

Acomb First School

Reception Curriculum map

	Term 1.i	Term 1.ii	Term 2.i	Term 2.ii	Term 3.i	Term 3.ii
Global school themes	Growth mindset aspirations		Wonderful World& Brilliant Britain		Successes and achievements	
Significant national and international dates	Harvest Diwali Halloween & All saints day Guy Fawkes Remembrance Sunday St Andrew’s Day Advent & Christmas Romania Day Hannukah		Burns Night Valentine’s Lunar new year International Women’s day Shrove Tuesday & Ash Wednesday St David Commonwealth Day St Patrick Mothering Sunday Easter		St George May Day Ramadan	
Themes	Themes will be based on children’s interests and will change accordingly. Individual children’s development and needs will lead the curriculum, however this is a broad view of some of the things we aim to cover each term.					
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	Settling in – learning routines Being friends Confidence and worries Taking turns and sharing fairly Introduce class bear		Sharing achievements Reviewing each other’s work Feelings – happy, sad, angry, concerned Resolving conflicts		Reviewing the year – look at and reflect on how far they have come Transitions into Year One	
Communication and Language	Listen and join in with stories and rhymes Follow instructions Build up vocabulary Maintain concentration		Using talk to support thinking Role play and storylines Express themselves effectively Talking tables		Identify patterns Draw conclusions Explain effect Predict Speculate	
Physical Development	Fundamental movement skills Ball skills Gross motor skills Using and holding a pencil correctly Dressing independently		Fundamental movement skills Jumping off safely and using climbing apparatus Form recognisable letters, correctly formed Use tools and equipment safely Manage own risks Being healthy		Fundamental movement skills Handwriting consolidation	
Phonics	RWInc Speed Sounds set 1	RWInc Speed sounds set 2	Revisit speed sounds as needed on individual/group basis		Letter names Set 3 where appropriate	

	Cvc words Tricky words	Tricky words				
Reading	Introduce ORT scheme and characters Environmental print Nursery Rhymes Rhyming stories/stories with rhythm Continue a rhyming string Recognise own name and other words	Traditional tales Story structure Characters Begin to read words and simple sentences	Non-fiction	Range of books to fit topic/theme	Range of books to fit topic/theme Comprehension Guided reading (where appropriate)	Range of books to fit topic/theme Comprehension Guided reading (where appropriate)
Writing	Independent mark making Write own name Write cvc words		Writing sentences with capital letter and full stop Write labels and captions	Write sentences independently	One focussed write each week Provide daily opportunities for writing in continuous provisions	One focussed write each week Provide daily opportunities for writing in continuous provisions
Mathematics	Numbers: counting and recognition to 5 SSM: 2D shapes SSM: money Numbers: addition and subtraction to 5		Numbers: counting and recognition to 10 SSM: size, weight and capacity Numbers: addition and subtraction to 10 SSM: 3D shape SSM: time		Numbers: counting and recognition to 20 Numbers: addition and subtraction to 20 Numbers: doubling, halving and sharing SSM: position and distance	
Understanding the World	Families Local area Observations of the world around them		Similarities and difference between themselves and others, families, communities and traditions Similarities, differences, patterns and change		Compare environments Make observations	
Technology	Drawing 2paint Use IWB, laptop, Ipad to support learning Teach mouse skills – mouse and fingerpad		Ipad to take photos/videos Word processing Technology used at home and school		2publish - combine pictures and writing	
Expressive arts and design	Sing songs and ring games Explore colour and textures Explore sound and rhythms Role play stories Famous artists and styles		Percussion instruments Combine media Famous artists and styles		Sing songs, make music and dance Famous artists and styles	
Focus weeks						
events/trips	Macmillan coffee morning Parents consultations	Christmas performance Panto	tbc	tbc	tbc	tbc
Forest School	Tools Cooking on the fire Activities based on themes		Tools Cooking on the fire Activities based on themes		Tools Cooking on the fire Activities based on themes	

