


Brookside Curriculum Overview – English (Hummingbirds)

	Spring 1
Reading objectives	Bespoke objectives for the individual child based on B-Squared objectives Children read 1:1 to an adult 3 times a week. Daily story sessions where children can join in.
Core texts	 Giles Andrew & David Wojtowicz
Phonics	Phase 2* Re-cap previously learnt sounds e, u, r, h, b, f, ff, l, ll Bespoke objectives for the individual child delivered through 1:1 reading sessions.
Writing (Bespoke objectives for the individual child based on B-Squared objectives)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Animal fact file • Listening for rhyming words • Matching symbols and sequencing • Recount
Vocabulary, Grammar & Punctuation	Bespoke based on individual B Squared objectives Capital letters, full stops, finger spaces
Handwriting	Mark making and overwriting Letter formation Writing words using letter sound knowledge Sensory trays
Home	Children to share stories with families.
Spoken Language	Total communication: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Picture, Exchange, Communications System • Makaton • Grid /Eye Gaze • Symbols • S&L activities daily with specific targets from PLIMs