## Medium Term Planning 1a

#### Homes - Now and Then

Week 1 – 3: Settling in & baselines. Whole School Theme: Oliver Twist.

Week 4 – 5: The Three Little Pigs.

Week 6 - 7: Goldilocks & the Three Bears.

### Prime Areas of Learning

# Personal, Social and Emotional Development

#### Start to say how they are feeling, using words as well as actions. Develop pretend play. Listen to simple stories and understand what is happening, with the help of the pictures. Identify familiar objects and properties for practitioners when they are described. Understand and act on longer sentences like 'make teddy jump' or 'find your coat'. Understand simple questions about 'who', 'what' and 'where'. Use a wider range of vocabulary. Sing a large repertoire of songs. (3-4). Understand how to listen carefully and why listening is important. Learn new vocabulary. Ask questions to find out more and to check they understand what has been said to them. Articulate their ideas and thoughts in wellformed sentences. Engage in story times. Learn rhymes, poems and songs. Engage in nonfiction books. (Rec)

#### Activities

# Communication and Language

Develop friendships with other children. Safely explore emotions beyond their normal range through play and stories. Learn to use the toilet with help, and then independently. (Birth to 3) Select and use activities and resources, with help when needed. This helps them to achieve a goal they have chosen, or one which is suggested to them. Increasingly follow rules, understanding why they are important. (3-4).

See themselves as a valuable individual. Build constructive and respectful relationships. Express their feelings and consider the feelings of others. (Rec)

#### **Activities**

Daily Phonics Sessions
Daily Story Sessions — answering questions,
retelling stories
Nursery Rhyme Time
Story and Rhyme time
Nursery Rhyme baskets
Key texts

#### Physical Development

Continue to develop their movement, balancing, riding (scooters, trikes and bikes) and ball skills. Go up steps and stairs, or climb up apparatus, using alternate feet. Skip, hop, stand on one leg and hold a pose for a game like musical statues. Use large-muscle movements to wave flags and streamers, paint and make marks. Choose the right resources to carry out their own plan. Use one-handed tools and equipment, for example, making snips in paper with scissors. (3-4) Revise and refine the fundamental movement skills they have already acquired: - rolling walking - running - skipping - crawling - jumping hopping – climbing. Develop their small motor skills so that they can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently. Use their core muscle strength to achieve a good posture when sitting at a table or sitting on the floor. (Rec)

#### Activities

Squiggle Whilst You Wiggle

Zones of Regulation Emotions display – how	Conversation – modelled by adults	Dough Disco
do you feel today?	Our big school family	Name writing
Getting to know you activities.	Our class family	PE — whole class
Friendship activities and books.	Our home family	
Sharing activities and books.	Themed Songs/Nursery Rhymes:	
	Humpty Dumpty	
	The Grand old Duke of York	
	Little Miss Muffet	
	I'm a little teapot	
	Oranges and Lemons	
Specific Areas of Learning		

# Notice some print, such as the first letter of their name, a bus or door number, or a familiar logo. Enjoy drawing freely. Add some marks to their drawings, which they give meaning to. Make marks on their picture to stand for their name. (Birth to 3) Understand the five key concepts

picture to stand for their name. (Birth to 3)
Understand the five key concepts about print: - print has meaning - print can have different purposes - we read English text from left to right and from top to bottom - the names of the different parts of a book - page sequencing. (3-4)
Write some or all of their name.
Write some letters accurately. (3-4)

## Mathematics

Climb and squeeze themselves into

different types of spaces. Build with a range of resources. Complete inset puzzles. Compare sizes, weights etc. using gesture and language - 'bigger/ little/smaller', 'high/low', 'tall', 'heavy'. Notice patterns and arrange things in patterns. (Birth to 3) Develop fast recognition of up to 3 objects, without having to count them individually ('subitising'). Recite numbers past 5. Show 'finger numbers' up to 5. (3-4) Count objects, actions and sounds. Subitise. Link the number symbol (numeral) with its cardinal number

# Understanding the World

Make connections between the features of their family and other families. Notice differences between people. (Birth to 5)
Use all their senses in hands-on exploration of natural materials.
Explore collections of materials with similar and/or different properties.
Talk about what they see, using a wide vocabulary. Explore how things work. (3-4)
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# Expressive Arts and Design

Enjoy and take part in action songs. Start to develop pretend play, pretending that one object represents another. Explore different materials, using all their senses to investigate them. Manipulate and play with different materials. Use their imagination as they consider what they can do with different materials. Make simple models which express their ideas. (Birth to 3)

Take part in simple pretend play,

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Read individual letters by saying the sounds for them. Blend sounds into words, so that they can read short words made up of known letter sound correspondences. (Rec)

Phonics FFT – Success for all Phonics Phase 1

Oliver Twist (whole school) The Three Little Pigs Goldilocks & the Three Bears

#### **Activities**

Re-telling stories. Black Pen Drawings. Ordering story with picture prompts.

Acting out story with masks & puppets. Re-enacting the character's repeated refrains.

Name Recognition and name hunts

Name Writing

Rhyme Books

Story Sacks

Mark Making Books

Instructions on how to build/fix the houses. Retelling the story and their own version of Three Little Pigs. Wanted poster.

value. Count beyond ten. Compare numbers. (Rec)

#### **Activities**

Sizing activities Weighing activities Measuring activities

Counting songs - Nursery Rhyme baskets

Explore the natural world around them. Describe what they see, hear and feel whilst outside. (Rec)

#### Activities

World maps and local maps.

Comparing Victorian era with now homes / lifestyles, past and present.

Time lines.

\*Children's interests - Dinosaurs 8

cavemen- past

Exploring a variety of different materials using senses – feely boxes/bags.

what to make. Listen with increased attention to sounds. Remember and sing entire songs. (3-4)

Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings. Sing in a group or on their own, increasingly matching the pitch and following the melody. Develop storylines in their pretend play. Explore and engage in music making and dance, performing solo or in groups. (Rec)

#### **Activities**

Building houses/ buildings construction. Using a variety of different materials. Tuff tray indoor and out.

All about me activities- what I like, don't like.

Self-portraits - mirrors.

Menu methods for preparing		
breakfast.		
Role play — Home corner	Baking/ Cooking —	
Books and photos of Victorian era.	Weeks 1 – 3: Porridge making & comparing.	
Technology over the years: TVs, radios, video player/ dvds, music	Weeks 4 - 5: Decorating biscuits — pig themed (biscuits, icing,	
players/ tapes/ casettes/ records, phones.	marshmallow sweets, laces). Building structures using breadsticks.	
	Weeks 6 – 7: Exploring porridge – different flavours and scents.	
Religious Education Topics from Come and See-	Visits/ Special days	
Nursery: Myself N: God knows and loves me. God knows my name.	Oliver Twist Day (Monday 11 <sup>th</sup> September)	
Welcome N: How we welcome people and God's family through	EY Parent's Welcome/Open Meeting - Monday 18th September	
Baptism.	Year 1 Parent's Welcome/Open Meeting - Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> September	
Judaism N: Know that holidays are special times. Read the story of	Festival of Lights Lunch Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> October	
the oil lamp in the Temple (Hanukkah).	Festival of Lights Disco Thursday 19 <sup>th</sup> October	
Reception: see Year 1 planning	Early Years & Year 6 Buddy Assembly — Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> October	
Life to the full curriculum - RSE		