

St Thomas of Canterbury – MTP – Summer 1

Core Texts

The Lion Inside

Elmer

Dear Zoo

The Rainbow Fish

Reading for Pleasure Texts

Monkey Puzzle

What the Ladybird Heard

The Snail and The Whale

UTW Texts

Tinga Tinga tales

We're Roaming through the Rainforest

One Day in our Blue Planet

Literacy – Writing

Story trays to retell the stories learnt.

Writing a simple sentence – using finger spaces, using a full stop, using 'and'

3 and 4 key word sentences

Developing vocabulary and understanding nouns and verbs

Story Hooks

Story Trays

Story prompts

Songs and Rhymes

Sign Language Songs

Down in the Jungle

Walking through the Jungle

Charranga - Listening and appraising Funk music, embedding foundations of the interrelated dimensions of music using voices and instruments, learning to sing Big Bear Funk and revisiting other nursery rhymes and action songs
Playing instruments to music

Key Experiences

Zoo Cam's

Zoo Lab Visit

Festivals and Celebrations

Eid

Creatures Great and Small

Maths

Counting and Number Songs

Recognising numbers 0-20/0-100 and beyond

Sharing and grouping

One more and one less

Number bonds

Expressive Arts and Design

Sculpture - Clay animals

Drawing – Mark making

Painting - Colour mixing – primary and secondary colours – colour wheels, Jungle animals painting

Physical Development

Balance

Co-ordination and core muscles

Different ways of moving

Controlling equipment such as beanbags, hula hoops and balls

Rolling

Throwing



Science

Crawling Colours - Magic colour spreading

Tooth Decay Experiment

Rain clouds



Personal, Social, Emotional

Development

How can I stay safe

Independence

Preparing snack

Getting dressed

Independent living skills