









EY C360 Little Otters

Long Term Themes 2021 2022



	Stewardship of the Land and Sky Autumn		Social Injustice - Inspiring Changemakers Spring		Service Summer	
Focus Virtues	Thinking about myself Being Friendly Being Generous	Having a go Being Creative	Waiting my turn Problem Solving Aiming High	Forgiving others Being Helpful	Having confidence Caring for others	Having good manners Being honest Thinking about myself
Theme	All About Me/ Once Upon a Time	Light Up the Sky	Our Heroes	ROAR!	Time for a Jubilee	Sunshine and Sunflowers
Changemaker Challenges	Learning a new skill Cooking to celebrate Harvest and prepare for the Soup Share 	Learning songs/poems for our festive presentations 	Creating a display Or shared book about our learning 	Mini Preschool Fundraiser/Dress Up Day to raise money 	Trip out linked to learning theme 	Helping with a school based project 
Memorable Moments	Harvest Autumn Walks Making Bread Big Soup Share	Diwali Bonfire Night Remembrance Children In Need Christingle Christmas	Chinese New Year Valentines Pancake Day	Fair Trade Fortnight World Book Day Spring Walks Easter	Adventure out with parents. Queens Jubilee -school street parties	Summer Walks Sports Day
Core Texts	The Little Red Hen The Gingerbread Man The Enormous Turnip Mr Wolf's Pancakes Oliver's Vegetables The Three Little Pigs	Owl Babies Whatever Next The Blue Balloon I'm a Little Firework How to Catch a Star Q Pootle 5 10 little aliens	Supertato Little People Big Dreams series Info books about people who help us	Dinosaur Roar Amazing Animals Animals that Roar	The Queen's Hat Paddington Katie in London Grand Old Duke	Sam plants a sunflower Jack and the Beanstalk Jaspers Beanstalk

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Explorers and Active Learners	Learning and retelling traditional stories and nursery rhymes. Finding out about where our food comes from. Sorting/Comparing	Learning about festivals of light. Exploring the Galaxy/Space. Asking Questions	Finding out about people who help us. Using our imaginations and creating our own superheroes and superhero stories	Investigating amazing animals. Learning about growing and changing/baby animals.	Going on a journey. How will we get to London to see the Queen? Naming, describing transport and our journeys.	Naming and describing seasonal changes, exploring different plants and the natural world.
Relation ship Builders	Who Am I - who is special to me and what do I enjoy Establishing routines and friendships What does it mean to be a good friend? How can I help people around me?	Making own choices, being independent. Playing collaboratively and problem solving when things get difficult.	Finding ways to solve real life problems to help others How can I wait my turn? How can I wait patiently?.	Being an inspiring changemaker - how can we help fundraise? What is fairtrade? How will I use kind words to others?	How will I make sure others are heard? Sharing ideas and plans. Negotiating and resolving conflicts.	Why should we tell the truth? Why is it important to say please and thankyou?
Creative and Critical Thinkers	Finding out how bread is made, Solving problems for the traditional story characters. Designing and making a healthy snack for the Soup Share.	Experimenting with colour. Sensory experiments. What are shadows? How could we get to the moon?	Designing and Making heroes capes and gadgets. Exploring how we can help others - what can we make to do a helpful job? Links with recycling.	How will we care for animals around the world? How can we care for nature in our garden? Bird food/feeders - nature trails and natural material explorations. Tadpole diary.	Creating decorations for the Queens Jubilee Street Party. Designing a banquet/food for the party.	Caring for our garden. Designing our new outside areas - Creating spaces and evolving ideas.
Carers of Our World	Being thankful for the Harvest. Exploring healthy food and cooking. Learning about where our food comes from. Looking after our gardens. Donating food to the food bank	Making gifts for local Nursing homes. Looking after space/sorting recycling/space waste	Exploring jobs of people in our local community - how do they help us? How can we help our school and local community?	How can we care for living things. Exploring animals around the world, vets, how can we care for animals when they are hurt?	How will we get there? What do we need to fix a broken wheel? Can we make a car wash?	How can we make our garden grow? What happens when the sun shines? Where is my shadow?