

Talk table – using telephones and message pads  
 Games (Lotto / picture cards/ Kim’s game/ Pairs)  
 Lola the listening leopard & activities / Beat Baby/  
 Querks  
 Storyboards/ Large puzzles  
 Philosophy for Children

Sticky Kids – music & movement. Skills –  
 throwing/catching/  
 kicking/jumping/hopping/parachute play/ obstacle  
 courses/Dressing & undressing  
 Mark-making (indoors & outdoors) eg.using giant  
 sized writing implements for Jack & Beanstalk  
 Finger play

Baby clinic / Dr’s surgery/Garden centre/Florist (role play)  
 Mother’s Day – someone special / feelings  
 Philosophy for Children - caring & collaborative thinking  
 /Querks  
 Easter Hat Parade  
 UNICEF – Article 24 (health & health services)

**Communication and Language**

**Physical Development**

**Personal, Social and Emotional**

**Mathematics**

**NURSERY Spring B 2018-2019**

Theme& Celebrations: New Life / Spring (incl. Mother’s Day,  
 World Book Day, Sports Relief, Easter)  
 Talk for writing: Jack and the Beanstalk/Reading Spine: Jasper’s  
 Beanstalk & The Very Hungry Caterpillar  
 Outdoor –Creative Kitchen/Planting





**Literacy**

Size & measuring (children using  
 height chart / using non-standard  
 measures)  
 Number (use of games/natural  
 objects/routines)  
 Pattern making (using leaves &  
 sticks/ seeds & beans)  
 Creative kitchen activities  
 (outdoors – measuring  
 cups/different sized bowls and  
 spoons)  
 1:1 correspondence

**Understanding the World**

Looking at similarities & differences  
 (babies and mothers)  
 Growing plants (sunflower seeds /root  
 vegetable tops/cress/ beans)  
 Computer /I-pads/remote controlled  
 cars  
 Park visits/Querks

**Expressive Arts and Design**

Handprints (for Mother’s  
 day/measuring)  
 Media techniques - fine brushes &  
 water colours/pastels/marbling  
 Musical instruments  
 Outdoor stage and story telling area

Stories & rhymes \* Core rhymes  
 Story Maps/Talk for Writing (Jack and  
 the Beanstalk)  
 Making & using finger puppets for  
 story telling  
 Mark making – writing names and  
 familiar words / messages /  
 prescriptions  
 Beat Baby – rhyme & rhythm  
 World Book Week –activities (visit to  
 local library and school  
 library/storytelling in the park/book  
 making workshop)