

ST. JOSEPH'S COLLEGE, KOLKATA

NURSERY SYLLABUS

(2025-2026)

Subject: Conversation

Textbook: General Awareness Primer & Practice Book (Firefly)

(English Language Development: short simple words/phrases /sentences)

Term I	Term II
<ul style="list-style-type: none">● All about Myself● My Body● My Senses● My Family● My Home● My School● Colours● Juicy Fruits● Healthy Vegetables● Good Manners● Summer Season● Rainy/Monsoon Season● Festivals● Days of the Week● Months of the Year	<ul style="list-style-type: none">● Animal World● Birds● Insects● Flowers● Let us travel● Our Daily Helpers● A visit to an aquarium● Visit to the park● Plants● Winter Season● Safety Rules● Water● Day and Night

Subject: Rhymes**Textbook: Rhymes and Stories (Firefly)**

Term I	Term II
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Roses are red• I have a little nose• Head, shoulders, knees and toes• Two little hands• After a bath• Roly Poly• If I were a mango• Lollipop• When the train comes along• Once I caught a fish alive• Two little Apples• Five Current buns• Here is my bunny• Little star fish• Pitter Patter• Rabbits Rabbits 1 2 3• Other common rhymes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• ABC Rhymes• Number Rhyme• I am Special• Five Little soldiers• Chubby Cheeks• I am a Little Teapot• Hickory Dickory Dock• Clap, Clap, Clap• Days of the week• Months of the year• Wheels of the bus• Other common rhymes

Subject : Story Telling**Textbook : Rhymes and Stories (Firefly)**

Term I	Term II
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• A day with my dad• My doctor's clinic• Beautiful balloons• Saving the kittens• I am sorry• The Lion and the Mouse• The Hare and the Tortoise• The Three Little Pigs• Goldilocks and the three bears• The Clever Crow• The four Friends• The Monkey and the Crocodile• The Fox and the Crane	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• The Fox and the Grapes• The Fox and the Crow• The Dove and the Ant• The Honest Woodcutter• The Boy who cried Wolf• The Ant and the Grasshopper• Common Moral Stories

Subject : English Language / Phonics

Textbooks : English Primer/ Practice Book (Firefly) & All for Kids Small Letters (Sapphire)

Recognizing, Tracing and Writing of Capital/Small Letters family wise with corresponding phonic sounds.

Term I

Family-1

- The Letter L
- The Letter I
- The Letter T
- The Letter H
- The Letter F
- The Letter E

Family-2

- The Letter A
- The Letter V
- The Letter M
- The Letter N
- The Letter W

Family-3

- The Letter Y
- The Letter X
- The Letter Z
- The Letter K

Family – 4

- The Letter C
- The Letter O
- The Letter Q
- The Letter G

Family -5

- The Letter P
- The Letter B
- The Letter D
- The Letter R

Family -6

- The Letter S
- The Letter J
- The Letter U
- Introduction of the small letters a to z

Term II

- Revision of Capital Letters (alphabetical order) A-Z.
- Revision of Small Letters (alphabetical order) a-z.
- Introduction of Vowels/Consonants
- Introduction of Two Letter words (am, an, as, at, he, me, we, if, in, is, it, of, on, or, go, no, up, us, by, my)
- Action Words (Oral)

Subject : Pattern Writing**Textbook : Patterns (Firefly)**

Term I <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Introduction of Standing Line● Introduction of Sleeping Line● Introduction of Slanting Lines● Introduction of Curved Patterns● Introduction of Circle Pattern	Term II <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Letter formation with the help of Standing/Sleeping Lines.● Letter formation with the help of Slanting Lines● Letter formation with the help of Curved/Circle Patterns.● Writing of two Letter words.
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Subject : Number Work**Textbook : Mathematics Primer & Practice Book (Firefly)**

Term I <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Pre-number Concepts: Big/Small, Tall/Short, In/Out, Full/Empty, More/Less● Sequence : Cross the odd one, sorting, match the same object● Introduction of Shapes (Triangle, Square, Circle)● Rote counting (1 -10)● Recognition of numbers 1 -10 and Concept of '0'● Tracing numbers (1 -10)● Writing numbers (1 -10)● Number Values (1 – 10)● Number Rhymes	Term II <ul style="list-style-type: none">● Shapes (Star, Heart)● Forward Counting / Backward Counting (1-10)● Bigger Numbers /Smaller Numbers (1-10)● Before and After Numbers (1-10)● Concept of 1 more and 1 less (1-10)● Rote Counting (11 to 20)● Recognition of numbers (11 to 20)● Tracing numbers (11- 20)● Writing numbers (11- 20)● Number Values (11- 20)● Revision of Numbers (1 -20)● Mental Sums (Oral)
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