

Personal, Social and Emotional Development

SEAL: Getting on and falling out.

R.E: Special people from the Bible and the Nativity.

Making independent choices and exploring the consequences of our choices.

Talking about the meanings and morals of stories and relating them to real life situations

Literacy

Writing in different forms: sequencing, labelling and writing sentences to describe something.

Daily Phonics and reading

Reading books will be changed on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Understanding the World

Animal habitats – the jungle, the sea, wildlife and the zoo

Exploring the animals that live in these habitats

Looking at the life cycles of animals

Exploring building materials

ICT: becoming confident in using the different components of the laptops



Reception: Autumn 2 Animals and Christmas

Mathematics

Physical hands on approach

2-D and 3-D shapes, using appropriate names and discussing sides and corners and further developing mathematical language

Communication and Language

Listening to others and responding to ideas expressed by others with increased attention span

Following two part instructions

Exploring the meaning of new words and sounds

Organising and sequencing ideas to help clarify thinking

Talking about feelings and events

Physical Development

Outside play and a variety of fine motor skills activities

P.E. lessons

Dressing and undressing independently

Listening to instructions and using space safely

Dance and movement drawing inspiration from animals

Expressive Arts and Design

Create pictures of animals from the jungle, sea, wildlife and the zoo

Creating animal habitats through individual and collaborative arts projects

Music and singing

Making props for use in role-play

Expressing feelings through dance and movement