

 BRITISH
COUNCIL

LEARNING TIME
WITH
TIMMY

English courses
Age 5



Early Years

Kindergarten 1

**Happy
learners,
confident
speakers**



Course outline

Kindergarten 1

Term 1

Imagination and Magic

Term 2

Creativity and Colour

Term 3

Performance and Confidence

Term 4

Exploration and Adventure

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A learning adventure your child will love

Life and study skills

Classroom tasks

Literacy



- Develop phonemic awareness
- Practise and review single letter sounds and forms
- Introduction to 2-3 letter combinations in oral and written form
- Introduction to long vowel letter combinations in oral and written form
- Develop spelling by building CVC (Consonant-Vowel-Consonant) words
- Learn to recognise a range of sight words
- Develop a love of reading through guided reading activities
- Improve writing skills with a focus on pencil grip and letter formation

Early Critical Thinking



- Fun and engaging communicative activities
- Art – artistic utensils and creativity
- Music time – instruments, actions and sounds
- Weather – different weather and describing sounds
- Performing – nouns for entertainment
- Play Time – vocabulary of games and prepositions of place
- Saying Sorry – apologising and helping others
- Building Time – working together

Comprehension and Vocabulary Awareness



- Start to build greater awareness of descriptive language and how to describe feelings and emotions
- Develop narrative comprehension through story-related activities
- Magic – describing magic
- Aliens and Space – discussing space and exploration
- Superpowers – describing different uniforms / positive characteristics
- Colours – discussing likes and dislikes / different shades and patterns
- Transport – actions and types of transport

Confidence in Speaking



- Show and Tell presentations
- Identify characters in the Learning Time with Timmy stories and better understand and describe the characters' personalities
- Develop speaking confidence through weekly group discussions and presentations