



Birchfield
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Reception Curriculum Overview
Term 3.1

Teaching Team:

Miss Mazar/Miss Ghumra/Mrs Cheema
Miss Hodge/Mrs Bibi

SLT: Miss Fox

PE Days: Fridays

Homework: Phonics/Maths focus


- Harder to read and spell words
- Weekly reading book

Homework will be given to children every Friday.

Homework and reading books to be returned every
Monday.

Reading books to be in school Monday- Friday.

Please see below an overview of the main themes,
knowledge and skills we will be covering this half term.

<p>Class Texts</p>	<p>Superhero like you, Look up, All through the night, You can't call an elephant in an emergency</p> 
<p>Literacy</p>	<p>Writing using sentence openers (He, she, I, and, the)</p> <p>Writing short sentences with known grapheme/ phoneme correspondence</p> <p>Leaving spaces between words</p> <p>Start sentences with a capital letter</p> <p>End a sentence with a full stop</p> <p>Spell words by identifying the sounds and writing the sounds</p> <p>Recognise some harder to read and spell words</p>

	Writing character descriptions
Maths	Learning about doubling, sharing and number patterns Addition and Subtraction Number bonds to 10 Number formation (1-20)
Communication and Language	Listen to familiar stories and recall parts of the story Use new vocabulary throughout the day Discuss the beginning, middle and end of a story Answer how and why questions, linked to stories. Learning new rhymes, poems and songs Asking questions about the environment and plants
Expressive Arts and Design	Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects Plan and design a vehicle To use a range of techniques to create a vehicle Role play linked to the weekly stories
Understanding of the World	Talk about past and present events in their own lives and the lives of their family

	<p>members</p> <p>To show an interest in different occupations and ways of life</p> <p>To understand how to look after our community</p> <p>Recognise some environments that are different from the one in which they live</p>
PE	<p>Explore balancing an object on a racket/bat</p> <p>Explore pushing/sending an object to a partner with accuracy</p> <p>Develop balancing and object on a racket/bat with accuracy</p> <p>Using scissors to cut out different sized shapes</p> <p>Form some recognisable upper and lower case letters</p> <p>Using cutlery correctly</p> <p>Ready set ride balance bikes</p>
Key Vocabulary	<p>Plants</p> <p>Grow</p> <p>Trees</p> <p>Sunny</p> <p>Environment</p> <p>Different</p>

	Journey Beginning, middle, end Travel Country Hot Cold Summer Names of different occupations (Doctor, teacher, librarian)
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Home Learning

- Reading weekly phonics books with your child
- Taking your child to the local library
- Encouraging your child to read the weekly c

Herro Academy book

- Planting seeds and discussing growth and changes in the environment

Useful links

<https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/> - E books to support children's learning at home. Phonics books linked to Phase 2, Phase 3 and 4 phonics

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/resources/phase/2/buried-treasure> - Buried treasure phonics games

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/learning-to-count/todays-number-up-to-20> - Counting games