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| Little Acorns Medium Term PlanningSpring 2 2024-2025 |
|  | **Week 1** | **Week 2** | **Week 3** | **Week 4** | **Week 5** | **Week 6** |
| **Topic**Spring Growth**(Understanding the World)** | Our Wonderful World | Shrove TuesdayAsh WednesdayWorld Book Day  | How is our world changing? | St Patrick’s Day | Mother’s Day  | Easter |
| **Communication & Language** | Guided Role Play(Expressive Language) | Because…(Expressive Language) | One to one story times(Receptive Language) | Guided Role Play(Expressive Language) | Because…(Expressive Language) | One to one story times(Receptive Language) |
| **PSED**(Key People note how children are progressing) | Having Self Confidence* Singing and performing in front of others
 | Recognising Emotions* Emotion faces loose part continuous provision
 | Managing Emotions* How do I feel when..?
 | Healthy Eating* Which foods are healthy
* Cooking and preparing
 | Treat Foods* Which foods are treats?
* Cooking and preparing
 | Easter Treats* Easter Nests
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| **Physical Development**Under the cover-way | **Balancing:**Wooden bench from hall upturned | **Spatial awareness:**Obstacle Courses | **Crossing the mid-line:**Dance activities | **Anti-clockwise arm movements:**Ribbons and water brushes | **Climbing:**On large slide equipment | **Practicing gymnastics:**Floor mats and music |
| **Literacy** | **Focus Text:**SuperwormPrint has meaning | **WORLD BOOK DAY:** Various activitiesWe read English text from left to right and from top to bottom | **Focus Text:** The Cook Book(Non-fiction text)Print can have different purposes | **Focus Text:** At the Dump(guided reading text)Names of the different parts of a book | **Focus Text:** The Scarecrow’s WeddingPage sequencing | **Focus Text:** A Squash and a SqueezeOur favourite books |
| **L&S** | Aspect 2 instrumental soundsRead Write Inc Phonics – first sounds**m** Aspect 7 Oral Blending and Segmenting | Aspect 2 instrumental soundsRead Write Inc Phonics – first sounds**a**Aspect 7 Oral Blending and Segmenting | Aspect 2 instrumental soundsRead Write Inc Phonics – first sounds**s**Fred Talk! | Aspect 3 Body PercussionRead Write Inc Phonics – first sounds**d**Fred Talk! | Aspect 3 Body PercussionRead Write Inc Phonics – first sounds**t**Fred Talk! | Aspect 3 Body PercussionRead Write Inc Phonics – first sounds**i**Fred Talk! |
| **Maths** | **White Rose Nursery Maths**Shape Space and Measure 3:Explore Position and Routes | **White Rose Nursery Maths**Pattern 3:Explore own first patterns | **White Rose Nursery Maths**Counting 4:Take and give 1,2,3 | **White Rose Nursery Maths**Shape Space and Measure 4:Match, Talk, Push and Pull | **White Rose Nursery Maths**Subitising 3:Talk about dots | **White Rose Nursery Maths**Comparison 2:Compare and sort collections |
| **Art** | Let’s Get Crafty:Cutting | Let’s Get Crafty:Threading | Let’s Get Crafty:Joining | Let’s Get Crafty:Paper snakes | Mother’s Day Cards | Easter Cards |
| **Music** | Listening to music:Moving to Radetsky March | Listening to music:Moving to Senzenina | Listening to music:Playing to The Imperial March | Listening to music:Playing to Lucky Seven | Listening to music:Talking about film music | Listening to music:Talking about and comparing Vocal / Instrumental music |
| **RE** | RED Branch 4:Desert to GardenWe care for others in Lent | RED Branch 4:Desert to Garden We grow closer to Jesus in Lent | RED Branch 4:Desert to GardenWe grow in love for others during Lent | RED Branch 4:Desert to GardenJesus Entered Jerusalem on a donkey | RED Branch 4:Desert to GardenJesus died on the cross | **Holy Week**RED Branch 4:Desert to GardenJesus rose and everyone celebrates |
| **Continuous Provision:**Role Play – Home Corner, Garden Centre Book of the week and resources/story sacksMaths morning activity – Blocks, objects and rulers / numerals, counters, small animals, pom-poms / tessellating shapes, shape puzzles / pattern laminates.Easel – painting: poster paints, powder paints, water coloursSmall World – Children’s ChoiceInvestigation Trolley – Loose parts, Rolling, MagnetsFine Motor Tables – Magnetic sketchpads, Tap a shape, Threading, Tweezers, Nuts and Bolts, Fuzzy FeltPhysical development Outside – Bikes, trikes, scooters; Water trays, Sand Trays, Bats and Balls, Kicking, Throwing, Balancing |