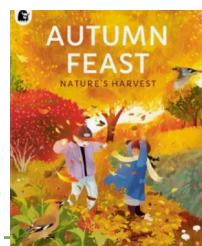
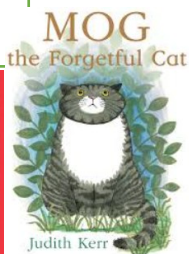
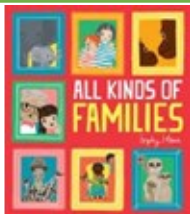


Key Texts – Autumn 1



Mini Me



Let's help every child
thrive



Physical Development

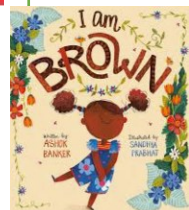
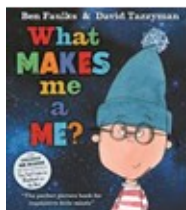


- Move through climbing, balancing, riding and ball play, with adult encouragement.
- Explore different ways of moving and practise walking steadily.
- Throw with two hands and begin catching from close range.

Communication and Language

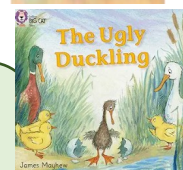


- Chat with familiar adults and children during play.
- Use talk to organise simple imaginative play.
- Listen to short stories and join in with familiar songs and rhymes.
- Practise listening to simple questions, with support.



Vocabulary!

me
family
mommy/ daddy
grandma/ grandpa
brother/ sister
baby
happy / sad
loved
safe
special
belong
together
same /different
season
Autumn



Personal, Social and Emotional Development



- Use familiar resources and routines to meet needs, with adult support.
- Explore playing alongside others and begin joining in.
- Practise separating from carers and settling with encouragement.
- Learn and follow simple class rules and expectations.



Mathematics



- Compare quantities in play using 'more' or 'less'.
- Explore 2D and 3D shapes and use simple shape words.
- Choose and combine shapes to make pictures and constructions.
- Notice patterns and make own patterns.

Understanding the World



- Talk about what I notice at school and home.
- Use familiar family and cultural actions in pretend play.
- Explore and operate new equipment and resources.
- Use my senses to explore the natural autumnal environment and materials.

Literacy



- Share favourite stories, rhymes, songs and poems.
- Talk about pictures and repeat familiar words or phrases.
- Explore books: hold, turn pages and notice print.
- Experiment with sounds, words, rhythm and rhyme.

Expressive Art and Design



- Build hand-eye control through stacking, building and malleable materials.
- Explore mark-making with different tools and media.
- Listen and move to music and join in with familiar songs.
- Watch performances for increasing periods of time.
- Explore instruments and small-world resources in play.