

## Owl Class Medium Term Planning: Term 5 2026

	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6
<b>Visit/Visitor</b>	N/A	N/A	N/A	NA	N/A	N/A
<b>Book Links</b>	The Tiny Seed	NF books on plants	NF books on plants	The Very Greedy Bee The Bad Tempered Ladybird	The Very Hungry Caterpillar	NF frog books
<b>Phonics Phase 4 Unlocking Letters &amp; Sounds</b>	CVCC & CCVC words using adjacent consonants from phase 2 ft, ld, lf, lk, lp, lt	CVCC & CCVC words using adjacent consonants from phase 2 mp nd nk nt	CVCC & CCVC words using adjacent consonants from phase 2 sk st ct pt xt	CVCC & CCVC words using adjacent consonants from phase 2 bl br cl cr dr fl fr	CVCC & CCVC Read words containing - ed endings with no change to root word gl gr pl pr sc sk sm sn	CVCC and CCVC using adjacent consonants from Phase 2 Read words -ing endings with no change to root word
<b>Maths</b>	<b>Summer Block 1 To 20 &amp; beyond</b> (2 weeks)	<b>Summer Block 1 To 20 &amp; beyond</b> (2 weeks)	<b>Summer Block 2 How many now?</b> (1 week)	<b>Summer Block 3 Manipulate, compose &amp; decompose</b> (2 weeks)	<b>Summer Block 3 Manipulate, compose &amp; decompose</b> (2 weeks)	
<b>Writing</b>	Fine motor activities Name writing practise The story of The Tiny Seed - recall Writing a list	Fine motor activities Name writing practise Label parts of a plant - NF writing	Fine motor activities Name writing practise Label parts of a plant - NF writing	Fine motor activities Name writing practise The Very Greedy Bee - recall Write a minibeast fact - NF writing	Fine motor activities Name writing practise Create a chosen minibeast fact file - NF writing	Fine motor activities Name writing practise Writing frog facts - NF writing Phase 4 dictation
<b>Fine Motor Activities</b>  <b>ULS Handwriting Scheme Unit 4</b> Lower case letter formations  <b>Unit 5</b> Forming Letter Families	Pen Disco - spirals in a square  Letter formation v w (unit4)  Name writing  Activity mix - Minibeast do a dot paint activity (butterly)	Pen Disco - rays  Letter formation x z (unit 4)  Name writing  Activity mix - wool wrapping around stick	Pen Disco - crosshatch  Forming letter families down letters lesson 1 - i l t  Name writing  Activity mix - minibeast stick puppets	Pen Disco - zigzags  Forming letter families down letters lesson 2 - u y j  Name writing  Activity mix - creepy crawly painting	Pen Disco - loops  Forming letter families down letters lesson 3 - r n m  Name writing  Activity mix - cutting, make a flower	Pen Disco - loops  Forming letter families down letters lesson 4 - p h b  Name writing  Activity mix - Term 5 names for Funky Finger books
<b>Understanding The World</b>	What is a garden?  Plants in school ground - write a list  Lifecycle of a plant – The Tiny Seed	Looking at roots of a plant  Grow carrot tops  Look at seeds in fruit	Looking at roots of a plant  Grow carrot tops  Look at seeds in fruit	What is a minibeast?  Minibeast hunt  Where do minibeasts live?	Sort minibeasts to different criteria	Lifecycle of a frog  Compare plants re light & dark experiment



<b>Forest Friday</b>	Making potions with water mud sticks Washable pots Outdoor activities	Rock Painting Pebbles and paint Outdoor activities	Charcoal drawing with charcoal from Forest Friday wood. Outdoor activities	Minibeast spotting Minibeast sheet <a href="#">Minibeast sheet</a>	Natural Bunting String Leaves <a href="#">Leaf bashing</a>	Twiggy Owls Cardboard Twigs <a href="#">Twig Owls</a>
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