

## Brookside Curriculum Overview – English (Early Years)

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2
Communication and Language  Literacy	Understand how to listen and why listening is important.  Learn new vocabulary.  Engage in story times.	Engage in story times.  Ask questions to find out more and check they understand what has been said to them.
EYFS Development Matters 2020	Listen to and talk about stories to build familiarity and understanding.	Retell the story, once they have developed a deep familiarity with the text; some as exact repetition and some in their own words.  Learn rhymes, poems and songs.
		Anticipate (where appropriate) key events in stories.
Core texts	Have You filled a Busier Today?  A State to Fair Requires for Idea  A State to Fair Re	Room on the Broom
	HANDAS SURPRISE	RAMA NO SITA
	THE WOLF'S COLOURFUL COAT	Christmas Story Big Book to Nursery Rhymes
Phonics	Phase 2	Phase 2
	s a t p i n m d g o	c, k, ck, e, u, r, h, b, f, ff, l, ll,
		Tricky Words - to, the, no, go, I

Writing	Letter formation	Simple sentences of 4 or 5 words.
Vocabulary, Grammar &	Learn new vocabulary and use in discussions.	Capital letters, finger spaces and full stops
Punctuation		
Spelling & Handwriting	Letter formation	Letter formation
3		Beginning to sound out and spell CVC words that are consistent with their phonics knowledge, including some tricky words.
Spoken Language	Learn new vocabulary and use in discussions.	Learn new vocabulary and use in discussions.
		Ask questions to find out more and check they understand what has been said to them. Why? What? Where? When? How? Who?
Home	<ul> <li>Reading books sent home twice per week.</li> <li>Parents/Carers informed of text/theme each week.</li> <li>Reading words sent home weekly</li> </ul>	