

Pre-School Curriculum Overview

The following curriculum plan is fluid and incorporates all aspects of the EYFS curriculum. At Crown Street Primary School, we are constantly evolving our curriculum in response to the needs and interests of our learners and national strategies. For the most up-to-date information of what your child is learning please visit our Year Group page on the school website, which is regularly updated throughout the year.

Pre-School: 2026 - 2027			
Character Traits	Bravery, Citizenship, Curiosity, Gratitude, Integrity, Kindness		
Theme Bookshelf	 Lul's First Day Who Are You? That's Not My Hedgehog! Red Rockets and Rainbow Jelly Along Came a Different Dear Zoo	 Peck Peck Peck Bringing in the New Year Jabari Tries It Starts with a Seed Beautiful Oops	 There's a Mouse in my House Pink is for Boys A Good Place Let's go for a Walk The Very Hungry Caterpillar The Boy with Flowers in His Hair
Rights Respecting Articles	Article 2: <i>Right to no discrimination</i> Article 8: <i>Right to their own identity</i> Article 13: <i>Right to share their thoughts and feelings</i> Article 29: <i>Right to respect other people's cultures and differences</i>	Article 3: <i>Right to have their best interests worked towards by all</i> Article 13: <i>Right to share their thoughts and feelings</i> Article 24: <i>Right to healthy food, clean water and a safe environment</i> Article 31: <i>Right to relax, rest and play</i>	Article 8: <i>Right to their own identity</i> Article 12: <i>Right to respect for children's views</i> Article 13: <i>Right to sharing thoughts freely</i> Article 27: <i>Right to food, clothing and a safe home</i>
Personal, Social Emotional Development	Settling in Developing a sense of self and beginning to see themselves as a valuable individual Forming relationships Understanding empathy and the needs of others Communicating confidently Collaborating Making and understanding rules Developing a sense of responsibility Understanding emotions and solving conflicts		
Physical Development	Gross motor skills, using large muscle movements Independence in self care	Balancing and developing more complex movements Fine motor skills Understanding out needs	Fine motor skills Understanding our bodies
Communication and Language	Practicing listening skills Enjoying books and stories Understanding instructions Expressing our needs and thoughts	Events and recall Understanding questions and explaining Telling stories	Focusing my attention Initiating conversations Building vocabulary and expressing opinions
Literacy	Enjoying books and stories Creating marks	Understanding rhyme and syllables Giving meaning to marks Understanding print	Stories and early reading Understanding words Letter sound knowledge
Mathematics	Reciting numbers, counting and cardinality Making arrangements with shapes and space Creating by combining shapes	Number correspondence, counting forwards and backwards Shape and positional language Noticing and continuing repeated patterns	Problem solving Comparing groups of objects Exploring 3D shapes Comparing measures (weight, capacity, length, height)
Understanding the World	I am unique People in our community Exploring how things work	Events in my life Comparing past and present Cause and effect Animal and plant life cycles	Changes Using senses to explore the World Understanding the world (different countries, cultures and traditions)
Expressive Arts and Design	Colours and self portraits Imaginative pretend play Performance: Winter Performance	Musical instruments and changing sounds Natural art Feelings presented by instruments Performance: Spring Performance	Exploring materials, textures and tools Experiences Performance: Class Assembly