

### Brougham Early Years Curriculum

When planning please ensure the curriculum is driven by our school drivers – Belonging, Possibilities, Initiative and Confidence

Note – Belonging and Culture – we will also learn about the cultures and beliefs of the children in our cohort

	Preschool	Nursery	Reception	Belonging/Culture (Brougham Curriculum Driver)	Notes
Autumn	<p><b><u>Let's Explore</u></b> Our Nursery Garden Colours Sounds My Body</p> <p><b><u>Topic Question</u></b> What can I do?</p> <p><b><u>Focus Books</u></b> That's not my .....</p>	<p><b><u>Let's Explore</u></b> Our Nursery Garden/Our School Colours and shapes Instruments Movement</p> <p><b><u>Topic Question</u></b> What is around me?</p> <p><b><u>Focus Books</u></b> That's not my .....</p>	<p><b><u>Let's Explore</u></b> Our local Area Our senses</p> <p><b><u>Topic Question</u></b> How can I find out about the world around me?</p> <p><b><u>Focus Author</u></b> Janet and Allan Ahlberg Dr Suss</p>	<p>Autumn Harvest Diwali Bonfire Night Remembrance Day St Andrew's Day (Brougham Curriculum) Christmas</p>	<p>Ensure the curriculum (MTP/STP) is flexible enough to include/reflect</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• the cultures/religions of your cohort i.e. Eid</li> <li>• special events during the year e.g. Olympics etc</li> <li>• school events i.e. Sports Day, Summer Fayre</li> <li>• response to children's interests</li> <li>• response to curriculum need</li> <li>• response to cohort need</li> <li>• response to issues</li> <li>• special unplanned opportunities i.e. visitors, visits</li> </ul>
Spring	<p><b><u>Once upon a time - Nursery Rhymes</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Topic Question</u></b> What is my favourite Nursery Rhyme?</p> <p><b><u>Focus Books</u></b> Nursery Rhymes</p>	<p><b><u>Once upon a time - Nursery Rhymes/Traditional Tales</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Topic Question</u></b> What is my favourite story?</p> <p><b><u>Focus Book</u></b> We're Going on a Bear Hunt</p>	<p><b><u>Once upon a time - Traditional Tales</u></b></p> <p><b><u>Topic Question</u></b> Why do I enjoy stories?</p> <p><b><u>Focus Author</u></b> Julia Donaldson</p>	<p>New Year Winter Chinese New Year Pancake Day St David's Day (Brougham Curriculum) St Patrick's Day (Brougham Curriculum) Mother's day Spring Easter</p>	
Summer	<p><b><u>All Creatures Great and Small</u></b> Minibeasts Pets Farm</p> <p><b><u>Topic Question</u></b> What is my favourite animal?</p> <p><b><u>Focus Books/Author</u></b> Hairy Maclary</p>	<p><b><u>How does your Garden Grow?</u></b> Plants Animals Weather</p> <p><b><u>Topic Question</u></b> Why do we grow things?</p> <p><b><u>Focus Author</u></b> Eric Carle</p>	<p><b><u>People who Help Me</u></b> Teachers Emergency Services People in my community</p> <p><b><u>Topic Question</u></b> Which people are important to me?</p> <p><b><u>Focus Book/Author</u></b> Handa's Surprise Nick Butterworth</p>	<p>Summer St George's Day (Brougham Curriculum) May Day Queen's Birthday Father's Day International Children's Day</p>	
July	<p><b><u>Transition</u></b> All About Me – Why am I special?</p>	<p><b><u>Transition</u></b> All About Me – Why am I special?</p>	<p><b><u>Transition</u></b> All About Me – Why am I special?</p>		

**Movement – Moving and Handling, Exploring and Using Media and Materials/Being Imaginative**

Links to School - PE

	Preschool	Nursery	Reception
Autumn	Dough Disco Let's Explore – Moving our bodies	Dough Disco Let's Explore – Moving in different ways Sensory Movement (ribbons lycra balloons scrunchies bubbles etc)	Ball Skills Obstacle Courses Moving to Music – expressive movement
Spring	Sensory Movement (ribbons lycra balloons scrunchies bubbles etc) Tummy Play	Parachute Ring Games	Dance and Movement Balance and Coordination
Summer	Moving to Music Exploring with balls Sports Day Activities	Moving to Music Exploring with balls Sports Day Activities	Bat and Ball Skills Team Games Sports Day Activities

**Music – Exploring and Using Media and Materials/Being Imaginative**

Links to School - Music

	Preschool	Nursery	Reception
Autumn	Singing Songs Let's Explore - Moving to Music Christmas Sing-a-long preparation	Singing Songs – Nursery Rhymes Beat Baby Let's Explore Instruments – changing sounds Christmas Sing-a-long preparation	Songs and Dances – creating our own songs, songs with actions Let's Explore Instruments – sounds, playing Christmas Sing-a-long preparation
Spring	Singing Songs – Nursery Rhymes Let's Explore Instruments – creating sounds	Singing Songs – Songs from around the World Beat Baby Ring Games	Songs, Music and Dance – creating Listening and Responding to Music – Music from different traditions/cultures
Summer	Singing Songs – Animal Songs Beat Baby	Singing Songs – changing songs and creating our own songs Rhythm – clapping, instruments, creating own rhythm Moving to Music – expressive movement	Rhythm – instruments, copying and creating Sound Effects – animating stories and events

### **Food and Healthy Lifestyles – Health and Self Care**

Links to School – Science, PSE, DT

Note – see also Science Rising Stars Unit 13 – Food of the Seasons

	Preschool	Nursery	Reception
Autumn	Cooking - Milkshakes/drinks (holding a cup) Foods with different textures Looking after myself - Managing own toilet and hygiene needs	Cooking - Milkshakes/drinks/cereal/yoghurts (holding a cup/using a spoon) Looking after myself - Getting dressed	Cooking – (using a knife and fork) Staying Healthy - Teeth
Spring	Cooking - Cereal/yoghurts (using a spoon) Foods with different tastes Looking after myself - Getting dressed	Cooking – Baking cakes Staying Healthy – Exercise, Sleeping	Cooking – Baking biscuits Staying Healthy - Food
Summer	Cooking – Baking cakes Foods with different smells Staying Healthy – Hand Washing	Cooking – (using a knife and fork) Staying Healthy – Hand Washing	Cooking – Fruit Salad Staying Healthy – Exercise

### **People and Communities**

Links to School – RE

Ensure the curriculum (MTP/STP) is flexible enough to include/reflect

- the cultures/religions of your cohort i.e. Eid, special events during the year e.g. Olympics etc, school events i.e. Sports Day, Summer Fayre

	Preschool	Nursery	Reception
Autumn	Me Christmas	Me Christmas	Buildings of Faith in our local area Christmas
Spring	My Family Easter	Birthdays My Family and Friends Easter	Stories about Jesus Easter
Summer	My Friends and Teachers Transition – People who are important to me in School	Occupations and ways of Life Transition – People who are important to me in School	Weddings and Christenings People who help me Transition – People who are important to me in School

## Investigation – The World

Links to School – Science (Rising Stars)

	Preschool – Treasure Baskets	Nursery	Reception	Continuous Units
Autumn	<b><u>Treasure Basket Themes</u></b> Colour Outside Noisy	Sound Collectors (8) Dough Babies (9)	Light Magic (10) Pirates (15)	The Potting Shed (1) Frozen (12) Whatever the Weather (16) Into the Woods (14) <b><u>Visit</u></b>
Spring	Slimy Things (2) <b><u>Treasure Basket Themes</u></b> Slimy Brushes	The Potting Shed (1) Biscuit Bears (18)	Superhero Materials (6) Save the Gingerbread Man (4)	Food of the Seasons (13) Autumn – Pumpkin Soup Winter – Potato Wedges Spring – Super Salads Summer – Handa’s Surprise
Summer	Mud Glorious Mud (3) <b><u>Treasure Basket themes</u></b> Shapes Reflective	Dinosaurs (7) Socks (11)	Pets and Vets (5) Zarg’s World (17)	

## British Values

**Democracy, The Rule of Law, Individual Liberty, Mutual Respect and Tolerance**

	Preschool	Nursery	Reception
Autumn	<b><u>The rule of Law</u></b> Listening Sharing	<b><u>The Rule of Law</u></b> Taking turns and Sharing Right and Wrong	<b><u>The Rule of Law</u></b> Class and School Rules Rule of Law – Police Feelings and Emotions
Spring	<b><u>Democracy</u></b> Belonging - Part of a Family Listening	<b><u>Democracy</u></b> Belonging - Part of Group and Class Taking turns and Sharing	<b><u>Democracy</u></b> Belonging – Part of School and Community Feelings and Emotions
Summer	<b><u>Mutual Respect and Tolerance</u></b> Visitors from the local community (including school) International Children’s Day	<b><u>Mutual Respect and Tolerance</u></b> Visitors from the local community and family members e.g. diff types of family units International Children’s Day	<b><u>Mutual Respect and Tolerance</u></b> Values and Beliefs Visitors of different occupations – (People who help Us) International Children’s Day

## Technology

**Links to School – Computing**

	Preschool	Nursery	Reception
Autumn	Cause and Effect - Toys	Movable Toys	Photographs/Video Computer Program - Drawing
Spring	Cause and Effect - Stories	Cameras Sound Devices	Computer Program – Games Everyday Technology
Summer	Movable Toys	IPAD - Games	Recording Events/Stories Communication – email, blogs vlogs etc

**Art and DT****Links to School – Art, DT**

	Preschool	Nursery	Reception
Autumn	Body Art	Transient Art	Maths through Art – Mondrian, Kandinsky Artist Focus - Mondrian, Kandinsky Junk Modelling
Spring	Finger Painting	Sculpture Junk Modelling	Artist Focus - Monet Drawing/Painting
Summer	Colour Exploration	Colour Mixing Drawing	African Art Sculpture Artist Focus – Andy Goldsworthy

**PSE****Links to School – PSE**

	Preschool	Nursery	Reception
Autumn	<b><u>Rules and Responsibilities</u></b> Listening Looking after our things	<b><u>Rules and Responsibilities</u></b> Turn Taking and Sharing Tidying Up	<b><u>Rules and Responsibilities</u></b> Class and School Rules Rule of Law – Police Emotions and Feeling
Spring	<b><u>Healthy Living</u></b> Getting dressed Exercise <b><u>Healthy Eating</u></b> Food with different tastes - fruit	<b><u>Healthy Living</u></b> Exercise Sleeping <b><u>Healthy Eating</u></b> Trying different and new foods	<b><u>Healthy Living</u></b> Personal Hygiene including teeth cleaning <b><u>Healthy Eating</u></b> Staying Healthy – Healthy Diet Tasting foods from the different food groups
Summer	<b><u>Relationships</u></b> Sharing Taking Turns	<b><u>Relationships</u></b> Friendships Being Kind	<b><u>Relationships</u></b> Lucinda and Godfrey Friendships Values and Beliefs