



GREENSIDE FILM FACTORY
Changing Places - Breaking Boundaries!
 Curriculum overview - Early Years Foundation Stage
 2021-2022

Autumn Term 1:

Reception:

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Theme:	The Magic School Bus	Hospitals - Doctors and Nurses	Vets	Police	Firefighters	Postal Service	Teachers & The Magic School Bus
Maths:	Number Recognition and Sequencing	Measurement	Weight and Capacity	Positional Language & Directional Language	Teen Numbers	Adding	Subtracting
Writing:	Big Write	Write a Prescription	Labels & Captions	Speech Bubbles	Writing Simple Sentences	Writing Letters and Postcards	Drawing & Labelling London Underground Map
STEAM Projects:		Making Medicine 'Potions'		Bee Bots	Design and Build a Fire Engine		
Literacy Core Text:	The Magic School Bus	Doc McStuffins	Six Dinner Sid	Police Officers on Patrol	The Great Fire of London	Postman Pat	The Naughty Bus

Nursery:

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Theme:	The Magic School Bus	Hospitals - Doctors and Nurses	Vets	Police	Firefighters	Postal Service	Teachers & The Magic School Bus
Maths:	Baseline Assessments	Size Ordering	Heavy & Light	Positional Language	Number Recognition	Match a Quantity to a Numeral	2D Shapes
Writing:	Big Write	Name Recognition and Writing	Write a Prescription	Repeating Phrases, Rhyme and Alliteration	Label the Fire Engine	Writing Letters and Postcards	Film Review
STEAM Projects:		Making Medicine 'Potions'		Building Bridges			
Literacy Core Text:	The Magic School Bus	Topsy & Tim go to the Doctor	Six Dinner Sid	Police Officers on Patrol	Flashing Fire Engines	Postman Pat	The Naughty Bus

Autumn Term 2

Reception:

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Theme:	Film: Percy Halloween	Percy Park Keeper	Autumn	Magic Faraway Tree	Jungles	Native animals	Christmas
Maths:	Adding	Ordering, 1 more and 1 less	Money	3D shapes	Length and Height	Subtraction	Teen numbers
Writing:	Label a Jack o Lantern	List of jobs for Percy	Things we like about Autumn	Writing about the land we would visit in Magic Faraway Tree	Say no to Palm Oil poster	Letter to the Elf	Nativity characters
STEM:	Jack O Lantern rotting observations	Checking soil health	Classifying leaves	Designing a fairy house	Measuring the age of trees	Making habitats	

Nursery:

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Theme:	Halloween	Percy Park Keeper	Autumn	The Tiny Seed	Jungles	The Gruffalo	Christmas
Maths:	Counting and adding	1 more, 1 less	Money	2D and 3D shapes	Length and Height	Subtraction	Counting and adding
STEM:	Jack-O-Lantern Rot Observation	Growing Cress	Observing & Classifying Autumn Leaves	Planting Seeds	Measuring Trees in the garden		

Spring Term 1:

Reception:

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Theme:	Film - Blue Planet II - Plastic	Turtles	Coral Reefs	Deep Sea	Polar Exploration	Whales
Maths:	Money (Plastic bag charges)	Teen numbers	Adding	Subtraction	Time	Length and Height
Writing:	(Somebody Swallowed Stanley) Retell the story	Turtle life-cycle	Repetitive sentences (A shark lives on a reef. An octopus lives on a reef.)	Labelling creatures	Ernest Shackleton diary entry	Dear Greenpeace letter
STEM:	Recycling and sorting materials	Lifecycles	Floating and Sinking experiments		Melting and changing states	Measuring a Blue Whale

Nursery:

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Theme:	Ocean Animals	Moana	PSED	Pirates	New Zealand & Moari Culture	Environmental Concerns: -plastic in the ocean -coral reef bleaching
Literacy Core Text:	Commotion in the Ocean	Moana	The Rainbow Fish	Captain Pike Looks After the Baby	Maui and the Sun	Somebody Swallowed Stanley
Maths:	Money	Sequencing Numbers	Adding	Subtraction	Time	Length and Height
STEM:		Floating and Sinking experiments		Building rafts and boats		Observing melting and changing states of water

Spring Term 2:**Reception:**

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Theme:	Film - Wall-E	Robots	Solar System	Astronauts and Rockets	Earth	Aliens
Maths:	Addition	Shapes	Halving	Weight	Subtraction	Counting in 2's
Writing:	Labelling	Speech bubbles	Planet facts	Captioning	'About me' writing to send into space.	Writing alien names
STEM:		Programming robots	Magnets	Gravity experiments	Recycled bird feeder	Data handling from our moon journal

Nursery:

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Theme:	Wall-E	Robots	Solar System	Astronauts and rockets	Earth	Aliens
Literacy Core Text:	Film language	Boy + Bot	StoryBots and Planet facts	There's no Place Like Space	Here We Are	Aliens Love Underpants
Maths:	Adding - more, plus	2D shapes	Sharing/Equal amounts	Weight - heavy or light	Subtraction - taking away, less	Counting and Matching Pairs
STEM:		Designing and Building Robots	Moon Journal Observations	Gravity Experiments	Growing Bean Sprouts	Invisible Ink

Summer Term 1:

Reception:

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Theme:	Film: Bee Movie All minibeasts	Bees	Ladybirds	Caterpillars	Snails	Butterflies
Maths:	Teen numbers/place value	One more one less	Adding	Days of the Week	Subtraction	Symmetry
Writing:	Captioning stills from The Bee Movie	Writing signs for the bees	Why the ladybird is cross	Writing invitations to the ball	Ugly Bug Ball recount	Writing adjectives to describe a butterfly
STEM:	Make a spider web	Planting wildflowers/garden diary	Designing and building a bug hotel	Making lifecycle of a butterfly video		

Nursery:

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
Theme:	All minibeasts	Bees	Ladybirds	Caterpillars	Snails	Butterflies
Literacy Core Text:	Mad About Minibeasts	The Bumble Bear	The Grouchy Ladybug	The Very Hungry Caterpillar	The Snail and the Whale	Gotta Go! Gotta Go!
Maths:	Maths: 1:1 counting	Ordering numbers & number recognition	Adding - more, plus	Days of the Week	Subtraction - take away, less	Shapes
STEM:		Planting wildflowers	Make a bug hotel	Observing & Recording the Lifecycle of a Butterfly		Setting free the butterflies

Summer Term 2:

Reception:

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Theme:	Film: The Lorax Oliver's Vegetables	The Shopping Basket	Handa's Surprise	Farmer Duck	The World Came to my Place	The Little Red Hen	Celebration
Maths:	Sharing and halving	Counting in 2's	Money subtraction	3D shapes	Length and Height	Adding	Celebration
Writing:	Journey of food, Re-writing/recalling a	Shopping List, I went shopping and I	Which animal stole which fruit?	What does a Farmer do?	Favourite/Least foods,	Story retelling	Celebration

	day of the week from the book	bought..., What did Steven buy?					
STEM:	Sorting vegetables			Duck diary	Growing veggie scraps	Cooking	Celebration

Nursery:

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Core Text:	Oliver's Vegetables	The Shopping Basket	Handa's Surprise	Farmer Duck	The Tiger Who Came to Tea	The Little Red Hen	Celebration
Literacy:	My favourite food is...	Writing a shopping list	Which animal stole which fruit?	What does a farmer do?	Retelling the Story	Character Speech Bubbles	Celebration
Maths:	Repeating Patterns	Money	Subtraction	2D and 3D shapes	Length and Height	Addition	Celebration
STEM:	Growing bean sprouts	Observing Decaying Food	Observing and Tasting the food from Handa's Surprise	Duck Observation Diary	Cooking	Popcorn Experiment	Celebration