

**Personal, social and emotion development**

- \* Initiates conversations, attends to and takes account of what others say.
- \* Can describe self in positive terms and talk about abilities.
- \* Aware of the boundaries set, and of behavioural expectations in the setting.

**Communication and language**

- \* Two-channelled attention - can listen and do for short span.
- \* Listens and responds to ideas expressed by others in conversation or discussion.
- \* Uses talk to organise, sequence and clarify thinking, ideas, feelings and events.

**Physical development**

- \* Shows increasing control over an object in pushing, patting, throwing, catching or kicking it.
- \* Uses simple tools to effect changes to materials.
- \* Eats a healthy range of foodstuffs and understands need for variety in food.

**Literacy**

- \* Begins to read words and simple sentences.
- \* Uses vocabulary and forms of speech that are increasingly influenced by their experiences of books.
- \* Begins to break the flow of speech into words.
- \* Continues a rhyming string.



**Mathematics**

- \* Estimates how many objects they can see and checks by counting them.
- \* Uses the language of 'more' and 'fewer' to compare two sets of objects.
- \* Uses familiar objects and common shapes to create and recreate patterns and build models.
- \* Orders and sequences familiar events.

**Understanding the world**

- \* Completes a simple program on a computer.
- \* Uses ICT hardware to interact with age-appropriate computer software.

**Expressive arts and design**

- \* Explores the different sounds of instruments.
- \* Explores what happens when they mix colours.
- \* Uses simple tools and techniques competently and appropriately.
- \* Chooses particular colours to use for a purpose.
- \* Plays alongside other children who are engaged in the same theme.

Big bang day - bus  
trip, ice-creams  
and sand pictures

Sand castles  
Shells  
Donkey rides  
Candyfloss  
Ice-creams  
Amusements/  
rides  
Punch and Judy  
shows

Seaside holidays  
Holidays in the  
past

Music:  
The wheels on the  
bus  
We're all going on a  
summer holiday  
Oh we do like to be  
beside the seaside  
Seaside rendezvous

Books:  
Billy's bucket  
The lighthouse  
keeper's lunch  
Scaredy squirrel -  
beach  
Commotion in the  
ocean  
The journey

Seaside animals  
and plants  
Rock pools

Lifeboats  
Boats  
Floating and  
sinking

Visit to Banham Zoo  
Transition to Year 1