



**Autumn 2018**  
**Reception Topics and Books**

<b>Autumn 1</b>	
<b>Week 1</b>	<b>Starting School &amp; Friends</b> Making friends Our Golden Rules
<b>Week 2 &amp; 3</b>	<b>Traditional stories: Jack &amp; The Beanstalk</b> The language of traditional stories Investigating and growing beans
<b>Week 4 &amp; 5</b>	<b>Traditional stories: The Enormous Turnip</b> Re-telling and acting out the story Planting and growing seeds Heavy and light
<b>Week 6 &amp; 7</b>	<b>Harvest: The Little Red Hen</b> How is bread made? Tasting different types of bread Learning about fruit and vegetables and how they grow
<b>Autumn 2</b>	
<b>Week 1 &amp; 2</b>	<b>Autumn Festivals: Diwali &amp; Bonfire Night</b> <b>Stories: Room on the Broom &amp; Winnie's Amazing Pumpkin</b> Diwali: How the festival is celebrated Halloween and Bonfire Night
<b>Week 3 &amp; 4</b>	<b>Autumn:</b> <b>Stories: The Very Helpful Hedgehog and Ferdie and the Falling Leaves</b> Changes in the season Animals in autumn and hibernation
<b>Week 5 &amp; 6</b>	<b>Winter: The Stick Man</b> Investigating sticks Father Christmas!
<b>Week 7 &amp; 8</b>	<b>Christmas: The Nativity Story</b> Christmas toys and traditions The Nativity