



**Balby Central Primary Long Term Plan 2017-2018**  
**Year: Reception**

Term	1	2	3	4	5	6
Topic heading	What is your favourite colour?	Let's Celebrate	Where in the universe?	Massive or Mini?	How goes the work?	What rumbles in the jungle?
Role Play	Home corner & Fruit shop	Goldilocks and the Three Bears House / castle  Post Office/Party celebrations	Space station/rocket	Dinosaur research centre	The giants castle  Farm	Boogie woogie land
Understanding of the World	Exploring and investigating colours (linked to Elmer) .  Musical Instruments – exploring sounds  Beebots, Remote controlled cars and ICT paint programme – colours.  Autumn – weekly walks exploring change in the environment  Materials - texture	Textures – feely socks  Investigating sounds and pitch and exploring how sounds change  Winter - weekly walks exploring change in the environment  People in the community – where do you live? What type of home do you live in?	Night and day, Light and dark  Our world/universe  Winter - weekly walks exploring change in the environment  Space music  ICT  Changes of state.	Dinosaurs - height/capacity.  Life cycles  Mini beasts  ICT – technology walk  Similarities and differences  Mini beast hunt  Dinosaur drums and mini best songs – exploring instruments, pitch, rhythm and tempo  Spring – weekly walk	Growing  Growth and change - food  Spring – weekly walk  Textures  Planting – seeds & resources	Camouflage  Textures  Patterns  Musical instruments – jungle music  ICT  Magnetic/non magnetic  Summer – weekly walk

Numeracy	Counting Sorting by shape and colour Introducing shapes. Patterns Capacity	Measuring Counting/numbers Shapes (linked to creative and construction using shapes to make a house/building) Dice games	Counting Number recognition Shapes 2D & 3D Time & ordinal numbers Positional Language	Counting/number Addition Patterns Easter egg hunt Sorting (colour/venn diagrams/classification) Size Incy wincy game	Counting/numbers Sorting/grouping Patterns capacity Weighing Length/height time	Counting Addition/Subtraction Shapes Measuring snakes - length Snakes and ladders
Literacy	Drawing ourselves. Writing about our family. Name writing.	Drawing my house Plans for buildings and labels Firework drawings My Christmas list Cards Name writing	Drawing planets and labelling Designing your own super hero and labelling it Writing about your own individual superpower Name writing	Easter cards Design your own mini beast/dinosaur Dinosaur/mini beast writing/labelling Name writing	Diaries Drawing our plants – stages of development Story writing (reception) Cooking recipes Name writing	Jungle writing Jungle stories Jungle poems Animal noises Animal drawings and labels Name writing
Creative	Brown Bear animal painting Colour mixing (indoor and outdoor) <b>Nursery rhymes</b> Collage	Learn and perform Christmas songs and play Box modelling Stained glass windows (linked to church visit) Make musical instruments/rockets Mixing colours Winter pictures Collage	Make planets, rockets, superhero clothes. Repeated rhythm patterns Textures Collage Box modelling Sing super hero/space songs – 5 little men in a flying saucer	Painting dinosaurs/mini beasts Making mini beasts/dinosaurs Patterns – printing Sock puppets Easter hats/baskets Collage	Making tractors/trailers/stables/barn Painting farm animals Painting the giant Collage Box modelling	Collage – animals Painting – animals Box modelling

Construction	Cars and road. House building	Houses, homes, buildings using a variety of materials and media. Sleigh building Present making	Make rockets Rocket repair centre Make satellites and planets - magnetic polydron	Mini beast habitats Dinosaurs Minibeasts	Making tractors/trailers/stables/barn	Building tree houses Different material types – wood, plastic, metal,
Reading	Reading shed Elmer stories & traditional tales/nursery rhymes Autumn/Harvest – little red hen, Rosies walk	Homes Reading tent Christmas story Winter – snow bears	Reading rocket Aliens love underpants Nat fantastic	Reading cave Reading garden Hungry caterpillar Incy wincy	Reading barn Animal stories Potting shed (Reception)	Jungle house Animal books – non fiction Topic books – jungle
Sand	Vehicles Coloured objects to sort	Shapes, numbers textures	Moon sand Space vehicles, astronauts, aliens	Dinosaurs Palaeontology	Straw – farm animals Compost – planting, pots and bulbs	Jungle animals Quick sand
Water	Coloured water & bubbles Water toys – jugs, spoons, funnels, wheels	Shapes, numbers. Gloop Floating and sinking	Exploring changes of states & capacity	Pond life	Watering cans, funnels, trowels, beads, pots Capacity – Large/small	Swamp
Playdough	Fine motor – rolling, squashing, pressing using tools to manipulate. Make playdough monsters	Counting Present playdough mats – shape	Superhero playdough mats Planet making Making letters	Size - length, height, fat, thin	Making flowers – counting Manipulating moulds	Make snakes – length Make jungle animals – using a variety of different media

Cooking	Tasting different coloured fruit	Biscuits	Smoothies	Easter nests	Vegetable soup	Jungle juice
Small world	Dolls house	Town Car Park Pigs and materials Nativity	Super hero world	Dinosaur/mini beast world	Farm Jack and the beanstalk puppets	Jungle animals
Jigsaw	Being In My World					
SMSC/ British Values	Encourage children to take turns and share	Develop a sense of fascination about themselves and the world around them Use imagination and creativity in learning explore different faiths and cultural diversity	Develop a growing fascination about the world around them. Use this topic to explore how we can help others and be kind to one another.	Develop a growing sense of how we differ from each other we all have different likes and dislikes.	Develop a growing sense of how we can help one another and be kind to each other	Understand the consequences of their behaviours and actions
Stories	Brown bear The Little Red Hen The Three Little Pigs The lion & the Mouse	Nativity Goldilocks and the Three Bears The Jolly Postman The Christmas Story	Aliens Love Underpants Whatever next Nat Fantastic	Harry and the bucket full of dinosaurs Hungry caterpillar Crunch, Munch Dinosaur Captain Flynn and the pirate dinosaurs	Who's in The Shed?? Jack and the Beanstalk The Runaway Tractor Farmer Duck A Squash and Squeeze	Handa's Surprise The Tiger who came for Tea The Selfish Crocodile Rumble in the Jungle Boogie Woogie Jungle The Jungle Book
Visits/ Parent invitations	Invite parents in for performance	Christingle at church Invite parents in for performance CAST Christmas performance	Invite parents in for performance Visit to Sikh Temple	Invite parents in for performance Invite parents in for reading mornings/afternoons	Invite parents in for performance	Invite parents in for performance Eureka Trip

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