

### Personal, Social and Emotional Development-

Continue to develop respectful relationships  
Show resilience and perseverance  
Continue to moderate own feelings and emotions

### Specific area: Understanding the world

Exploring different materials  
Learning about nocturnal animals  
Learning about Winter  
Looking at changes in materials

## Reception Curriculum Map Long Ago Spring 1 2026

### Expressive Arts and Design

Join in with traditional Nursery rhymes  
Painting and printing with sponges, vegetables, corks, cotton reels  
Mark making with a range of resources  
Using a variety of musical instruments  
Developing pretend play in role play area

### Mathematics

Subitise numbers to 5  
Count beyond 10  
Automatically recall some number bonds to 5  
Explore the composition of numbers to 10

### Physical development

Continue to hold and use scissors correctly  
Continue to learn how to zip coat unaided  
Progress towards a more fluent style of moving  
Combine different movements with ease and fluency

### Communication and language

Stories: Alfie at Nursery school, The Tiger who came to tea, Peepo, Mog the forgetful cat, The Princess and the pea and Night Monkey, day monkey.  
Learn new vocabulary  
Use new vocabulary throughout the day  
Engage in story times