



St James & St John Church of England Primary School

Weekly Progression EYFS 2025-2026

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Autumn 1	Baseline		Owl Babies- narrative		The Bear and the Piano- description		
		Name writing Pencil grip	Describe home Family tree	Owl description Talk about the future Follow a recipe Show understanding of what they have read	Oral discussion Labels Caption description	Describe forest- adjectives Describe city- adjectives Advert Describe character	Concert review Proud messages Harvest performance
Autumn 2	Room on the Broom- rhyming		The Way back home- narrative		Hurry Up Santa- letter writing		
	Rhyming words CVC words labels	Recipe Simple sentence	Describe alien- adjectives Simple sentences	Speech bubbles x2 Write a question Write an answer	Write a sentence Letters to santa Make predictions	Write a sentence Ask questions Use positional language	
Spring 1	Dinosaur that pooped a planet- narrative			Harry and the Bucketful of dinosaurs- adventure narrative			
	Labels Speech bubbles Adjectives	Rhyming words Ordering events in a story	Retell a story Alternative endings	Lost poster Adjectives to describe dinosaurs Descriptive sentences	Note making Story telling Postcard	Adventure story (3parts)	
Spring 2	Oi Frog- rhyming	Goodnight Gorilla- narrative		Poo in the zoo		Owl and pussycat poem	
	Rhyming pairs Rhyming couplets	Predictions Character descriptions Sequence key events	Speech bubbles Extended writing- what happens next	Book cover Sentences Lists	List labels sentences	Recite answer questions retrieval skills perform	
Summer 1	The train ride- narrative		What the ladybird heard- narrative & report		Butterfly release- recounts		
	Sequence key events Simple sentences	Adapted narratives	Sound hunt Simple story Speech bubbles	Farm factsheet	Diary entries Lifecycle sequencing labels	Descriptions	Recount of releasing butterflies
Summer 2	Rainbow Fish- narrative & poem			Lighthouse Keepers Lunch- narrative and instructional			
	Character description Explore new vocabulary	Setting description Adjectives Sentence openers	Poetry Fish shape poems Under the sea poems	Sequence events Days of the Week Simple sentences	Story retelling	Recipe Instructions for making a sandwich	