# Curriculum Overview Ladybirds (EYFS) Spring Term 2023

Interconnected Question: Are all bears the same?

Key Texts	Communication and Language
We're Going on a Bear Hunt - Michael Rosen	Enjoy listening to longer stories and can remember much of what happens through retelling and using a
All About Bears - National Geographic	wider range of vocabulary.
Goldilocks and the Three Bears	Talk about familiar books, and be able to tell a long story.
Biscuit Bear - Mini Grey	Recounting a fact about real life bears.  - Articulating their ideas and thoughts in well-formed sentences  - Asking questions to find out more (interviewing a visitor about their photography of Polar Bears and Brown Bears)
Understanding of the World	Literacy
Comment on images of the past. We will be doing this through exploring items from Cuckfield Museum.	Writing all of their name.
	Write some letters accurately.
Know that there are different countries in the world and talk about the difference they can see in photos.  Real bears (pandas, brown bears and polar bears)  - Where they live	Blend sounds into words, so that they can read short words.
- What they look like	Spell words by identifying the sounds and then
- What they eat Creating a class book/class map about each of the	writing the sound with the letter/s.
bears and the facts we have learnt.	Personal, Social and Emotional
Talking about the difference between materials and changes they notice.	Select and use activities and resources, with help when needed.
Drawing information from a simple map).	Develop their sense of responsibility and membership
Observing the seasons (describe what they see, hear and feel whilst outside). Using all of their senses in	of a community.
hands-on exploration.	Jigsaw RSHE - Being Healthy and Dreams and Goals (Spring 1)
	- Staying motivated when doing something challenging
	<ul> <li>Keep trying when things are difficult</li> <li>Working well with a partner or in a group</li> <li>Having a positive attitude</li> </ul>

- Help others achieve their goal
- Working hard to achieve a goal

Jigsaw RSHE - Healthy Me (Spring 2)

- Making a healthy choice
- Eating a balanced diet
- Being physically active
- Keeping myself and others safe
- Knowing how to be a good friend
- Knowing how to be calm and dealing with difficult situations

### **Expressive Art and Design**

Take part in pretend play.

Explore colour and colour mixing.

Make simple models which express their ideas - design and make their own clay bear.

Listening with increased attention to sound and responding to music with paint.

## **Physical Development**

Albion in the Community

#### Dance:

- Physical skills of making actions, dynamics and space
- Social skills of working safely, being respectful and collaborating
- Emotional skills of being independent and being confident
- Thinking skills of selecting and applying actions, creativity, exploration, recall and providing feedback

#### **Gymnastics:**

- Physical of making shapes, balancing, jumps, rocking, rolling and travelling
- Social skills of working safely, collaborating and sharing
- Emotional skills of showing determination and confidence
- Thinking skills of creativity and selecting and applying

## Maths

Length and Height (making comparisons between lengths and heights).

Subitise

Comparing numbers to 10 (counting to ten and comparing numbers)

Number bonds to 10 (automatically recalling number bonds for numbers 0-5 and some to 10)

Patterns (repeating patterns - extending and creating ABAB patterns and noticing errors in repeating patterns).

Shapes (both 2D and 3D)

Singing counting songs - BBC nursery rhymes have lovely interactive songs

Funky Fingers We are learning to: -use one handed tools and equipment -use a comfortable grip with good control when holding pens and pencils -show a preference for a dominant hand	
Encouraging increasing independence as they put on coats and do up their own zips, put on hats and scarves and put on their own wellies.	