# **Communication and Language**

WALT Listen carefully and know why listening is important. WALT Learn new vocabulary and use it through the day.

WALT Ask questions to find out more and to check I understand what has been said to me.

WALT Describe events in some detail.

WALT Use talk to help work out problems and organise thinking and activities, and to explain how things work and why they might happen.

WALT Listen to and talk about stories to build familiarity and understanding.

WALT Retell the story, once I have developed a deep familiarity with the text, some as exact repetition and some in my own words.

WALT Learn rhymes, poems and songs.

WALT Engage in non-fiction books.

WALT Listen to and talk about selected non-fiction to develop a deep familiarity with new knowledge and vocabulary

# Literacy

WALT Read individual letters by saying the phonemes. WALT Blend phonemes into words, so that I can read short words made up of known graphemes.

WALT Read some digraphs and trigraphs and say sounds for them.

WALT Begin to recognise common exception words and crafty words

WALT Read simple phrases and sentences made up of words with known graphemes and, where necessary, a few exception words.

WALT Re-read my reading books to build up my confidence in word reading, my fluency and my understanding and enjoyment.

WALT Form lower-case and capital letters correctly. WALT Spell words by identifying the phonemes and then writing the graphemes.

# Personal, Social and Emotional Development

WALT See myself as a valuable individual.

WALT Build constructive and respectful relationships. WALT Express my feelings and consider the feelings of others.

WALT Show resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge.

WALT Identify and moderate my own feelings socially and emotionally.

WALT Think about the perspectives of others.
WALT Manage my own needs. - Personal hygiene.
WALT Know and talk about the different factors that
support my overall health and wellbeing – in particular,
having a good sleep routine.

# SPRING TERM 1 Activities Starry, starry night – What happens when I fall asleep? Reception

#### **Mathematics**

WALT Count beyond 10.

WALT Compare numbers.

WALT Understand the 'one more than/one less than' relationship between consecutive numbers.

WALT Explore the composition of numbers to 10.

WALT Automatically recall number bonds for numbers 0-5 and some to 10

WALT Continue, copy and create repeating patterns. WALT Compare length, weight and capacity

# **Physical Development**

WALT Revise and refine the fundamental movement skills I have already acquired: - rolling - walking - running - skipping - crawling - jumping - hopping - climbing WALT Progress towards a more fluent style of moving, with developing control and grace.

WALT Develop the overall body strength, co-ordination, balance and agility needed to engage successfully with future physical education sessions and other physical disciplines including dance, gymnastics, sport and swimming.

WALT Develop my fine motor skills so that I can use a range of tools competently, safely and confidently.

### **Understanding the World**

WALT Talk about members of my immediate family and community.

WALT Name and describe people who are familiar to me.

WALT Understand that some places are special to members of my community.

WALT Recognise that people have different beliefs and celebrate special times in different ways. WALT Recognise some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries.

WALT Explore the natural world around me. WALT Describe what I see, hear and feel whilst outside.

WALT Recognise some environments that are different to the one in which I live.

WALT Understand the effect of changing seasons on the natural world around me.

#### Being different and equal

WALT Be able to talk about what it means to be different and what it means to be similar. WALT Use and understand the words: Different, Similar, Unique, Tradition, Culture and Communities WALT Understand what a community is and the different jobs people hold within the community WALT Understand that there a variety of things they can aspire to be when they grow up.

## **Expressive Arts and Design**

WALT Explore, use and refine a variety of artistic effects to express their ideas and feelings. WALT Return to and build on my previous learning, refining ideas and developing my ability to represent them.

WALT Create collaboratively, sharing ideas, resources and skills.

WALT Listen attentively, move to and talk about music, expressing my feelings and responses.
WALT Watch and talk about dance and performance art, expressing my feelings and responses.
WALT Sing in a group or on my own, increasingly matching the pitch and following the melody.
WALT Develop storylines in my pretend play.
WALT Explore and engage in music making and dance, performing solo or in groups.