

EYFS LONG TERM PLANNING

The EYFS talks about long term and medium term planning and again this is implemented into settings in different ways. The long term planning may be looking at the learning opportunities for the whole year this may include setting up the learning environment indoor and outdoor, organising areas of provision deciding on core equipment, decisions about regular routines and devising a strategy to ensure coverage of the seven areas of learning and development. This can be challenging as planning should be adaptable and not planned months in advance, having this in mind some settings look closely at their areas of provision both indoors and outdoors and regular monitor and evaluate these, this allows practitioner to enhance the areas based on the children s interest and adapt that environment accordingly- *At Danecourt this is evident in our medium term plans (termly). These provide a theme and indicate areas of learning to support when creating our weekly environment plan that is led by the child's interests and needs.* The above is guidance taken from the Early Years careers website (May 2015)

2018-19 (potential themes)

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
AMAZING ME!	SPECIAL TIMES	PEOPLE THAT HELP US!	WALK ON THE WILD SIDE	WONDERS OF FAIRY TALES	JOURNEYS