

Curriculum Overview

Year A: 2024-25



Class / Year(s): Class 2 / Years 1 & 2

Subject	Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
Key Skill Theme (History & Geography)	Geography: The Weather & Hot and Cold Places “Why can’t meerkats live in the South Pole?”	History: The Great Fire of London “Why and how did the Great Fire of London start??”	Geography: China “Where would you prefer to live: England or China?”	History: Travel and Transport “What do we know about Victorians and the way they travelled?”	History: Toys “Are ipads more fun than your Grandparent’s toys?”	Geography: The Seaside “Why do we love to be beside the seaside?”
English	<u>Key texts:</u> The Great White Man-eating Shark (Margaret Mahy) Rainbow Bear (Michael Morpurgo) The Ice Bear (Nicola Davies) <u>Key text:</u> Meerkat Mail (Emily Gravett)	<u>Key text:</u> The Incredible Book Eating Boy (Oliver Jeffers) <u>Key Text:</u> Mog’s Christmas (Judith Kerr)	<u>Key Text:</u> Winter’s Child (Angela McAllister) <u>Key Texts:</u> The Dragon Machine (Helen Ward) The Magic Paintbrush (Julia Donaldson) Malala’s Magic Pencil (Malala Yousafzai)	<u>Key Text:</u> The Koala Who Could (Rachel Bright) <u>Key Text:</u> The Bog Baby (Jeanne Willis)	<u>Key Text:</u> The Tear Thief (Carol Ann Duffy)	<u>Key Text:</u> The Magic Finger (Roald Dahl)
Maths	Place Value Addition & Subtraction	Place Value Addition & Subtraction Multiplication & Division Shape	Addition & Subtraction Multiplication & Division Position & Direction	Place Value Statistics Length & Height Weight & Volume Mass, Capacity & Temperature	Multiplication & Division Fractions Problem Solving	Place Value Money Time Consolidation

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Science	Physics Seasonal Change (Autumn & Winter)		Biology Animals including Humans 1.Classifying and Lifecycles 2.Exercise, Healthy Eating and Hygiene		Biology Plants 1.Identifying Trees, Plants and their Parts 2. Growing Healthy Plants	
Computing	Online safety Exploring Purple Mash Effective Searching	Lego builders Technology Outside School	Grouping and Sorting Creating Pictures	Spreadsheets	Coding	Coding
PSHE Ed	1. Feelings 2. Communication 3. Drugs, Alcohol and Tobacco Ed		1.Making and Breaking Relationships 2. Conflict Resolution 3. Online Safety		1. Dealing with Change and Loss 2. We Cope 3. Sex and relationships Ed	
RE	Who is a Christian? What do people believe God is like?	Why does Christmas matter to Christians? (Incarnation)	Beginning to learn Islam What do Muslims believe and how do they live?	Islamic festivals and family life: What can we learn from stories of the prophet?	What does it mean to belong to a faith community?	What can we learn from sacred books and stories?
Music	Hands, Feet, Heart	Ho Ho Ho	I Wanna Play in a Band	Zootime	Friendship Song	Reflect, Rewind and Replay
Art	Drawing: Make Your Mark	Drawing: Tell a Story	Sculpture and 3D: Paper Play		Sculpture and 3D: Clay Houses	
D&T		Structures: Constructing a windmill		Textiles: Puppets		Cooking and nutrition: Fruit and Vegetables
PE 1	Team Building Invasion Games (football)	Circuits	Gymnastics (Equipment)	Tennis	Hockey	Tag Rugby
PE 2	Multi-Skills Festival	Dance	Netball	Gymnastics Floor Routine	Basketball	Athletics with Class 1

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