Reception Term What can you find at the bottom of the garden?		Key Vocabulary (throughout the topic) Minibeasts Insects Creepy Crawlies Living Non-living Life-cycles		m: Summer 2	Tuesday 24 th Wednesday 24 th	Upcoming dates / events Tuesday 18 th June – Sports Day Tuesday 2 nd July Reception Parent dinner Tuesday 4 th July open afternoon (from 2.30pm) Thursday 18 th July – reports go home Wednesday 24 th July – RMI school picnic (3.30pm) LAST DAY OF TERM: Thursday 25 th July. First day back is Tuesday 3 rd September.	
	3 rd June	10 th June	17 th June	24 th June	1 st July	8 th July	15 th July & 22 nd July
Key Texts	The Very Hungry Caterpillar	Jack and the Beanstalk	Oliver's Fruit / Oliver's Vegetables	Supertato books	Superworm	The Teeny, Tiny Tadpole	
Lines of enquiry	Life cycles + Symmetry	Plants + Growing + Big and Small	Healthy eating • Food technology	Superheroes + Food technology + Seasons - Summer	Superheroes + Long and short	Life-cycles + Pond-life	
New / Key Vocabulary (NB: Some relates to specific themes / lessons)	Life-cycle Chrysalis Pupa Cocoon Symmetrical Antenna Hatch Emerge	Comparison language linked to measurements, e.g. bigger, smaller, biggest, smallest Living / Non-living Petals Roots Stem Bud Nutrients	Fruit Vegetables Vitamins Healthy Balanced Diet Energy Food groups	Seasons Summer Recipe Ingredients Cut Slice Peel	Superhero Hero Power Villain Costume Rescue Transform Comparison language linked to measurements, e.g. longer, longest, shorter, shortest	Life-cycle Frogspawn Tadpole Froglet Lilypad Weeds Dragonfly	To be decided based on children's interests
Phonics	Phonics is taught daily. In the summer term, there is more emphasis on writing full sentences, using Fred Fingers to spell, as well as finger spaces and a full-stop.						
Maths focus - number	Introduce 16 + 17 Count on + back in 1s Count in 10s	Introduce 18 + 19 Comparing/Ordering Counting in 2s	Introduce 20 Odd and even Counting in 2s	Addition, including counting on Counting in 5	Subtraction, including counting back Counting in 5s	Number bonds, including doubles Problem solving	Number bonds Problem solving, including halving / sharing equally
Shape, Space + Measures/Other	-	Length and Distance	2D/3D shapes	2D/3D shapes	Length and Distance	Problem solving	Problem solving

Key Information and Dates:

	Key dates for your diary					
	When?	What?				
	Week beginning 10 th June	Phonics Screening (Year 1 children)				
	Thursday 13 th June	Class / Year 2 Leavers Photographs				
Summer 2	Tuesday 18 th June - PM	Sports Day (more details to follow)				
	Tuesday 25 th June	Family Dining – Year 1				
	Tuesday 2 nd July	Family Dining – Reception and Year 2				
	Thursday 4 th July – from 2.30pm	Open afternoon (more details to follow)				
	Friday 12 th July	Year 2 Camp				
	Thursday 18 th July	School Reports will be sent home				
	Monday 22 nd July – 5pm	Year 2 performance				
	Tuesday 23 rd July – 9.30am	Year 2 performance				
	Wednesday 24 th July	Picnic and Summer Fair (after school)				
	Thursday 25 th July – 9am	Year 2 Leavers' Assembly				
	Thursday 25 th July – Last day of term					
	SUMMER HOLIDAYS					
	Children return to school on Tuesday 3rd September 2024					