

# Great and Little Shelford CE (A) Primary School Curriculum Project - Year R Autumn Term 2

Big start: Story Hook

Big finish: Performing the Christmas Story

## Phonics

Letters and Sounds Phase 2: Blending and Segmenting, CV/CVC words / High Frequency Word Focus

## Handwriting

Pre-cursive letter formation

## RE: Foundation Stage - Incarnation Unit

Why do Christians Perform nativity Plays At Christmas?

## Expressive Arts and Design

Collage craft: Textiles-exploring warp and weft threads / Paper tearing / Combining media and materials  
Painting with watercolours and poster paints  
Drawing from observation; pencils and pastels  
Clay work; rolling, cutting and mark making  
Printing patterns  
Music; focus on singing and 'performance'  
Design: Creating dens - big and little / Seasonal  
Cookery

## Communication, Language and Literacy

Pumpkin Soup / We're Going On A Bear Hunt / The Christmas Story; Listening to stories, recreating stories (using small world equipment and drama), retelling stories / sequencing stories, showing understanding of characters. Reading own stories  
Creating lists and recipes / character posters and descriptions; applying phonic knowledge to writing

## Maths

### Number and Place Value:

Counting on (from numbers other than 1)  
Rote counting 20-0 backwards & beyond 20  
Ordinal language  
Recognising numerals to 20

### Calculation:

Equality Principle  
Addition problems to 10 (Format 1&2) - finding totals

Find 1 more/1 less than a number from 1-10

### Shape, space and measure

2D and 3D shape vocab.  
Ordering 3 objects by size  
Positional language; Bear Hunt

### Applying:

Ordering numbers / identifying missing numbers (to 10)  
Creating and solving own mathematical problems

## Tell Me a Story

## Physical Development

Outdoors: Small apparatus skills; sending and receiving balls and beanbags  
Indoors: Dance skills; 'On Parade' Unit  
How do we keep safe, fit and healthy?

## Personal, Social and Emotional Development

Pumpkin Soup Story; exploring friendship and cooperation  
Family and Friends Unit: Developing Friendship Skills  
My Emotions Unit: Understanding and Managing Feelings

## Opportunities for ICT:

Keyboards/CD Player and Cameras; exploring sounds and surroundings  
Puppet pals (ipad) - retelling stories  
Beebots / Maths apps

## Understanding the World

Exploring festivals and celebrations  
Discovering seasonal changes  
Looking at changes in materials; cake / soup making

Trips out/visitors in: Drama Group

Performance opportunity: The Nativity Play

Use of grounds: Story hook / Exploring the seasons

Please note that not all activities on this sheet will necessarily be covered

Total cost no more than: £10 per child