

# Early Years Foundation Stage –



# Curriculum Overview

Characteristics of Effective Learning
<p><b>Playing and exploring – engagement</b></p> <p>Finding out and exploring                      Playing with what they know                      Being willing to 'have a go'</p>
<p><b>Active learning – motivation</b></p> <p>Being involved and concentrating                      Keeping trying                      Enjoying achieving what they set out to do</p>
<p><b>Creating and thinking critically – thinking</b></p> <p>Having their own ideas                      Making links                      Choosing ways to do things</p>

Area of Learning and Development	Aspect
<b>Prime Areas</b>	
<b>Personal, Social and Emotional Development</b>	Making relationships
	Self-confidence and self-awareness
	Managing feelings and behaviour
<b>Physical Development</b>	Moving and handling
	Health and self-care
<b>Communication and Language</b>	Listening and attention
	Understanding
	Speaking
<b>Specific areas</b>	
<b>Literacy</b>	Reading
	Writing
<b>Mathematics</b>	Numbers
	Shape, space and measure
<b>Understanding the World</b>	People and communities
	The world
	Technology
<b>Expressive Arts and Design</b>	Exploring and using media and materials
	Being imaginative

