



# Carle Class (Resource Base) Butterflies Curriculum Map Term 4 2025-2026

## Theme: Wonderful Weather



### Literacy & Language/Communication Skills

- Little Wandle tailored phonics sessions
- Core Word Programme
- Daily mark making using sensory materials
- Daily English sessions with a new fortnightly story focus
- Sharing books, listening to stories in a group and 1:1
- Speech and Language 1:1 personalised targets
- Learning/signing new **key vocabulary** words
- Sharing attention, developing communication and social interaction skills in a small group
- Playing in the role play area with/alongside others
- Developing communication, making requests and choices (Total Communication approach - visuals, objects Makaton sign, core boards and picture exchanges)
- Bucket Time (Attention Autism).

### Key Vocabulary

#### Topic words to be learnt:

nature  
senses  
weather  
season  
winter  
spring  
summer  
autumn

### Understanding the World – Science & RE

#### Science:

- Daily weather calendar
- Name different types of weather/seasons (daily)
- Exploring the natural world using the five senses

#### RE: Why is Easter special for Christians?

- Spring and signs of new life
- Easter events - Palm Sunday, Good Friday, The Last Supper and Easter Sunday
- Easter celebrations.

### Mathematics

#### Number:

- Count to 100
- Count in 2s, 5s and 10s
- One more and one less

#### Multiplication & Division

- Sharing
- Grouping
- Odd and even

#### Length & Height:

- Compare length
- Compare height
- Measure length using objects
- Measure length using centimeters.

### Geography – Outdoor Adventures

- Explore the natural world using senses
- Weather conditions
- Features of the changing seasons
- Seasonal weather conditions
- How weather and seasons impact daily life.

### Physical Development

- Weekly PE sessions
- Weekly yoga sessions
- Using bikes, trikes & large outdoor equipment
- Fine & gross motor skills activities
- Letter formation
- Independent dressing skills/managing clothing,
- Washing hands and developing independence with self-care
- Practicing cutting and threading skills
- Developing gross and fine motor skills during sensory exploratory play
- Exploring different mark making materials
- Movement breaks and activities
- Sensory circuits.

**PE lessons are on Monday and Wednesday in Term 4. We are lucky to have two sports coaches leading our sessions this term.**

**Please ensure that your child has a fully named PE kit in school.**

**Please remember to use Class Dojo to share info about your child or share pictures/stories for our weekly story sessions!**

### Music/Art & Design/DT

- Whole class singing with actions and Makaton signing.
- Sing Up music scheme - using core boards to choose instruments and quiet/loud play
- Key Stage singing assemblies
- Art – Exploring Colour unit.

### PSHE/Life Skills

- Developing sitting, listening and attention skills
- Play/social skills sessions in small groups
- Attention Autism sessions/Curiosity programme
- Structured sensory integration activities
- Developing skills of sharing, waiting/ taking turns.
- SCARF sessions: Rights & Responsibilities
- Life Skills – Self-Management Skills