Robins Reception – Topic Overview

Term: Summer 1 Topic: Growing & At the Farm							
C&L / Literacy	PSED	Past & Present	People, Culture & Communities	The Natural World	Creating with Materials	Being Imaginative and Expressive (Rhyme & Rhythm)	Gross Motor (PE)
Superworm, Jack & the Beanstalk	Jack was trying to help his mum by stealing gold. Does that make it ok for him to steal? Jack has magic beans! What type of food are beans? Why is important to eat vegetables? What was Wizard Lizard trying to make Superworm do? Why was this unkind and the wrong thing to do? What makes Superworm special? What makes you special?	Do people still live in castles like the Giant's? Why were castles built? How old are they? Why did Jack need a cow? Where do we get milk from nowadays?	How does our garden change during the spring/summer? What do you notice? Where would Superworm like to go in our garden?	What things grow in our EY garden? Let's label and draw the things we see. What insects are found in our EY garden? What do you know about different type of insects? How does our garden change through the seasons? Let's grow our own beanstalks. What do they need to grow? Let's photograph the changes our beanstalks make. What will happen next? What would happen if we stopped watering our beanstalks? Can you grow a beanstalk like Jack did? What do you notice as it grows? Can you draw and label your diagram? Let's check on our cress. How have they changed? What happened when we left one to grow in the cupboard? What does this tell us about what	Stirofoam Ink Beanstalk Printing	Wiggly Woo (Worm) Here is the Beehive, Where are the Bees? Oats and Beans and Barley Grow I Know an Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly Oranges and Lemons Ten Fat Sausages	Body Management (Involves balancing the body in stillness and in motion) Tagging and chasing games What's the time Mr Wolf Grandma's Footsteps Jump rope Can you make a game together?
The Little Red Hen	None of the other animals helped the Little Red Hen to make the bread? Is that kind? What type of food is bread? Why is important to eat a range of foods?	How does the The LRH make bread? Is that how bread is made now?	The LRH gets her ingredients from a farm. Where do we get our ingredients from? (ASDA Marina) What do you see on a farm? Can you draw the animals you find on a farm? How is the farm different or the same to Whitehawk? We made bread for the LRH! Who else makes bread? Is there a special reason? We had a bread party to celebrate what we had made! How do Jews celebrate Passover and share seder bread? Why are signs of spring important to Christians?	plants need to grow? What do you think will happen to the mixture when it goes into the oven? How did our bread mixture change once we put it into the oven? What happens to our ingredients when we mix them with a spoon? How does it change? Let's make bread like the Little Red Hen. How does the dough change? What are the signs of spring?	Baking Bread	Old MacDonald Hickey Pickety my Red Hen Little Bo Peep I Went to Visit a Farm One Day Mary, Mary Quite Contrary Ten in the Bed	Locomotion (Involves transporting the body in any direction from one point to another) Tidy the house – show your partner all the jobs you can do Take turns to move Share with your partner Use different equipment fair