



St. Alban's Catholic Primary School

Reception 2025-2026

Curriculum Overview



	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
	3.9.25 -24.10.25 8 weeks	3.11.25 – 19.12.25 7 weeks	5.1.26 – 13.2.26 6 weeks	23.2.26 – 2.4.26 6 weeks	20.4.26 – 22.5.26 5 weeks	2.6.26 – 17.7.25 7 weeks
Dates		Remembrance Day 11.11.25 Children in Need 14.11.25	Lunar New Year 29.1.26	Lent 18.2.26 World book day 5.3.26 Mother's Day 15.3.26 Easter 5.4.26	Earth Day 22.4.26	Father's Day 21.6.26 St Alban's Day 20.6.26
Theme	All about me	Celebrations	Change	Growing	Wider world	Journeys
Key Learning Points	My Name My Body Parts My Family	Christmas around the world Remembrance	Winter Seasons	Life cycles Spring/Easter Farm animals	Hot and cold places Food maps	Journeys Holidays Summer Vehicles
Writing stimulus	Going on a Bear Hunt Fact file on bears	Gingerbread Man Making Gingerbread	Goldilocks and the Three Bears Instruction to build a snowman	The Very hungry Caterpillar Recount of trip	Little Red Hen Animal report	Little Charlie Following directions
Wider reading	What makes me a Me? Simon Sock Colour Monster Leaf Man Pumpkin Soup	Rama and Sita Owl Babies Peace at Last Jolly Christmas Postman Mog at Christmas Nativity Story	Jack Frost Big Bear Little Brother Snowy Animals	Very hungry Caterpillar Farm Stories Easter Story	The Snail and the Whale Martha Maps it Out 10 things I can do to help my world Charlie and Lola recycle Whatever Next Handa's Surprise	Mr Gumpy's Outing Alfie at the Beach Sunk Big Book of Ships Things that go (Vehicles)
Trips/Visitors	Visit to our local church	Local priest	Forest School	Farm visit	Forest School	Local area/transport
RE	Domestic Church- Myself Judaism- Hanukah	Baptism- Welcome Advent- Birthday/ Christmas	Local Church- Celebrating Islam- EID	Eucharist- Gathering Lent- Easter/ Growing	Pentecost- Good News Reconciliation- Friends	Universal Church- Our World

PHSE	Unit 1 Religious understanding Story sessions	Unit 2 Me, My Body, My Health	Unit 3 Emotional Well-Being	Unit 4 Life Cycles	Unit 1 Religious Understanding Unit 2 Living in the wider world	
Maths	Match sort and compare Talk about pattern and measure	Its me 1,2,3 Circles and triangles 1,2,3,4,5 Shapes with 4 sides	Alive in 5 Mass and capacity Growing 6,7,8 Length, height and time	Length, height and time Building 9 and 10 Explore 3D shapes	To 20 and beyond How many now? Manipulate, compose and decompose	Sharing and grouping Visualise, build and map Make connections