	Deanery C.E. Primary School Programme of Work in Reception SPRING TERM 2016	
EARLY LEARNING GOALS		
Communication, Language and Literacy	Fairy Tales - Rapunzel, Sleeping Beauty, Snow White, Cinderella, Peter Pan. Traditional Tales – Hansel and Gretel, Goldilocks, The Three Little Pigs Jack and the Beanstalk, Little Red Riding Hood, The Little Red Hen.	
	Letters and Sounds - Jolly Phonics sounds focus on digraphs and reading the action words.	
	Writing Focus – Describing words ('wow' words) Creating sentences – sentence structure, capital letters and full stops Making lists and captions Making an information poster Composing a recount Writing speech bubbles	
Mathematical Development	Measures – - ordering days of the weeks - time – o'clock	
	 Shape and Space – straight and curved shapes – language such as 'more', 'less', 'longer', shorter'. direct comparisons of lengths or masses by filling and emptying containers. 	
	Reasoning – - sorting objects into small, medium and large - recognise and recreate simple patterns.	
	 solve simple problems/puzzles. Money and 'real life' problems – role play shop. 	
	 use developing mathematical ideas to solve practical problems. counting and comparing money. 	
	 reinforce number sequence and value counting in twos and tens. estimating and then checking by counting. sequencing a given set of numbers. 	
Knowledge and Understanding of the World	ICT – - to use programme with pattern and sequence. - to continue to develop mouse and keyboard skills. - to learn to log on to the computer. Science – - to explore forces. - to identify living things – sleeping patterns and hibernation.	
	 to look closely at similarities, patterns and change. to explore sound and how it can be directed or reduced. to look at reflective surfaces. 	

	Geography – to use simple maps. to appreciate different types of land use. to learn about the features of different locations. to look at habitats.
	History – - to recognise old and new objects. - to sequence events on a simple timeline.
	RE –
	 to explore the New Testament. to become aware of other cultures and beliefs.
	 Design and Technology – to build and construct with a range of objects. to continue with our weekly cooking activities. to make simple bridges using different materials. to make a model with moving wheels.
Creative Development	Music - - to experiment with high and low sounds using voices and a variety of instruments. - to investigate beat and tempo.
	Art – - to paint and print simple patterns. - to develop skills of observational drawings. - explore clay modelling. - to explore pattern. - to mix and experiment with colour.
Physical Development	 Gross Motor Skills - To create simple contrasting dance movements. To explore big and little body movements and ways of travelling. Explore running fast and slow and jumping over obstacles. To explore different ways of balancing using small and large apparatus.
	Fine Motor Skills - threading, buttons, pencil control, cutting skills, shoelaces, zips
Personal, Social and Emotional Development	Encourage confidence to try new activities and speak in familiar groups. Work as part of a class or group taking turns and sharing fairly. Consider the consequences of their actions. Dress and undress independently. Select activities independently.
Homework	Daily reading books Jolly Phonics sounds taught throughout that week. Action words. Maths challenges.

