Characteristics of Effective Teaching and Learning	Playing and exploring – Children investigate and experience things, and 'have a go'. Active learning – Children concentrate and keep on trying if they encounter difficulties, and enjoy achievements. Creating and thinking critically – Children have and develop their own ideas, make links between ideas, and develop strategies for doing things.								
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2			
Theme	All About Me Brilliant Bury – School	Celebrations and Festivals/Autumn	Traditional Tales	A New Start	Amazing Africa	The Big Blue			
Key Texts (Key text for writing)	The Colour Monster Super Duper You I'm the Best Elmer Giraffes Can't Dance The Invisible String Perfectly Norman Once There Were Giants Owl Babies Just Imagine Supertato Ruby's Worry Tiger Ways Mine	The Leaf Thief Leaf Man The Very Last Leaf It's Not a Stick Stick Man We're Going on a Bear Hunt The Bear in the Cave Room on a Broom The Gruffalo Pumpkin Soup Stanley's Stick The Tree Farmer Duck Dogger at Christmas Jolly Christmas Postman	Goldilocks and the Three Bears The Gingerbread Man The Three Little Pigs The Little Red Hen Little Red Riding Hood Billy Goats Gruff Jack and the Beanstalk Jack and the Jellybean Stalk Come Back, Jack The Jolly Pocket Postman Twisted Fairytales	The Very Hungry Caterpillar Tadpole's Promise The Tiny Seed Jasper's Beanstalk Oliver's Vegetables The Big Book of Blooms	Handa's Surprise Africa, Amazing Africa The Ugly Five On My Papa's Shoulders What the Elephant Heard Wangari's Trees of Peace One Day on Our Blue Planet In the Savannah	The Big Book of the Blue Commotion in the Ocean There's a Sea in my Bedroom Lost and found Sharing a Shell The Snail and the Whale The Storm Whale Mr Seahorse Tiddler Rainbow Fish The Pirates Next Door			

Communication	Listening, Attention	Listening, Attention	Listening,	Listening,	Listening,	Listening,
and Language	and Understanding	and Understanding	Attention and	Attention and	Attention and	Attention and
	Understand how to	Listen carefully to	Understanding	Understanding	Understanding	Understanding
	listen carefully and	rhymes and songs,	Listen to and talk	Engage in non-	Listen attentively	Listen attentively
	why listening is	paying attention to	about stories to	fiction books.	and respond to	and respond to
	important.	how they sound.	build familiarity	Listen to and talk	what they hear	what they hear
	Understand a	Learn rhymes, poems	and	about selected	with relevant	with relevant
	question or	and songs.	understanding.	non-fiction to	questions and	questions and
	instruction that has			develop a deep	comments.	comments.
	two parts, e.g. "Hang	Speaking	Speaking	familiarity with	Make comments	Make comments
	your coat up and sit	Retell a story once	Describe events in	new knowledge	about what they	about what they
	on the carpet".	they have developed	some detail.	and vocabulary.	have heard and	have heard and
		a deep familiarity	Connect one idea		ask questions to	ask questions to
	Speaking	with the text.	to another using a	Speaking	clarify their	clarify their
	Develop social	Ask questions to find	range of	Listen to and talk	understanding.	understanding.
	phrases e.g. saying	out more and to	connectives.	about selected	Hold conversation	Hold conversation
	Good Morning. Learn	check they	Articulate ideas	fiction and non-	when engaged in	when engaged in
	new vocabulary and	understand what has	and thoughts in	fiction to develop	back-and forth	back-and forth
	use it throughout the	been said to them.	well-formed	a deep familiarity	exchanges with	exchanges with
	day in different		sentences.	with new	teachers and	teachers and
	contexts.			knowledge and	peers.	peers.
	Talk in front of a			vocabulary.		
	small group.				Speaking	Speaking
					Participate in	Participate in
					small group, class	small group, class
					and one-to one	and one-to one
					discussions,	discussions,
					offering own	offering own
					ideas, using	ideas, using
					recently	recently
					introduced	introduced
					vocabulary. Offer	vocabulary. Offer
					explanations for	explanations for

Tier 2 vocabulary	Achieve Attitude Attitude Challenge Create Design Environment Participate Respond Similar Tradition				why things might happen. Express ideas and feelings about their experiences using full sentences, including use of past, present and future tenses and making use of conjunctions (with modelling and support).	why things might happen. Express ideas and feelings about their experiences using full sentences, including use of past, present and future tenses and making use of conjunctions (with modelling and support).
Personal, Social	Building	Building	Building	Building	Building Relationsh	ips
and Emotional	relationships	Relationships	Relationships	Relationships	Work and play coop	eratively and take
Development	Making friends and	Begin to show an	Help to find	Build constructive	turns with others.	
	building relationships	understanding of	solutions to	and respectful	Form positive attack	
	with adults in school.	how others may feel.	conflicts and	relationships.		nsitivity to their own
	Seeing themselves as	Express their feelings	rivalries.		and to others' need	S.
	a valuable individual.	and consider the		Managing Self		
	Being 'the boss' of	feelings of others.		Shows		
	themselves.			understanding		

	Managing self	Managing Self	Managing Self	that good	Managing Self
	Learn and	Follow rules without	See themselves as	practices with	Be confident to try new activities and
	understand	adult reminders and	a valuable	regards to	show independence, resilience and
	classroom rules and	understand why they	individual who can	exercise, eating,	perseverance in the face of challenge.
	routines.	are important. Able	manage their own	sleeping and	Explain the reasons for rules. Manage
	Become more	to dress/undress	needs. Select and	hygiene can	own basic hygiene and personal needs,
	confident in	independently –	use activities and	contribute to good	including dressing, going to the toilet
	unfamiliar situations	Including beginning	resources to	health.	and understanding the importance of
	with unfamiliar	to do own zip on	achieve a goal		healthy food choices.
	people.	coat.	(with support	Self-Regulation	
			when needed).	Show resilience	Self-Regulation
	Self-Regulation	Self-Regulation		and perseverance	Show an understanding of their own
	Talk about own	Identify and	Self-Regulation	in the face of	feelings and those of others. Work
	feelings using words	moderate their own	Talk with others to	challenge.	towards simple goals, being able to wait
	such as 'happy', 'sad',	feelings socially and	solve conflicts.		for what they want and control their
	'worried',	emotionally.			immediate impulses when appropriate.
	'anxious'(link to The				Responding to adults when engaged in
	Colour Monster).				an activity. Follow several instructions.
	Able to apply				
	personalised				
	strategies to return				
	to a state of calm.				
Physical	Fine Motor	Fine Motor	Fine Motor	Fine Motor	Fine Motor
Development	Range of activities to	Range of activities to	Range of activities	Range of activities	Use the tripod grip in almost all cases.
	support fine motor	support fine motor	to support fine	to support fine	Begin to show accuracy and care when
	control.	control.	motor control.	motor control.	drawing.
	Develop a preference	Develop their fine	Use a comfortable	Begin to develop	
	for dominant hand.	motor skills so that	grip with good	the foundations of	Gross Motor
	Use a range of one	they can use a range	control when	a handwriting	Negotiate space and obstacles safely,
	handed tools e.g.	of tools competently,	holding pens and	style which is	with consideration for themselves and
	scissors, pens,	safely and	pencils.	accurate and	others. Demonstrate strength, balance
	paintbrushes, knives,	confidently.		efficient.	

	forks. Hold	Continue with Tripod	Gross Motor	Gross Motor	and coordination	when playing. Move
	pencil/paint brush	grip development.	Know and talk	Continue to	energetically.	
	beyond whole hand		about different	develop overall		
	grasp.		factors that	body strength,		
	Begin to work on	Gross Motor	support their	coordination,	P.E.	
	Tripod pencil grip.	Revise and refine	overall health and	balance and agility	Invasion games: ba	all games.
		fundamental	wellbeing; regular	needed to engage	Tennis.	
	Gross Motor	movement skills they	physical activity;	with physical		
	Develop skills needed	have already	healthy eating;	activity.		
	to manage school day	acquired: rolling;	tooth brushing;			
	successfully e.g.	crawling; walking;	sensible amounts	P.E.		
	lining up and	jumping; running;	of screen time;	Athletics/Sports		
	queuing; mealtimes;	hopping; skipping	good sleep	Day		
	personal hygiene	and climbing.	routine; being a			
	routines.	_	safe pedestrian.			
	Develop spatial	P.E				
	awareness.	Multi-skills, including:	P.E.			
	Develop gross motor	listening skills,	Gymnastics/			
	movements to assist	travelling/movement,	Dance and			
	with fine motor	small equipment	movement.			
	movements e.g.	games.				
	letter formation in					
	the air.					
	P.E.					
	Multi-skills, including:					
	listening skills,					
	travelling/movement,					
	small equipment					
	games.					
iteracy	Key texts as a	Key texts as a	Key texts as a	Key texts as a	Key texts as a	Key texts as a
•	stimulus	stimulus	stimulus	stimulus	stimulus	stimulus

Bringing home	Comprehension	Comprehension	Comprehension	Comprehension	Comprehension	Comprehension
book from the	Ask questions about	Engage in extended	Use vocabulary	Re-read books to	Retelling stories	Retelling stories
school library	the book. Make	conversations about	and forms of	build up their	and narratives	and narratives
weekly.	comments and share	stories, learning new	speech that are	confidence in	using their own	using their own
	their own ideas.	vocabulary.	increasingly	word reading,	words and	words and
	Develop play around		influenced by their	their fluency and	recently	recently
	favourite stories	Word reading	range of books.	their	introduced	introduced
	using props.	(Phonics)		understanding and	vocabulary.	vocabulary.
		Continue with	Word reading	enjoyment.	Anticipate –	Anticipate –
	Word Reading	Sounds-Write.	(Phonics)		where appropriate	where appropriate
	(Phonics)	Develop phonological	Continue with	Word reading	<ul> <li>key events in</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>key events in</li> </ul>
	Begin Initial Code of	awareness to spot	Sounds-Write.	(Phonics)	stories.	stories.
	'Sounds-Write'	rhymes, count or clap	Begin to read a few	Continue with		
	phonics programme.	syllables in a word,	high frequency	Sounds-Write.	Word reading	Word reading
		recognise words with	words within	Begin to learn	(Phonics)	(Phonics)
	Writing	same initial sound.	Sounds Write	some sounds are	Continue with	Continue with
	Children to	Begin to bring home	scheme	written with 2	Sounds Write and	Sounds Write and
	experiment with	Sounds-Write		different letters (2	consolidate	consolidate
	mark making and	readers.	Writing	letters 1 sound).	phonological	phonological
	writing patterns in		Spell words by	Read a few high	knowledge.	knowledge.
	different forms.	Writing	identifying the	frequency words	Read aloud simple	Read aloud simple
	Give meaning to	Begin to form some	sounds and then	within Sounds	sentences and	sentences and
	different marks.	lower case and	writing the sound	Write scheme.	books that are	books that are
	Write their name.	capital letters	with letter/s.		consistent with	consistent with
	The Colour Monster –	accurately.	Goldilocks and the	Writing	their phonic	their phonic
	Information piece	The Leaf Thief – Story	Three Bears –	Write short	knowledge.	knowledge.
	(teacher scribed).	Map.	descriptive writing.	sentences with		
				known sound-	Writing	Writing
				letter	Write recognisable	Write recognisable
				correspondences	letters, most of	letters, most of
				using a capital	which are	which are
				letter and full	correctly formed.	correctly formed.
				stop. Re-read		

Maths	Counting Rhymes.	Counting Rhymes.	Counting Rhymes.	what they have written to check that it makes sense. The Very Hungry Caterpillar – Information text and sentence structure. Counting Rhymes.	Write simple phrases and sentences that can be read by others. Handa's Surprise – descriptive writing. Counting Rhymes.	Write simple phrases and sentences that can be read by others The Big Book of the Blue – class version.
Number (NCETM Mastering Number programme)	Subitise (recognising quantities without counting) within 3. Count confidently to 10. Create own patterns for numbers within 4. Practise using fingers to represent quantities children can subitise. Develop cardinality (the last number counted gives the number in the whole set). Strategies to support accurate counting. Compose numbers to 4.	Subitise within 5. Explore cardinality within 5. Begin to count beyond 10 and recognise corresponding numerals. Begin to explore concept of 'whole' and 'part'. Compare groups and introduce term 'equal'.	Increase confidence within subitising. Develop counting to 20 and beyond. Use fingers to represent quantities between 5 and 10. Develop understanding of ordering numbers. Begin to see that numbers within 10 can be composed of '5 and a bit'. Explore ways of making unequal groups equal.	Explore symmetrical patterns, linking this to doubles. Explore composition of odd and even numbers. Begin to link even numbers to doubles. Begin to explore composition of numbers within 10. Compare numbers giving reasons for which is more/less.	Use subitising to explain '1 more' or doubles patterns. Be encouraged to identify when it is appropriate to count and when groups can be subitised. Continue to develop counting beyond 20, including counting from different starting numbers. Continue to explore composition of numbers to 10. Order groups of objects.	Introduce Rekenreks. In this half-term, children will consolidate their understanding of concepts previously taught through working in a variety of contexts and with different numbers.

Shape, Space and	Begin to compare	Use time language	Compare mass.	Explore 3D shapes	Match and	Recognise and use
Measure	groups and use	such as: day, night,	Compare capacity	using language	recreate simple	a 1p coin.
	language such as	today, tomorrow,	and use language	such as: sides,	shape and colour	Introduce clocks –
	'more than' and	before, after etc.	such as: full, empty	corners, straight,	patterns.	big hand points to
	'fewer than'.	Identify and describe	etc.	flat, round.	Compose and	12 it is O'clock.
	Explore positional	circles, triangles,	Compare length	ABB/AAB repeated	decompose	
	language e.g.	squares and	and use language	patterns.	shapes inc	
	'behind' 'next to'.	rectangles.	such as: longer,		Tangrams.	
	Make simple AB		shorter etc.			
	patterns.					
Understanding the	Past and Present	Past and Present	Past and Present	Past and Present	Past and Present	Past and Present
World	Begin to make sense	Compare toys given	Compare and	Compare and	Talk about the	Talk about the
	of own life story and	at Christmas in past	contrast characters	contrast	lives of the people	lives of the people
	identifying family	to present day.	from stories	characters from	around them and	around them and
	members.		(Traditional Tales)	stories including	their roles in	their roles in
	Look into and discuss		including figures	figures from the	society (People	society (People
	the history of our	People, Culture and	from the past.	past.	who help us).	who help us).
	school.	Communities				RNLI visitor.
	Victorian day.	Recognise that	People, Culture	People, Culture	People, Culture	The seaside long
		people have different	and Communities	and Communities	and Communities	ago.
	People, Culture and	beliefs and celebrate	Show interest in	Understand that	Describe their	
	Communities	special times in	different	some places are	immediate	People, Culture
	Talk about members	different ways. Focus	occupations	special to	environment using	and Communities
	of their immediate	on Diwali and	(people who help	members of their	knowledge from	Describe their
	family and	Christmas.	us). Continue	community.	observation,	immediate
	community. Name		developing	Recognise some	discussion, stories,	environment using
	and describe people	The Natural World	positive attitudes	similarities and	non-fiction texts	knowledge from
	who are familiar to	Use all their senses in	about the	differences	and maps.	observation,
	them.	hands on exploration	differences	between life in	Know some	discussion, stories,
		of natural materials.	between people.	this country and	similarities and	non-fiction texts
		Talk about the	Draw information	life in other	differences	and maps.
		differences between	from a simple map.	countries.	between different	

	matarials and	The Network Merid	The Network Merid	roligious and	Know come
The Natural World	materials and	The Natural World	The Natural World	religious and	Know some
Explore the natural	changes they notice.	Plant seeds and	Signs of Spring.	cultural	similarities and
world around them.	Focus on Autumnal	care for growing	Begin to	communities in	differences
Describe what they	changes.	plants (Bury	understand the	this country.	between different
see, hear and feel	Harvest.	Rangers).	need to respect	Explain some	religious and
whilst outside.		Recognise some	and care for the	similarities and	cultural
Know there are	R.E.	environments that	natural	differences	communities in
different countries in	Why do Christians	are different to the	environment and	between life in	this country.
the world and talk	perform nativity	one in which they	all living things.	this country and	Explain some
about the differences	plays at Christmas?	live.	Understand the	life in other	similarities and
they have		Understand the	key features of the	countries (link to	differences
experienced or seen		effects of the	life cycle of a plant	Amazing Africa).	between life in
in photos.	Bury Rangers	changing seasons	and an animal.	Africa day.	this country and
	Focus: leaves,	on the natural	Changes of state –		life in other
R.E.	hibernation and ice	world around them	melting chocolate.	The Natural	countries (link to
Why is the word God	(changes in states of	(Winter).		World	The Big Blue).
so important to	matter).		Trip to local farm.	Explore the	
Christians? Links to	Nursery rhymes.			natural world	The Natural
religious leaders and		R.E.	R.E.	around them,	World
important figures.		How can we help	Why do Christians	making	Signs of Summer.
		others when they	put a cross in an	observations and	Explore the
Trip to Bury Church.		need it?	Easter garden?	drawing pictures	natural world
			_	of animals and	around them,
Bury Rangers		Bury Rangers	Bury Rangers	plants (link to sea	making
Focus: rain and		Focus: Winter and	Focus: Insects and	life and creatures).	observations and
puddles.		Traditional Tales	life cycles.	Know some	drawing pictures
Nursery rhymes.		theme.	Nursery rhymes.	similarities and	of animals and
		Nursery rhymes.		differences	plants.
				between the	Know some
				natural world	similarities and
				around them and	differences
				contrasting	between the
				environments.	natural world

					<b>R.E.</b> What makes every single person	around them and contrasting environments.
					unique and	Trip to the
					precious?	seaside.
					Bury Rangers	
					Focus: Bee hives	R.E.
					and pollination.	How can we care
					Nursery rhymes.	for our wonderful world?
						Bury Rangers
						Focus: The Sun
						and shadows.
						Nursery rhymes.
Expressive Arts	Creating with	Creating with	Creating with	Creating with	Creating with	Creating with
and Design	Materials	Materials	Materials	Materials	Materials	Materials
	Make imaginative	Take part in simple	Develop own ideas	Create	Safely use a	Safely use a
	and complex 'small	pretend play, using	and decide which	collaboratively	variety of	variety of
	worlds' with blocks	an object to	materials to use to	sharing ideas,	materials, tools	materials, tools
	and construction kits. Show different	represent something else.	express them. Join different materials	resources and skills. Begin to	and techniques,	and techniques,
	emotions in their		together and	draw with some	experimenting with colour,	experimenting with colour,
	drawings.	Use drawing to represent ideas like	explore different	detail e.g.	design, texture,	design, texture,
	Explore colour and	movement or loud	textures.	representing a	form and function.	form and function.
	colour mixing.	noises.	textures.	face.	Share their	Share their
		101505.	Being Imaginative		creations,	creations,
	Being Imaginative	Being Imaginative	and Expressive	Being Imaginative	explaining the	explaining the
	and Expressive	and Expressive	Create their own	and Expressive	process they have	process they have
	Listen with increased	Sing in a group or on	songs or	Invent, adapt and	used.	used.
	attention to sounds.	their own,	improvise/change	recount narratives	Make use of props	Make use of props
		increasingly matching		and stories with	and materials	and materials

Respond to what they have heard, expressing their	the pitch and following the melody (Nursery rhymes and	a song or rhyme already known. Music with Mr	peers (link to key texts). Music with Mr	when role playing characters in narratives and	when role playing characters in narratives and
thoughts and feelings.	Music). Music with Mr Mott.	Mott.	Mott.	stories.	stories.
Remember and sing		Role Play area	Role play area	Being Imaginative	Being Imaginative
entire songs.	Role play area	Traditional Tale	Garden Centre	and Expressive	and Expressive
Music with Mr Mott.	Christmas Post Office/Grotto	theme		Invent, adapt and recount narratives	Invent, adapt and recount narratives
Role play area				and stories with	and stories with
Home Corner/Cafe				peers (link to key	peers (link to key
				texts).	texts).
				Music with Mr	Music with Mr
				Mott.	Mott.
				Role play area	Role play area
				On Safari	Under the Sea