Our **intent** for EYFS at Gladstone Road Primary School is to encourage and inspire all children to be active and successful learners. Our children in EYFS learn in a safe and stimulating environment with high quality provision areas which stretch across two classrooms and an outdoor learning space. This includes our construction area, sand and water area, mud kitchen, home corner, enquiry area, creative area and many more which are enhanced to reflect our weekly book hook inspiration. Through well planned provision, children have the opportunity to develop ideas, understand their feelings and build positive relationships. We provide a safe and stimulating environment where children are encouraged to ask questions and solve problems. High expectations are instilled in all of our children, providing them with the self-belief and confidence to become successful and aspiring learners.

	Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
Topic and Key	Once Upon a Time	Winter Wonderland	<u>Springtime</u>	<u>Journeys</u>	The Farm	<u>Summertime</u>
Texts	Goldilocks and the	The Three Billy Goats	The Three Little Pigs.	We're Going on a	The Frog Prince.	Enormous Turnip
	Three Bears.	Gruff.	Jack and The	Bear Hunt.	Tyrannosaurus Drip.	Cinderella
	The Gingerbread Man.	Harry and the Monster.	Beanstalk.	Supertato	Whatever Next!	Giraffes can't Dance.
	The Hungry	Hansel and Gretel.	Ten Little Pirates	What the Ladybird	Aliens Love Underpants.	Elmer
	Caterpillar.	The Gruffalo	Sharing a Shell.	Heard.	The Rainbow Fish.	The Lighthouse Keeper's
	Dear Zoo	Owl Babies	There was an Old	Little Red Riding	Robot Rumpus.	Lunch.
	Handa'sSurprise.	Little Robin Red Vest.	Dragon who	Hood.		The Jolly Postman.
	Room on the Broom.	The Christmas Story.	Swallowed a Knight.	The Very Busy		The Train Ride.
			The Easter Story.	Spider.		
Literacy	Stories with predictable	Adventure stories	Stories about fantasy	Narrative stories	Adventure stories	Traditional and fairy tales
	and patterned	Stories with a moral	worlds	Recounts	Recounts	Rhyming stories
	language.	Recounts	Adventure stories	Non fiction	Using descriptive language	Segmenting and blending
	Stories with familiar	Using descriptive words	Responding to	Instruction writing	Read common irregular words	CVCC and CCVC words.
	settings.	Engages in mark-making	narratives	Letter writing	Segmenting and blending	Read words of more than one
	Traditional tales	in their play.	Non- fiction writing	Writing cards	CVCC and CCVC words.	syllable
	Adventure stories	Recognises and write own	Using finger spaces	Using conjunctions	Read words of more than one	Reading simple sentences
	Labels, lists, captions.	name	Using digraphs	Read common	syllable	Using adjectives and a wider
	Hearing initial, final	Orally segment CVC	Segmenting and	irregular words	Writing simple sentences	range of description
	and medial sounds	words	blending CVC words.	Segmenting and	using phonetically plausible	Making own books
	Sequencing stories		Writes for different	blending CVC words	spelling attempts	Use key features of narrative in
	Plays with rhyming		purposes.			own writing
	words and alliteration					Understand unfamiliar

	Retelling stories					vocabulary
	Engages in story talk					Decode longer words
	Engages in mark-					
	making in their play.					
Maths	Sorting/matching Comparing groups Place value— numbers to 3	Comparing groups Place value-numbers to 6	Comparing groups Place value-numbers to 9	Addition and subtraction Place value numbers to 12 Shape and space	Patterns One more/One less Number facts to 5 Measures Number facts to 10 Tens frames Doubles	Halving and sharing Adding by counting on Take away by counting back Odds/evens Partitioning Exploring more complex patterns Counting to 20
Understanding		Talk about past and	Talk about favourite	Find out about	Use words and phrases like	Talk about past and present
the world History		present events in their lives	celebrations	families and traditions	old, new, a long time ago, before and next	events in their lives
Thistory		lives		traditions	before and next	
Understanding	Discuss what plants	Light sources	Investigate light	Growth	Farm animals and their young	Name, sort and describe
the world	need to grow.	Properties of water	sources	Names of flowers.	Life cycles	materials.
Science	Talk about different types of weather.		Floating and sinking	Name the parts of a plant.		
Understanding		Describe their immediate		Describe their	Explain some similarities and	
the world		environment using knowledge from		immediate	differences between life in this country and life in other	
Geography		observation, discussions,		environment using knowledge from	countries drawing on	
		stories, non- fiction texts		observation,	knowledge from stories, non-	
		and maps.		discussions, stories,	fiction texts and maps or	
				non- fiction texts and	globes.	
				maps.		
Understanding	Completes a simple	Uses ICT hardware to	Explore a range of real		Take photographs on the	
the world	programme on the	interact with age	world technology.		Kindles of children learning	
ICT	computer.	appropriate programmes.	Observe technology			
			around them such as automatic doors (lower			
			school entrance and			
			cash points at			

			Sainsburys.			
Expressive Art	Drawing – self-	Can use a range of tools	Can use a range of	Can make simple	Can weave on different frames	
and Design.	portraits for sketch	To make coloured marks	tools	repeating patterns	outside and inside.	
Being Imaginative	books.	on paper.	To make coloured	printing	Can experiment with and use	
And	Can draw accurate	Can experiment with and	marks on paper.	Can use simple	Primary colours.	
Exploring and	drawings of people.	use Primary colours.	Can experiment with	symmetry.	Can mix colours.	
using media and materials	Can use drawings to	Can mix colours.	and use Primary	Can experiment with	Enjoy using playdough and	
materials	tell a story.		colours.	and use Primary	other malleable materials.	
	Enjoy using playdough		Can mix colours.	colours.	Observational using Van	
	and other malleable		Pointillism using	Can mix colours.	Gogh's	
DT	materials.	Can use scissors using	Seurat paintings.		Sunflower.	
	Cut shapes using	one hand to cut material	Enjoy using playdough	Focus on planning		
	scissors.	with some planned effect	and other malleable	and design. Children	Cooking- consider hygiene	
		and intention.	materials.	are encouraged to	and safety(CLEOOPS	
				plan a design before	document H/S) when	
	Distinguish between		Explore how a variety	they create it in the	preparing a dish. Observe	
	healthy and unhealthy		of materials can be	areas eg	simple techniques of preparing	
	food.		joined using glue and	construction/	food(fruit kebabs/decorating	
			selotape.	treasure modelling/	buns.)	
				playdough.		
				During CP discuss		
				the materials and		
				techniques the		
				children might use		
				and why.		
Music	Singing collectively Using the thinking voice. Sing individually in the	Use percussion instruments holding and playing them correctly. Mark the pulse with a	Use instruments to accompany a song. Sing collectively. Mark the pulse on a	Accompany a song with actions.  Mark a rest in music.	Sing a song at a slower and faster rate. Change the words of a song. Find the singing voice – sing	Sing collectively. Use instruments to accompany a song. Mark the pulse on a tambour.
	song Doggie Doggie.	tambour or body	tambour.		individually.	

		movements.				
RE	What times are special	What times are special	Talk about the Bible	Talk about the Bible	Talk about what is special	Talk about what is special about
	and why.	and why.	being the Christians'	being the Christians'	about our world.	our world.
	Say why Sukkot is a	Say why Sukkot is a	holy book which helps	holy book which	Re-tell the story of creation	Re-tell the story of creation
	special time for Jewish	special time for Jewish	them to understand	helps them to	from Genesis 1, talking about	from Genesis 1, talking about
	people.	people.	more about God, and	understand more	what it says about the world,	what it says about the world,
	Say why Diwali is a	Say why Diwali is a	how people and the	about God, and how	God, human beings.	God, human beings.
	special time for	special time for Hindus.	world work. Hear and	people and the world	Express ideas about how to	Express ideas about how to look
	Hindus.	Recall a simple story	understand stories from	work. Hear and	look after wildlife in response	after wildlife in response to the
	Recall a simple story	connected with Diwali.	the Bible eg Feeding of	understand stories	to the stories of Muhammad	stories of Muhammad and the
	connected with Diwali.	Say why Christmas is a	the 5000, Jesus walking	from the Bible eg	and the Crying Camel and	Crying Camel and Muhammad
	Say why Christmas is a	special time for	on water. Use the story	Feeding of the 5000,	Muhammad and the Kittens.	and the Kittens.
	special time for	Christians.	sack for Diwali	Jesus walking on	Talk about what people do to	Talk about what people do to
	Christians.		celebration role play.	water. Use the story	mess up the world and also	mess up the world and also how
				sack for Diwali	how people look after.	people look after.
				celebration role play.		
Physical	Uses bike and	Uses bike and	Uses bike and	Uses bike and	Uses bike and understands the	Uses bike and understands the
Development	understands the	understands the	understands the	understands the	importance of wearing a	importance of wearing a helmet.
	importance of wearing	importance of wearing a	importance of wearing	importance of	helmet.	Able to change direction.
	a helmet.	helmet.	a helmet.	wearing a helmet.	Able to change direction.	Ball skills and teamwork.
	Throwing and catching	Throwing and catching	Able to change	Able to change	Making obstacle courses – use	Roll a ball using 2 hands.
	with bean bags.	with bean bags.	direction.	direction.	positional language.	Roll a ball using two hands and
	Use stilts negotiating	Use stilts negotiating	Throwing and catching	Throwing and		chase it.
	space successfully.	space successfully.	with a ball.	catching with a ball.		Shows increasing control over a
			Making obstacle	Making obstacle		ball by pushing, throwing and
			courses – use positional	courses – use		kicking it.

			language.	positional language.		Understands simple rules and
						directions.
Personal, Social	Use circle games to aid	Use feelings Big Book.	Share photos of when	Talk about how we	Begin to understand that is	Talk about what is fair an
and Emotional	co-operation-link to	Encourage children to	we were babies. Talk	feel when we are	someone leaves me they still	unfair. Read and discuss The
	music.	understand and use a	about what you can do	proud of ourselves.	love me. Talk about different	Toddlers and the ball –
	Read stories about	range of language not just	now compared to when	Read Zog by Julia	types of families.	Storylines by Ros Bailey.
	separating from adults	happy and sad.	you were a baby.	Donaldson	Talk about what makes us sad	Discuss how we have changed
	eg The Owl Babies.	Talk about favourite	Discuss how we are all	I can say what I need	or angry. Sing the feelings	since we started school. What
	Create carpet and class	activities or places that	good at different	and ask for help.	song from the Sing Up web	can we do now that we couldn't
	rules. Introduce 'green'	children like visiting	things.	Read and discuss	site.	do when we started school eg
	behaviour.'	outside of school.		Gloria is		read a book.
				embarrassed from		
				Storylines by Ros		
				Bailey.		