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Curriculum Information Letter – Nursery 2025-2026 – Spring 2

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back after the half-term break. This half-term our learning will be focused around the farm.

Curriculum Plan for 2025-2026 – Spring 2	
Communication and Language	This half-term we will be listening to longer stories and developing our attention skills. We will be developing our attention skills to maintain focus on activities that we choose and on adult-led activities. We will be developing our listening skills and our responses, using the word 'because' to give a reason. We will begin to retell stories, using props, pictures and resources to support.
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	When we return to school, we will focus on redeveloping our routines and rules in the classroom. We will be focusing our PSED circle times around sharing, playing together and discussing what makes a good friend.
Physical Development	In PE, we will continue with our gymnastics topic with Coach Rae. In the outdoor area, we will be focusing on ball control, kicking balls, dribbling balls around cones and throwing balls into the net. We will be building obstacle courses, where we have to balance and negotiate space carefully. In the classroom, we will continue with daily fine motor practice such as threading, playdough and weaving.
Religious Education	This half-term, our core concept is 'Salvation' around the big question 'What is so special about Easter?' We will explore questions such as 'What was the donkey's special job?', 'What was special about Jesus' meal with his friends?', 'Why did Jesus go to a special garden?', 'Why is the cross special?', 'What is special about the stone?' and 'What is so special about Easter?'
Literacy	In Literacy, we will be sequencing stories, writing lists and wanted posters. We will continue with listening and singing nursery rhymes in class and continue Phase 1 phonics listening games.
Maths	In maths, we will continue looking at the numbers 4 and 5 before looking at height, length, mass and capacity.
Understanding the World	We will be looking at different habitats that animals live in and learning more about the life cycles of different animals. We will continue to observe seasonal changes as we progress into spring and observe the new life around us. We will also learn about the Christian Celebration of Easter, through our RE lessons.
Expressive Arts and Design	We will continue to have our weekly music lessons with Steffi on a Monday afternoon. In the outside area, we will continue to have access to a range of musical instruments and costumes to perform our own shows.

Thank you for your continued support
 Michael and Bernie
 EYFS Team