Personal, social and emotional development

Nursery

- -Settling in building relationships with their peers and staff
- -Learn to manage own feelings during transition into the setting
- -Learn and understand boundaries and expectations in the setting

Reception

- -Discuss their own feelings using happy, sad, angry, worried
- -Develop in confidence, especially in new social situations

Communication and language

Nursery

- -Enjoy listening to stories
- -Understand questions and instructions with two parts (now and then)

Reception

- -Understand why listening is an important
- -Understand and act on two part questions and instructions
- -Develop social phrases

Physical development

Nursery

- -Develop movement to balance and ride
- -Go up steps or climb apparatus using alternate feet

Reception

- -Develop a preference for a dominant hand
- -Use one-handed tools such as scissors
- -Use a knife and fork independently

Literacy

Nursery

- -Understand that print has a meaning
- -Begin to discuss stories

Reception

- -Understand print (meaning, purpose, reading left to right and top to bottom
- of a page, page sequencing)
 -Ask questions about a book

Mathematics

Nursery

- -Explore composition of numbers to 5
- -Consider a set of objects and discuss them

Reception

- -Subitise different arrangements of objects which are both structured and unstructured
- -Identify smaller numbers 'hiding' inside larger numbers

Understanding the World

Nursery

- -Talk about who is in their family
- -Name some body parts

Reception

- -Begin to make sense of their family's history and their life story
- -Talk about members of their family and local community
- -Explore the natural world around them, describing what they notice

Expressive arts and design

Nursery

- -Create sounds using instruments
- -Take part in pretend play
- -Begin to remember and sing songs from memory

Reception

- -Make imaginative 'small worlds' with a range of resources
- -Listen with increased attention to
- different sounds
- -Remember and sing entire songs

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