Understanding the world

Early learning goals

Understanding the world: past and present

highlighted vocabulary from year one project 1 highlighted vocabulary from LEAP

- Talk about the lives of people around them and their roles in society
- Some similarities and differences between things in the past and now, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class.
- Understands the past through settings, characters and events encountered in books read in class and storytelling.

Understanding of the world: past and present	Vocabulary
Me, family and friends	Family friends
Family are people who are related to one another.	Mum Dad
Friends are people who like spending time	Brother Sister
together. We're all different, each and every one	Auntie Uncle
of us is unique. Our appearance, how we feel our	Niece Nephew
family and friends are all different.	Cousin Grandad
	Grandma
Experiences	Experience
An experience is something that happens to us in	Event
our lives (museum or holiday) Important events	Achievement
are called life events. Life events might include:	<mark>Medal Award</mark>
birthday, Baptism, wedding, birth, achievements	<mark>Museum statue</mark>
and starting school.	
Ways of life and occupation	Job Work
A way of life is how you chose to spend your time.	Occupation
An occupation is a job.	profession
	<mark>Professional</mark>
	Uniform
	Doctor/s Nurse
	Hospital <mark>ward</mark>
	surgeon firewomen
	dentist <mark>fireman</mark>
	Teacher Opticians
Past, present and future	Dinosaurs extinct
The past: dinosaurs, castles, Grandparents born,	Castle knight armour
parents born, when I was a baby, yesterday.	protect tower king
Present: now I am	Monarch, empire,
Future: I want to be	battle, ruler, empire,

Topics	books			
Me, family	Full of love (family and traditions)			
and friends	So much (family)			
	We're all different			
	Simon socks (celebrating difference)			
Experiences	The dinosaurs start school			
	Spot starts nursery			
	Kipper's birthday			
	My Baptism (non-fiction)			
	Scarecrow's wedding			
	Maisy goes to the museum			
Ways of life	Mog and the vet			
	Astro girl			
	Topsy and Tim meet the police			
	My mummy is a plumber			
	Carlo and the really nice librarian			
	Non-fiction: vet, police, doctor, nurse, hospital,			
	doctors, fire fighter, dentist, opticians			
Past, present	Dinosaur books (in the past)			
and now	When I was a child Kids			
	My Grandma My Granddad			
	My mum My dad			
	Non-fiction book castles			
	Fairy tales			
	Neil Armstrong- significant person from the past			

Past Past Past Past Past Past Past Present Future

Grandparents born parents born I was born When I was a baby What I did last week What I did earlier What I am doing right now What I will do next What I want to do when I grow up

Topic: dinosaurs				
	Anchor Words	Goldilocks words	Step on Words	
Nouns	Dinosaur	Fossil scales	Apatosaurus Triceratops Velociraptor Brachiosaurus Pterodactyl Stegosaurus Plesiosaur Iguanodon Tyrannosaurus rex	
Verbs	Fly Chase Catch	Hunt Stomp	Contest	
Adjectives	Scary	Dangerous Sharp Enormous fierce	Scaly Extinct Carnivorous	

Topic: Family UW past and present				
	Anchor Words			
Nouns	Mum Dad Baby Family Grandad Grandma/ granny/ nan Parents Sister Brother Cousins Uncle Aunt	Son Daughter Niece Nephew Grandchild Celebration	Relatives Relationship Descendants	
Verbs	Cuddle Love Visit	Caring Alike	Developing	
Adjectives	Nice		Similar	

Topic: people who help us				
	Anchor	Goldilocks	Step on	
	Words	words	Words	
Nouns	Fire fighter	Mechanic	Paramedic	
	Nurse	Caretaker	Secretary	
	Builder	Librarian	Manager	
	Bus driver	Vet		
	Doctor	Taxi driver		
	Teacher	Dentist		
	Policeman	Job		
	Policewomen			
	Postman			
	Postwomen			
Verbs	Help	Care	Direct	
	drive	Fix		
		Deliver		
Adjectives	Scary	Brave	Responsible	
		Helpful		
		Kind		

Topic UW houses and homes					
	Anchor words	Goldilocks words	Step on words		
Nouns	Bathroom Bedroom Bricks Door Garage Garden Gate Kitchen Living room Lounge Stairs Roof window	Bungalow Caravan Castle Chimney Cottage Farmhouse Flat Tent tiles	Detached Semi-detached Terraced house Windmill		
Verbs	Build	Move (house) Live	inhabit		
Adjectives	Big Little Old new	Enormous Tiny Comfortable	Georgian		

Progression

F1 autumn

Knows their own name
Knows the people that
live in their house
Knows their nursery
name and teachers
Knows that they have a
Birthday every year
Achievements:
Beginning to know what
they like and dislike

F2 autumn

Knows more about the people that live in their house and begins to develop friendships

Knows their class name, teachers and other people and places in school Knows what month their Birthday is in Knows that Christmas day is Jesus' Birthday

Knows and remembers more than one event that happened to them in the past (yesterday, weeks ago or a year ago)
Achievements: has a particular interest

F1 spring

Knows some other family members
Knows that friends are special
Achievements: knows what
they like and dislike
Knows and remembers an
event that happened to them in
the past (yesterday, weeks ago
or a year ago)

F2 spring

Knows more about their family including other family members and friends
Knows more about their class, teachers and other people and places in school
Knows and remembers more about one event that happened to them in the past (yesterday, weeks ago or a year ago)
Achievements: has a particular interest and/or hobby in/out of school
Knows that babies grow into toddlers then children (growth RE link)

F1 summer

Knows some other family members and begins to develop friends

Achievements: seeks out others to share what they like doing at nursery

Knows and remembers more than one event that happened to them in the past (yesterday, weeks ago or a year ago)

Knows that dinosaurs don't exist anymore

F2 summer

Knows more about their families and friends and can identify similarities and differences

Has friends who they play with at school

Knows some Similarities and differences in appearance, feelings, family/cultural traditions

Knows and remembers more about more than one event that happened to them in the past (yesterday, weeks ago or a year ago) Knows that people have different occupations

Knows that dinosaurs are extinct knows more about the past through Fairy tales and castles

EYFS disciplinary knowledge linked to year one

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Significance	Evidence	Similarity and	Continuity and change	Cause and consequence	Interpretations	
Understanding the	Information gathered	difference	Understanding that	Understanding a chain	Understanding how and	
importance assigned to	from historical sources	Understanding the	some things change and	of events and	why interpretations of	
aspects of the past (and	(H2)	extent of similarity and	some things stay the	developments	the past can differ	
exploring aspects		difference between	same	(H5)	(H6)	
worthy of study)		different sorts of people	(H4)			
(H1)		 and between people 				
		within the same group				
		(H3)				
Talk about the lives of		Highlight similarities and		Understands the past		
people around them.		differences between		through settings,		
		characters, settings and		characters, events		
		events in books.		encountered in books		
				read in class and		
				storytelling		

Year one

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				(H5)	