UtW People and Communities	Nursery Skills	Development Matters 30-50months  Shows interest in the lives of people who are familiar to them  Remembers and talks about significant events in their own experience  Recognises and describes special times or events for family or friends.  Shows interest in different occupations and ways of life  Knows some of the things that make them unique, and can talk about some of the similarities and differences in relation to friends or family	Reception Skills	Development Matters 40-60months Enjoys joining in with family customs and routines.  Early Learning Goal Children talk about past and present events in their own lives and in the lives of family members. They know that other children don't always enjoy the same things, and are sensitive to this. They know about similarities and differences between themselves and others, and among families, communities and traditions.
Autumn 1 Environment	To show interest in the lives of people who are familiar to them	Photographs of family members  Role play area  Small world activities	To enjoy joining in with family customs and routines	Topic: We've got the Whole World in Our Hands World maps  Flags from around the world  Country of the week table with resources from that country  Traditional dancing videos on the IWB
Activities		Children talk about their family and draw who they live with.  Children bring in photographs of their family and they are displayed in the classroom.  Show and tell special items from their house.  Key Vocabulary: family, sister, brother, mum, dad		We look at where children are from and focus on a couple of key countries.  Each country we link activities too e.g. Looking at India we did the following: -Bollywood dancing - food tasting -making Rangoli patterns with different materials -Henna on our hands - Indian story teller
What you will see		Children communicating about their family through talking, drawing or making facial expressions when they see a picture or hear a family member's voice.		We investigate on different types of maps where we are from and where our family comes from.  Key Vocabulary: country, family, home  Children learning about where they come from and about other children in the class.

				They will be joining in and participating in a range of activities linked to the country of the week.
Autumn 2		Mirrors	To understand similarities and	Topic: Let's Celebrate Mirrors
		Materials to mark make and write	differences between	
Environment	To be able to talk	Pictures of the children in the environment	themselves and others, and among	Pictures of the children in the environment
	about things that make them unique	Therefore S of the children in the environment	families, communities and traditions	Topic table set up linked to the celebration Physical special objects linked to celebration e.g.
				Diva lamps/bible story
Activities		Children to draw a self-portrait about themselves and compare their features to others.		We investigate a lot of celebrations such as Diwali, Christmas, New Year, Chinese New Year, Eid and
		Show and tell items that are special to them.		many more We link activities to these celebrations - Rangoli patterns
		Circle time to talk about features of themselves and		-food tasting
		others.		-Christmas play -Practise Chinse letters
		Key Vocabulary: face, hair, eye, nose		-lanterns
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				We understand how different people celebrate different traditions and not everyone is the same
				Key Vocabulary: same, different, tradition, community
What you		Children talking confidently to others about themselves		Children talking confidently about any celebrations
will see		and things that make them special.		they celebrate at home.
				Accessing all the activities linked to the celebration of the week
Spring 1	al :I I	Show and tell box		Topic: A Helping Hand
	Children can remember and talk	Pictures from home	To be able to talk in	Show and tell objects linked to topic e.g. police car
Environment	about significant		detail about	Topic table set up linked to the occupation of the week
	events in their own experience	Birthday celebration hat	different occupations	A range of texts linked to different occupations
				Small world resources e.g. builders toolkit
				role play are and dressing up clothes

Activities		Circle time  Holiday homework, where children create pictures of things they did over the Christmas holidays and share it with the class.  Show and tell special items of personal significance.  Focus children sheet sent home to bring in and discussed with adults and peers.  Children celebrate and about talk about their birthdays.  Revisiting previous day events or special events that happened in school.		Children have real life experiences of occupations such as police officers, fire fighters, dentists coming to visit the children.  Children complete activities linked to an occupation e.g. creating an X-ray picture for doctor/vets or labelling parts of an animal, creating wanted posters.  Reading a range of books linked to the texts fiction and non-fiction.  Thinking and discussing possible questions to ask the visitors to find out more information about their job.  Circle time to talk about what occupation they would like to do when they are older.
What you		Key Vocabulary: birthday, special, holidays  Children talking to their peers and adults confidently		Key Vocabulary: firefighter, police, vet, doctor, lollypop person,  Children talking confidently about occupations that
will see		about their own experiences.		interest them. Children using the small world resources appropriately e.g. stethoscope to listen to the heart beat.
Spring 2	Children can show	Role play area	To be able to talk	Role play area
Environment	different occupations and ways of life	Dressing up clothes  Small world people who help us  Transport vehicles e.g. fire engine	about past and present events in their own lives and in the lives of family members	Resources available to children to recreate previous learning
Activities		Following the children's interest when the enjoy talking about different occupations e.g. lolly pop person, children create a road outside for the trikes to ride along.		Children bring in their half term homework to talk about events that have happened in the past.

What you will see		Children read a range of texts fiction and non-fiction about different occupations.  Children watch educational videos about occupations such as vets.  Children access role play areas to support interest.  Key Vocabulary: police, firefighter, doctor, vet  All children engaged in role play using a range of small world resources.  Children building and creating vehicles using different		On Mondays - children having opportunities to talk about what they did at the weekend, taking turns so everyone has a chance.  Talking about past events by writing a diary linked to growing their bean.  Looking at the growth and change of caterpillars and seeds.  Key Vocabulary: weekend, holidays, family  Children talking about their growing beans, caterpillars and seeds.  Children writing about their beans in their diaries
		materials both inside and outside the classroom.		past and present.
Summer 1		Pictures of children and their families in their learning journey and pieces of work they have created.	Show understanding that other children don't always enjoy	Children can effectively use the zones of regulation to support their feelings.
Environment	To be able to talk about some of the similarities and	Different types of children's work to discuss and compare.	the same things, and are sensitive to this	A range of activities out for children to access.
Activities	differences in relation to friends or family	Children should have bonded with a few special friends who they might talk about.		Children playing with other children at the same activity.
		Circle time to discuss similarity and differences in each other.		Focus group activities where children focus on a similar objective.
		Key questioning from adults when children are talking to extend learning.		Helicopter stories where children have access to drama and acting out different characters.
		PSED smaller circle times to support less confident children.		
		Questioning focus children of that week.		Key Vocabulary: same, different, characters
What you will see		Key Vocabulary: same, different, friend  Children should have bonded with their peers and feel confident to try and communicate with them.		Children choosing their own activities.
				Children being independent in the classroom.

				Children accessing the role play are effectively.
Summer 2	To be able to talk about future events linked to	Having pictures of other staff members up in the environment.	To be able to talk in detail about events linked to	Having pictures of other staff members up in the environment.
Environment	transitioning, new adults and peers	A range of books on the environment linked to PSED and transition stories.	transitioning, new adults and peers	A range of books on the environment linked to PSED and transition stories.
Activities		Circle time linked what happens next?	-	Circle time linked what happens next?
		Reading stories about going to school all day.		Reading stories about going to school all day.
		Visiting the classrooms for the next year.		Visiting the classrooms for the next year.
		Speaking to the teachers and visiting the teachers in their classrooms.		Speaking to the teachers and visiting the teachers in their classrooms.
What you		Key Vocabulary: classroom, reception, teacher Children excited and able to communicate what journey		Key Vocabulary: moving, growing, teacher Children excited and able to communicate who their
What you will see		·		