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Learning Letter – Badger Class

My Communication	My Body	My Independence
Communication and Literacy		Skills for Life
First half of the term we will be looking at	First half of the term the topic will be dance. The	
poetry. The topic will be monsters.	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	road.
Your child will:		Your child will:
Compare and contrast different	some forest school visits where we will focus on	••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••••
poems	gross motor movements.	crossing the road and role play etc.
 Find and sort rhyming words 	Your child will:	• The other double lesson will be practising
 Look at the rhythm 	Have one dance lesson a week focusing	crossing the road safely on the school site
 Writing some poetry 	on expressing emotions.	and in the community.
Ways you can help your child:		Ways to help at home:
Practising rhyming words at home	developing the finger and thumb	 Encourage your child to explain how to
 Reading Poetry at home. 	strength, by engaging in a range of	cross the road safely when out and about
Second half of the term we will be looking at	activities.	with them.
traditional tails. The focus will be Hansel and	The adventure room and forest school	Second half of the term we will be practising some
Gretel and Baba Yaba	lessons, the children will practise bigger	multi skills games which require nets.
Your child will:	movements and their coordination skills.	Your child will:
Learn about the traditional tail	Ways to help at home:	Develop a range of skills to get the ball into
We will look at the different types of	Play games with your child, encourage	the net
sentence used in the text.	them to move counters etc	• Develop a range of skills to pass a ball to
Use the sentences type in our own	Dance with your child, using expressive	another person
writing	movements.	• Develop eye/hand coordination to be able
Write a story	Second half of the term we will be practising	to hit a ball with a bat.
Ways you can help your child:	some multi skills games which require nets.	Ways to help your child;
 Discuss different sentences with your child. 	Your child will:	Ball games with them to develop their
 Read the stories to your child if you 	Develop a range of skills to get the ball	passing skills.
have them at home.	into the net	
have them at nome.	• Develop a range of skills to pass a ball to	
	another person	
	Develop eye/hand coordination to be able	
	to hit a ball with a bat.	
	Ways to help your child;	

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	Ball games with them to develop their passing skills.	
My Community	My Cognition	My Creativity
Personal Development	Digital Literacy	Creativity – Art / DT / Music
First term	• E-Safety	• Spring 1 - Music relating to the monarchy,
PSHE – Our learning focus will be on World I	Photography	trooping of the colours
Live in – Belonging to a community.	Maths	Connation music etc
Your child will:	 First half term – fractions 	Spring 2- Art sketching still life and
What communities are	Second half term geometry	portraits.
What the different types of communities	Science	Ways you can help your child:
there are	Spring 1 –Evolution	 Look at old picture with your child, discuss
• What communities they are part of.	Spring 2- Rocks formation	how appearance have changed over the
RE – Judaism, your child will learn about the	History- Spring 1	years.
different aspects of Judaism and what the Jews believe in.	The monarchy, focusing on Henry VIII	
Jews believe in. Ways you can help your child	Geography –Spring 2-	
 Discuss with your child any groups or 	Land usage	
communities they may be part of ie	Ways you can help your child:	
football teams, church or other clubs.	 Talk about sharing equal and everyday shapes 	
Second half term	shapesShare old picture with your child	
PSHE - the topic will be death and loss, the		
children will develop and understanding that		

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death mean the end of something, they will	
practise some coping mechanism to deal with	
oss and death.	
CD – we will look at the school values and look	
at why we follow these and how.	
Ways you can help your child	
• Talk about thing that have changed or	
death if it has been experience in the	
family.	