

Year 2 Curriculum Overview

SUBJECT AREA	TOPICS AND CORE TEXTS					
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
RE	The Chosen People	The Mystery of God	The Good News	The Mass	Eastertide	The First Christians
English	The Journey Home Persuasive Letter We Are Water Protectors Environmental Campaign	Wolves Non-Chronological leaflet Jim and the Beanstalk Sequel Stories	The Bear Under the Stairs Information Texts The Minpins Own Version of adventure Narrative	The Owl and The Pussy-cat Rhyming Poems Tadpole's Promise Own Version Narrative	The Dragon Machine Own version of dragon stories Toys in Space Own version fantasy narrative	A walk in London 'A walk in ...' tour guide The Great Fire of London Information Booklet
Science	Local Habitats	Choosing Materials	Growing up (animals and humans)	Growing Seeds and Bulbs	Changing Materials	Growing Healthy Plants
Computing	Online Safety Effective Searching	Online Safety Programming A Bee Bots Teach Computing	Online Safety Making music (Purple Mash)	Online Safety Effective Searching Questioning Weeks – 5 Programs – 2Question, 2Investigate 2Calculate	Online Safety Programming B (Scratch Jr) Teach computing	Online Safety Creating Pictures (Purple Mash)
History	The Great Fire of London Did the Great Fire make London a better or worse place?		Holidays How have holidays changed over time?		Our Local Heroes Who are our local heroes?	
Geography		Journeys-Food Where does our food come from?		Seasons What are seasons?		Our Wonderful World What are the 7 wonders of our world?
Art	Drawing: Tell a Story		Painting and mixed media: Life in colour	Sculpture and 3D: Clay houses / Easter		Craft and design: Map it out
DT		Mechanisms Fairground wheel	Mechanisms: Making a moving monster	Structures: Baby bear's chair	Cooking and Nutrition: A balance diet	Textiles: Pouches

PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Differences	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
PE 1	real PE Coordination & Static Balance One Leg	real PE Dynamic Balance On a Line & Static Balance	real Gym Flight & Rotation	real PE Coordination Ball Skills & Counter Balance With a Partner	real PE Coordination Sending and Receiving & Agility Reaction / Response	real PE Agility Ball Chasing & Static Balance Floor Work
PE 2	real PE Dynamic Balance to Agility & Static Balance Seated	real Gym Balance & Travel	Real Dance	Invasion	real Dance	Athletics
Music	Call and response (Theme: Animals)	Instruments (Theme: Musical storytelling)	Singing (Theme: On this island)	Contrasting dynamics (Theme: Space)	Structure (Theme: Myths and legends)	Pitch (Theme: Musical Me)