Think Equal – Reception Overview

	Autumn Term					
	Book	Objectives	Links to PHSE/RSE/Curriculum			
Week 1	Marvellous Me – Maya Romer	 - Understand the concepts 'same' and 'different' - Demonstrate self-confidence. - Celebrate similarities and differences. 	Autumn 1 - families			
Week 2	These Feelings – Helen Lumgair	 Understand that feelings will come and go Demonstrate strategies for managing feelings. 				
Week 3	The weather inside me! – Sheryl Webster	 Express their understanding of the Mood Meter Give examples of how emotions in our bodies can feel like different types of weather Understand that feelings come and go like the weather. 				
Week 4	See Learning A Exploring kindness Group Agreements	 Recognise that we all want happiness and kindness Create a personal drawing of kindness that they can use as a resource Explore our need for kindness in how we act with each other Identify agreements that can help create a kind, caring room 				
Week 5	Ted the tiger tamer – Kim Normanton	 Name different emotions Link emotions to feelings inside the body Use 'Take a break, make a plan' as a tool to calm their bodies and brains and make positive choices 				
Week 6	The secret adventues of anonymouse – Natalie Lynn Rekstad & Sophie Noelle Lynn	 Perform acts of kindness around the school and classroom Demonstrate an understanding that small acts of kindness can inspire other acts of kindness. 				
Week 7	Curly the Chameleon – Lulu Luckock	 Name at least 5 different emotions Understand the levels of energy and pleasantness on the Mood Meter Recognise that all emotions are okay, even the unpleasant ones. 				
Week 8	See Learning B Practising kindness Kindness as an inner quality Recognising kindness and exploring connections	 Begin developing ways of showing kindness based on the group agreements Apply their understanding of kindness to concrete individual and collective actions. Express kindness in terms of actions and intentions Recognise the4 difference between real kindness and apparent kindness. Create their own definition of kindness. Recognise acts of kindness in their day Recognise connections as something everyone shares Recognise how the things we need come from the acts of many others. 				

Week 9	Ahmed's Journey – Jill Apperson	- Name their five senses (sight, touch, taste, smell, hearing)	PE – fitness module
	Manly	- Describe what it feels like in their bodies when they have a lot of energy (heart	
		beating quickly, breathing fast) and when they have little energy (heart beating	
		slowly, breathing slowly and deeply)	
Week 10	Faisal's not himself – Makram	- Recognise that boys and girls should both express their feelings	
	Ayache	- Recognise that boys and girls can do the same things	
		- Take the perspective of someone else (be able to describe the feelings of a	
		person whom others have been mean to)	
		Spring Term	
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Week 11	Biyu the brave pea – Amulya	- Experience empathy and the perspective of another	Spring 2 - Growth
	Malladi	- Discuss nature and the cycle of life	Summer 1 – Nature & Animals
Week 12	Thabo and the trees – Isabelle	- Show a sense of responsibility for the environment	
	Duston	- Understand the interconnectedness of all living things.	
Week 13	See Learning C	- List vocabulary words that describe various sensations	
	Exploring sensations	- Practise paying attention to sensations	
	Help Now! Activities 1&2	 Learn 'Help Now!' strategies for regulating the body 	
	Help Now! Activities 3&4		
Week 14	Passing clouds – Jon Cox	- Recognise and name different feelings	
		- Recall strategies to help them have control over their own feelings	
Week 15	Yoshi is different – Deshan	- Demonstrate confidence in themselves and their unique talents	Autumn 1 - Families
	Tennekoon	- Show empathy toward others who have different ideas and/or interests.	
Week 16	Nisha and the tiger – Jon Cox	- Show compassion for all creatures – animals and humans	Spring 2 - Growth
		- Express empathy towards others.	Summer 1 – Nature & Animals
Week 17	Francisco's Family – Amber Paulson	- Understand that families often share similarities but are also different in many	Autumn 1 - Families
		ways	
		- Identify things that make their family unique	
Week 18	See Learning D	- Continue to practice paying attention to sensations	
	Help Now! Activities 5&6	- Learn additional Help Now strategies for regulating the body.	
	Help Now! Activities 7&8	- Reflect on concepts and strategies taught over the course of SEE learning lessons	
	Review		
Week 19	Zelda goes on holiday – Deshan	- Demonstrate an understanding of compassion for those less fortunate than them	
	Tennekoon	- See things from a different perspective	
Week 20	The monster in the smoke –	- Demonstrate an instance of critical thinking	
	Deshan Tennekoon	- Understand that they can speak out when they see something unfair.	

	Summer Term					
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Week 21	Nothando's Journey – Jill Apperson	- Identify unpleasant emotions				
	Manly	- Practise calming strategies				
		- Review the five senses				
Week 22	Reha to the rescue – Deshan	- Recognise various emotions				
	Tennekoon	- Demonstrate various ways these emotions can be displayed (face, body, etc)				
		- Understand that all creatures are important and can be cared for in safe ways				
Week 23	My amazing brain A	- Understand that we all have a brain				
		- Name three things that a brain can do				
Week 24	A tiny seed: the story of Wangari	- Recognise the importance of trees	Spring 2 - Growth			
	Maathai -Nicola Rijsdijk	- Understand that one person can make a positive difference	Summer 1 – Nature & Animals			
Week 25	My amazing brain B	- Understand that neurons create pathways in the brain				
		- Understand that the brain is growing and can always become stronger				
Week 26	Our home – Saarah Ahmed	- Demonstrate a sense of responsibility towards the environment	Spring 2 - Growth			
		- Tell one way they will help to care for the Earth	Summer 1 – Nature & Animals			
		- Name one way they will practise peace.				
Week 27	Gokul's game – Deshan Tennekoon	- Continue to name and identify emotions in themselves and others (i.e lonely, left				
		out, included)				
		- Describe the difference between what it feels like to be lonely/left out and what				
		it feels like to be included.				
		- Name startegies that they can use to help others feel included.				
Week 28	My dream in the drawer – Megan	- Set a long-term goal				
	Lotter	- Understand that gender does not affect one's dream's				
Week 29	Sydney the seahorse – Cait	- Discuss diversity in skin colours positively	Autumn 1 - Families			
	Robertson	- Express that people's skin is different shades of brown				
Week 30	Deji and Nnedi and the very large	- Practise strategies for peaceful conflict resolution based or empathising with				
	cushion – Keno Danton Sheen	others conversation				
		- Show perspective-taking skills.				