials Builds stories and worlds during role play Re-enact experiences Blocks of colour
Enrichment & Experiences	Parents/carers invited in Adults to bring in younger siblings Family picnic	Planting Vegetables A visit from a hedgehog! (Miss Smith)	Invite the parents in for a healthy breakfast Make a healthy breakfast/snack Morrisons into school	Butterfly house Farm visit Chicks into school Sam's Safari visit	Visit a castle	Visit from a vet Pet shop visit Animal visit