

# Personal, Social and Emotional Development (PSED)



	Nursery baseline	Phase 1	Phase 2	End of Nursery/ Beginning of Reception	Phase 3	Phase 4	End Of Reception
	Seek reassurance from a familiar adult if needed.	Express and explore their own emotions.	Recognise and understand some emotions e.g. depths, effects, signs and symptoms.	Begin to identify emotions in others and through use of props e.g. stories.	Name some emotions and begin to control these.	Learn and begin to apply strategies to deal and cope with emotions.	Show an understanding of their own feelings and those of others, and begin to regulate their behaviour accordingly;
Self-regulation	Express own wants and needs.	Begin to accept the needs of others, shares with support.	Take turns in a 1-1 situation, then in a small group, with increasing control.	Learn to share, take turns and understand why.	Learn distraction techniques to control impulses.	Set own personal simple goals e.g. complete an activity of their choosing.	Set and work towards simple goals, being able to wait for what they want and control their immediate impulses when appropriate;
S	Maintain attention for short periods of time.	Maintain and keep eye contact as appropriate.	Follow a simple instruction, followed by a 2-step instruction.	Be able to sit still, maintain attention without interrupting.	Two channelled attention – can shift attention even when engaged In a task.	Provide an appropriate response in relation to the topic, question etc.	Give focused attention to what the teacher says, responding appropriately even when engaged in activity, and show an ability to follow instructions involving several ideas or actions.
	Demonstrate a 'have a go' attitude, trying new things.	Know that it's okay to fail, make mistakes, learn from these.	Become increasingly confident to try new activities independently.	Be motivated to take on new challenges.	Keep trying when things are difficult/challenging.	Tackle challenges and new experiences with confidence.	Be confident to try new activities and show independence, resilience and perseverance in the face of challenge;
Managing self	Follow some rules and boundaries within the setting.	Explain why we follow rules and boundaries set.	Make the right choices. Follow road safety rules, following adult guidance.	Explain rules and boundaries to others.	Adapt behaviour to different events, places, situations, or environments. Understand the importance of road safety.	Understand the implications if rules and boundaries are not followed.	Explain the reasons for rules, know right from wrong and try to behave accordingly;
Mar	Attend to own toileting needs.	Manage own personal hygiene e.g. washing hands, wiping own nose.	Put on and remove own clothing e.g. socks, shoes and coat.	Put on. Remove, fasten, and unfasten all clothing.	Understand the need for good oral health and hygiene.	Identify healthy and unhealthy foods and make the right choices.	Manage their own basic hygiene and personal needs, including dressing, going to the toilet and understanding the importance of healthy food choices

ω.	Begins to form friendships.	Initiates play and cues for	Plays cooperatively alongside	Takes turns independently,	Play a game independently	Learns to compromise,	Work and play cooperatively
<u>.ä</u>		peers to join in.	others, keeps play going.	without the need for adult	and cooperatively with peers,	resolving conflicts	and take turns with others;
Sh				intervention.	following rules.	independently.	
- C			Begin to show a preference				
ı≓	Form a bond/relationship	Begin to play alongside	to play with specific children.	Form a friendship group.	Enjoy spending time in the	Form a friendship group	Form positive attachments to
<u>6</u>	with their key worker.	others.			company of others.	whom share similar interests.	adults and friendships with
2			Comfort a friend when they				peers;
пg			are upset.			Understand differences	
<u><del>Ö</del></u>	Seek reassurance from a	Show care and concern for		Know that it's okay to be	Demonstrated tolerance	among peers.	Show sensitivity to their own
.⊒	familiar adult.	others.		different.	towards other children.		and to others' needs.
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# **Physical Development (PD)**





		Nursery baseline	Phase 1	Phase 2	End of Nursery/ Beginning of Reception	Phase 3	Phase 4	End Of Reception
	skills	Aware of own body space.	Aware of others and obstacles in relation to their personal space.	Respond to a signal to learn how to manage own safety.	Ability to move around obstacles, showing an awareness of space.	Adjust speed when moving around, considering others.	Change direction, stop and start independently.	Negotiate space and obstacles safely, with consideration for themselves and others;
motor	ross motor	Lift, push, move and manipulate large construction materials.	Throw and catch a ball.	Climb onto and off equipment with control.	Demonstrate control of balance on equipment, both low level and high level.	Balance on a bike and pedal with direction safely.	Move around the climbing frame/obstacles with control and coordination.	Demonstrate strength, balance and coordination when playing;
	Gre	Be motivated to be active in games and movements.	Explore moving in a range of ways.	To name, identify and use requested body parts.	To know how to break down movements needed to skip, hop etc.	To copy basic moves with control, increase level of difficulty when ready.	To move freely with confidence in a range of ways.	Move energetically, such as running, jumping, dancing, hopping, skipping and climbing.
	skills	Demonstrate finger dexterity through activities and strengthening exercises.	Demonstrate finger isolation through activities such as dough disco.	Hold writing tools e.g. chalks, pencils, crayons	Show a preference for a dominant hand.	Explore and use a variety of pencil grips for comfort.	To maintain hold of a pencil to write at length.	Hold a pencil effectively in preparation for fluent writing – using the tripod grip in almost all cases;
motor	motor	Explore a variety of tools in provision.	Understand the purpose of individual tools.	Use tools for a purpose, considering safety.	Use tools for accuracy e.g. holding scissors correctly in the correct hand.	Use tools safely and with control to effect changes.	Select a particular tool to match the outcome e.g. paintbrush size.	Use a range of small tools, including scissors, paint brushes and cutlery;
	Fine	Use large movements for expression and freedom.	Use small movements for expression and freedom.	Explore a variety of media to make marks.	Select mark making media for a purpose.	Draw with consideration to special awareness.	Add features and detail when drawing.	Begin to show accuracy and care when drawing.



## Communication and Language (CL)



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ion	Sit and listen in a small focus group.	Follow instructions and show an awareness of what is being said, including directional instructions.	Respond to a question with an appropriate answer.	Hold a 2-way conversation.	Maintain attention and sit quietly, listening and responding.	Maintain focus and attention whilst engaged in another activity.	Listen attentively and respond to what they hear with relevant questions, comments and actions when being read to and during whole class discussions and small group interactions;
Listening and attention	Identify, respond to and make comments on environmental sounds.	Voice opinions and ideas in 1-1 discussions.	Voice ideas in group discussions.	Answer and respond to open and closed questions.	Use questions to promote their understanding in general free play.	Use a range of who, what, when, where and how questions.	Make comments about what they have heard and ask questions to clarify their understanding;
Listenir	Explore and use a wide vocabulary bank.	Use vocabulary appropriately in context.	Follow and hold a conversation, although it may be 1 sided.	Know when and how to take turns in a 2-way conversation.	Show an awareness of the listener and the conversational topic.	Give attention to what others are saying, responding with verbal and non-verbal cues.	Hold conversation when engaged in back-and-forth exchanges with their teacher and peers
	Talk through their own play, giving a running dialogue.	Learn newly taught words quickly, in context and in play.	Take on a role in 1-1 and small group discussions.	Begin to develop their own ideas and offer these in discussions.	Participate in class discussions, talk partners etc.	Know when to respond, holding thoughts and ideas, using these when relevant.	Participate in small group, class and one-to-one discussions, offering their own ideas, using recently introduced vocabulary;
Speaking	Join in with simple rhymes, syllable marking.	Experience a range of rhymes, stories, non-fiction texts and poems.	Use vocabulary from familiar texts in discussions.	Demonstrate reasoning in relation to events.	Understand current and past tense and talk about these confidently.	Draw upon their own knowledge to offer explanations.	Offer explanations for why things might happen, making use of recently introduced vocabulary from stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems when appropriate;
Š	Speak confidently using information carrying words.	Be aware of own feelings and experiences and communicate these.	When speaking begin to use a range of tenses.	Have their own ideas and express these to others.	Begin to use conjunctions when speaking e.g. and , because.	Use time connectives in speech.	Express their ideas and feelings about their experiences using full sentences, including use of past, present and future tenses and making use of conjunctions, with modelling and support from their teacher.

## Literacy (L)





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	Show an interest in books, makes comments about illustrations.	Finish a nursery rhyme, by saying the ending. Suggest what a story may be about from the front cover.	Join in with repeated refrains from a familiar story.	Orally re-tell a familiar story using puppets/props.	Answer questions about a character from a familiar story. Can identify features of a book.	Sequence a familiar story and re-tell in their own words.	Demonstrate understanding of what has been read to them by retelling stories and narratives using their own words and recently introduced vocabulary;	Answer simple comprehension questions about stories and non-fiction texts.
Comprehension	Identify a character from a familiar story using the front cover and pictures.	Compare and describe a familiar character, including basic features.	Identify the beginning, middle and end of a simple familiar story. Answer who and what questions linked to what has been read.	Discuss story settings – for term of reference. Answer where questions linked to what has been read.	Describe a familiar character in detail, linked to emotions. Answer when questions linked to what has been read.	Create an alternative ending for a familiar story. Answer why questions linked to what has been read.	Anticipate – where appropriate – key events in stories;	Predict what a character in a story might do next.
O	Have favourite stories, rhymes, poems and non-fiction texts.	Share favourite stories using some key vocabulary from the text.	Explore newly learned vocabulary and use in context.	Act out stories and texts using role play opportunities.	Re-tell stories using newly learned vocabulary.	Use newly learned vocabulary in speech, discussions and writing.	Use and understand recently introduced vocabulary during discussions about stories, non-fiction, rhymes and poems and during role-play.	Use new vocabulary correctly in different situations.
gui	Explore singing, rhymes and talking for a purpose.	Play with sounds in words. Identifies a rhyming word.	Hear, say and identify some familiar letters in the environment.	Begin to recognise some RWI set 1 sounds. Continues a rhyming string.	Recognise and say a sound for all set 1 sounds in RWI.	Recognise and say a sound for diagraphs, special friends and red words in RWI.	Say a sound for each letter in the alphabet and at least 10 digraphs;	Know all single letter sounds and at least 15 diagraphs.
Word Reading	Recognise some logos and familiar print in the environment.	Begin to identify sounds through phonic games. Can syllable mark words.	Begin to blend sounds and make them into a word.	Identify sounds independently in some words orally and visually	Be able to blend assisted cvc and ccvc words.	Blend independently with cvc and ccvc words	Read words consistent with their phonic knowledge by sound- blending;	Blend sounds to read words, including words with consonant clusters at beginning or end of word.
	Handle books carefully and the correct way.					Read phrases, captions and labels	Read aloud simple sentences and books	Read simple sentence with fluency.

		Know that print carries meaning.	Read books for enjoyment and pleasure.	Know that in English print is read from left to right and top to bottom, track with eyes.	Read simple words. Changes voices when reading to suit the character.	independently. Read with intonation and expression.	that are consistent with their phonic knowledge, including some common exception word.	
	Use large scale movements, crossing the mid line. Supported by squiggle while you wiggle.	Make marks on a large scale, giving meaning to the marks they make.	Make marks on a small scale, giving meaning to the marks they make. Practice manual dexterity and finger isolation.	Draw pre-writing shapes such as circles, lines when mark making for a purpose.	Form recognisable letters in different media, following the RWI programme.	Form recognisable letters on paper, using ascenders and descenders most of the time.	Write recognisable letters, most of which are correctly formed;	Form all lower-case letters correctly, ensuring ascenders and descenders are clear. Sit letters on the line.
Writing	Make voice sounds, pronounce most sounds correctly.	Link sounds to object e.g. duck = quack	Orally blend simple words with support.	Hear and say initial sounds in words.	Hear initial, middle and final sounds in words and represent these.	Spell words using their phonological awareness.	Spell words by identifying sounds in them and representing the sounds with a letter or letters;	Leave finger spaces between words. Make phonetically plausible attempts to spell longer words.
	Identify environmental sounds and general sound discrimination.	Orally hold a 2-way conversation, copying modelled sentences.	Orally blend and segment sounds in words.	Give meaning to marks as they write in detail.	Write cvc words, cvcc words, labels, captions and names independently.	Add features of a sentence to their writing e.g. finger spaces, capital letters and full stops.	Write simple phrases and sentences that can be read by others	Show some use of capital letters and full stops when writing simple sentences.



## Mathematics (M)



	Nursery baseline	Phase 1	Phase 2	End of Nursery/	Phase 3	Phase 4	<b>End Of Reception</b>	Future Steps
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				Reception		- II III 6		
	Recognises some significant numbers	Rote count to 5	Sings number rhymes and songs using number names to 10	Recognises numbers 0-5 and attempts formation	Uses whole part diagrams, understands composition of numbers. Recognises numbers 0-10 and can form these.	Cardinality of numbers to 10. Recognises and writes numbers to 20, including place value	Have a deep understanding of number to 10, including the composition of each number;	Begin to understand composition of 2-digit numbers (tens and ones)
Number	Notices and comments what they can see.	Visually uses and explores 5 frames in provision.	Subitise through adult modelled play.	Subitise 1-2 and explore the composition of 1 and 2.	Subitise 3-4 and explore the composition of 3 and 4.	Subitise 4-5 and explore the composition of 4 and 5.	Subitise (recognise quantities without counting) up to 5;	Subitise amounts up to 10.
Nun	Demonstrate; give me, show me a number.	Visually, shows that a number can change when something is added.	Visually, shows that a number can change when something is taken away.	Orally combine numbers, including pictorially.	Record number facts, including doubling.	Use subtraction facts to 10, recalls composition of number.	Automatically recall (without reference to rhymes, counting or other aids) number bonds up to 5 (including subtraction facts) and some number bonds to 10, including double facts	Recall some addition facts for numbers to 10,
	Says some number names in play.	Uses number names in context.	Give each object a number name.	Count accurately to 10 using 1-1 correspondence.	Count accurately to 20 using 1-1 correspondence.	Recognises patterns within the number system.	Verbally count beyond 20, recognising the pattern of the counting system;	Verbally count to 50, using the pattern of the counting system.
Numerical Patterns	Use language more than/less than in play.	Explore opportunities to work out more than/less than.	Makes comparisons in relation to amounts.	Compare amounts up to 5, using language; greater, fewer, least and most.	Compare amounts up to 10, using language; greater, fewer, least and most.	Use and apply all skills when problem solving.	Compare quantities up to 10 in different contexts, recognising when one quantity is greater than, less than or the same as the other quantity;	Compare quantities beyond 10 in different contexts.
Z	Explore patterns through music.	Play with patterns in the environment.	Continue a repeating pattern e.g. colour or shape.	Learn and recall doubling facts.	Explore odd and even by grouping in 2's, using visual images e.g. Numicon.	Explore sharing equally. Continue a repeating pattern of three parts.	Explore and represent patterns within numbers up to 10, including evens and odds, double facts and	Explore and represent patterns in numbers beyond 10, including evens and odds,

							how quantities can be distributed equally;	counting in 2s, 5s and 10s.
Shape, Space and Measures	Sort objects according to their own criteria. Uses time related vocabulary linked to the daily timetable.	Sort objects according to a given criteria e.g. colour, shape. Uses positional language; on top, behind, next to, in front.	Comment on shapes in the environment, begin to name and talk about properties of 2d shapes. Explores measures using non-standard units.  Nursery shape focus; circle, square, rectangle, triangle, oval	Use the language related to mass, size, capacity, length, height and time. Recognises differences related to shape, size and colour. Explores 1p coins and values.  Reception shape focus; semi-circle, pentagon, hexagon, octagon, sphere, cone, cube, cuboid, pyramid	Name and order days of the week. Measures and records using non- standard units.	Use positional language; inside, beside, between, above and below. Recognises o'clock times. Can order events using time related vocabulary.	Use everyday language to talk about size, weight, capacity, position, distance, time and money to compare and solve problems. To explore characteristics of everyday shapes.	Begin to use standard measure when exploring length, capacity and mass.



# **Understanding the World (UTW)**



	Nursery baseline	Phase 1	Phase 2	End of Nursery/ Beginning of Reception	Phase 3	Phase 4	End Of Reception
	Talk freely about significant people in their lives.	Talk freely about home life.	Talk about jobs their familiar adults do.	Explore and experience different jobs through role play.	Talk about people in the community and the roles.	Understand and explain different job roles.	Talk about the lives of the people around them and their roles in society;
Past and Present	Share stories from the past, discuss and compare with adult input.	Use age-appropriate language to compare and discuss then and now, old and new.	Talk about what makes them the same/different.	Talk about phases of their lives.	Compare old and new e.g. vehicles.	Compare past and present.	Know some similarities and differences between things in the past and now, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class;
Past	Show an interest in a range of books.	Talk about significant characters and events from stories they have read.	Remember significant events in their lives through the use of visual aids e.g. photographs.	Recall past events linked to the time of year.	Use, explore and handle artefacts.	Re-tell stories discussing past events and significant people.	Understand the past through settings, characters and events encountered in books read in class and storytelling;
ies	Talks about where they live.  Talk about their family traditions.	Notices and comments on features of where they live.  Compare their family traditions and discuss	Tells stories about places they have visited and journeys they have been on, real life scenarios or using their imagination.	Map their journeys in local community or linked to stories.	Use vocabulary linked to journeys and then environment. Develop a sense of place.	Name features and landmarks in their immediate environment.  Explore different religions and cultures through	Describe their immediate environment using knowledge from observation, discussion, stories, non-fiction texts and
nd communit	Talk about familiar places they have been.	similarities and differences with others.	Listen to stories from the bible and special books.	Talk about the community that they belong to.	Have a sense of belonging to a community, talk about how it feels.	festivals and celebrations.	Maps;  Know some similarities and differences between different religious and cultural communities in this
People, culture and communities		Use vocabulary related to familiar places.	Look at their country e.g. traditional clothing, food, visual images.	Compare buildings and landscapes from other countries.	Compare opposites and discuss e.g. countryside, rainforest, city, desert, mountains, polar regions through stories and nonfiction texts.	Use a globe, atlas, non- fiction texts, internet to explore other countries, cultures, lifestyles and languages.	country, drawing on their experiences and what has been read in class;  Explain some similarities and differences between life in this country and life in other countries, drawing on knowledge from stories, non-fiction texts and – when appropriate – maps.

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	Have the opportunity to	Notice seasonal changes in	Show care and concern for	Name and recognise some	Discuss the purpose of	Develop a life cycle of	Explore the natural world
	explore and observe	the environment.	living things in the	common animals and plants.	animals and plants.	growth and changes and	around them, making
	local/natural environments.		environment. Makes			discuss observations.	observations and drawing
			observations using tools				pictures of animals and
<u></u>			including magnifying				plants;
5			glasses.				·
ō >	Notice differences. Explores	Comment on differences		Compare climates in other	Research other countries	Look at contrasting	Know some similarities and
≥ ∞	using their five senses.	and discuss.	Compare contrasting	countries e.g. what to wear	using a variety of media	environments and make	differences between the
a Sc			environments in their local	and how to dress.	including books, internet,	comparisons including the	natural world around them
ב ב			environment and discuss	and now to dress.	experiences, pictures.	reasons for these.	and contrasting
ਦੇ ਹੋ			e.g. woodland, town centre.		experiences, pietares.	reasons for these.	environments, drawing on
The Natural World Technology			e.g. woodiand, town centre.				their experiences and what
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		Notices seasonal changes in		Notices changes in state of	Explore what happens to	Understand how litter and	Understand some important
	Notices changes in materials	the environment.	Explores magnets and what	matter e.g. melting and	objects when forces are	pollution affect the natural	processes and changes in the
	e.g. when cooking.	the environment.	attracts them.	freezing.	applied.	world.	natural world around them,
	e.g. when cooking.		attracts trieffi.	meezing.	аррпец.	world.	including the seasons and
							changing states of matter.
							changing states of matter.
	Follows a simple 1 step	Follow complex instructions,	Follow a pattern e.g. coding	Take photos using a digital	Give a pattern e.g. coding	Program a simple	Recognise, select and use a
	· · ·	set of 2 or 3. Knows how to		device.	sequence. Have an age	, ,	range of technology. Link
	instruction. Explores toys		sequence.	device.	, ,	instruction e.g. beebots.	0,
	using on off buttons.	operate simple equipment			related understanding of E-		instructions and patterns to
_		e.g. tonie box, torches.			safety through modelling of		simple coding and spatial
66					safe internet use.		reasoning.
Technology	Learn and follow basic	Use food hygiene tools for a	Identify and discuss healthy	Measure using non-standard	Talk about the changes in	Measure using non-standard	Cook for pleasure and
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5	hygiene practices.	purpose and associate with	and un-healthy foods.	, , ,	texture, state of matter and	and standard units,	enjoyment. Understand the
Te		language e.g. whisk, mix,		vocabulary.	how different cooking	understanding the	need for measures and
		stir.			process can affect these.	importance of the	instructions when cooking
						combination of ingredients.	to achieve a finished
							product.



## **Expressive Art and Design (EAD)**



	Nursery baseline	Phase 1	Phase 2	End of Nursery/ Beginning of Reception	Phase 3	Phase 4	End Of Reception
/aterials	Explore texture and form.	Uses tools and construction materials safely and for a purpose. Draw a simple representation of events, objects, or people.	Explore what happens when the mix colours, creates different textures.	Explain what materials/tools they have used and why.	Manipulates materials for effect.	Selects the correct size of tools for a purpose e.g. paintbrush.	Safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function;
Creating with Materials	Give a meaning/name to their creation.	Design and construct for a purpose.	Use joining techniques, trying and testing different ways.	Orally plan a creation, requesting/sourcing materials.	Choose colours and techniques and explain why they chose these.	Evaluate their designs – plan, do and review.	Share their creations, explaining the process they have used;
Creatir	Play alongside other children.	Notice what adults do and copies actions.	Play cooperatively.	Introduce a storyline into their play, builds role play around toys.	Participate in complex cooperative play, introducing a plan and rules into their play.	Use available resources to represent something else in their play.	Make use of props and materials when role playing characters in narratives and stories.
and	Listen to stories and responds.	Understand the make-up of stories; beginning, middle and end.	Act out a story, self-initiated in role play provision.	Invent own storylines, narrative and characters.	Adapt play to include others and their ideas.	Play cooperatively to act out a narrative.	Invent, adapt and recount narratives and stories with peers and their teacher;
Being imaginative expressive	Enjoy listening to songs and rhymes, moves in response to music.	Join in with some nursery rhymes and action songs.	Sing some nursery rhymes from memory; nursery rhyme time initiative.	Explore instruments, the different sounds that they make and the way they are played; strum, shake and bang.	Select an instrument to match a sound. Initiates new combinations of movements and gestures.	Explore and learn how sounds can be changed; pitch and tempo. Has a repertoire of songs and actions.	Sing a range of well-known nursery rhymes and songs;
Bein	Move in response to music.	Sing to self and makes up simple songs.	Begin to perform with others, using movement to express feelings.	Move rhythmically, makes up own rhymes. Can identify and maintain a steady beat.	Create own actions to songs and music.	Perform with confidence, showing an awareness of the audience.	Perform songs, rhymes, poems and stories with others, and – when appropriate – try to move in time with music.