

Year Group Overview

These are brief overviews of what topics are taught within each subject area over the course of the term. For more information about the content of each block, please refer to the subject information.

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Year 1



	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Theme	Paws and Claws		Paddington's Travels		Roots and Shoots	
Phonics	Review phases 3 and 4 Introduce Phase 5		Phase 5		Phase 5	
Reading	The Tiger who came to tea Tigers The emperor's egg Dear Greenpeace		Paddington's travels Brown Bear Brown Bear We're going on a Bear Hunt		The Three Little pigs The Runaway Chapati Handa's Surprise	
Writing	Shopping list Fact file Letter to Pete Penguin		Repetitive story Recount Instructions		Diary Character description (Wanted Poster) Innovated Narrative	
Maths	Place Value (within 10) Addition and Subtraction (within 10) Geometry – position and direction Place Value (within 20)		Addition and Subtraction (within 20) Place Value (within 50) Measurement – Length and Height Measurement – Weight and Volume		Multiplication and Division Fractions Place Value (within 100) Measurement – Money Measurement – Time	
Science	Animals and humans		Everyday Materials		Plants & Seasonal changes	
Design Technology	Mechanisms – moving Christmas cards				Food Technology – fruit salads, chapatis	
Computing	Technology around us Moving a robot		Information Technology – PowerPoint Grouping data Digit painting		Program animations Digital writing	
History	Toys				Kings and Queens Local History	
Geography			Continents and Countries		Our local area	
RE	Christianity : The creation story Christianity: The Christmas story		Christianity : Jesus as a friend Christianity : Easter – Palm Sunday		Judaism : Shabbat Judaism : Chanukah	
PSHE	Being Me in My World Celebrating Differences MHM - Meet your brain celebrate		Dreams and Goals Healthy Me MHM – appreciate and relate		Relationships Changing Me MHM – Engage	
Art	Pablo Picasso & Paul Klee : Self Portraits		Andy Goldsworthy – collage			
Music	Ourselves/ Seasons/ Number/ Weather		Travel/ Animal/ Pattern/ Machines		Storytime/Our Bodies/ Water/ Our School	
PE	Small Group Competitive Games and Gymnastics		Games : Handball/ Football Dance		Games: Tennis Athletics	
Forest School	Exploring the Forest School site Maps – Follow a path	Flora and Fauna Birds	Knots – Half knot Cow Hitch	Shelters - Mini	Tool use – trowels. forks, introduce potato peelers	Food (Harvesting and cooking) 34

Year 2



	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Theme	Land Ahoy! (Coasts)		Fire, Fire! (Great Fire of London)		Heroes and Me	
Reading	Grace Darling The Lighthouse Keeper's Lunch Ida and the Whale		Vlad and the Great Fire L is for London Molly McDrew and the Great Fire of London		Pattan's Pumpkin Welcome to our Table The Extraordinary Life of Mary Seacole	
Writing	Character Description – Grace Darling Instructions – Keeper's Lunch Diary Entry – Ida and the Whale Poetry		Journey Narrative – Escaping the Great Fire Information Book – H is for Henley Recount – Molly McDrew Poetry		Innovated Narrative – Pattan's Pumpkin Autobiography – Me, myself and I Letter Writing Poetry	
Maths	Place Value Addition and Subtraction Geometry – Shape		Measurement – Money Multiplication and Division Measurement – Length and Height Measurement – Mass, Capacity and Temperature		Fractions Measurement – Time Statistics Geometry – Position and Direction	
Science	Animals, including humans		Everyday Materials		Living Things and Habitats: Plants	
Design Technology			Construction – Tudor houses		Textiles Making Puppets and Sewing Hero Capes	
Computing	IT around us Pictograms		Digital Photography Digital Music		Robot Algorithms Programming Quizzes	
History	Grace Darling		Great Fire of London		Mary Seacole and Mary Anning	
Geography	Coasts		Non-European Country Studies			
RE	Christianity : What did Jesus teach? Christianity : Christmas		Islam : Prayer at home Christianity : Easter – resurrection		Islam : Community and belonging – Mosque Islam : Hajj	
PSHE	Being Me in My World Celebrating Differences MHM – Meet your brain celebrate		Dreams and Goals Healthy Me MHM – appreciate and relate		Relationships Changing Me MHM – Engage	
Art	Mary Cassatt Drawing and Painting : Impressionism River Painting		Hamo Thornycroft Sculpture Clay Model of Tudor Houses		Barbara Jones-Hogu Drawing and Printing Her Cape Designs	
Music	Ourselves/ Toys/ Our Land/ Our Bodies/		Animals/ Number/ Storytime/ Seasons		Weather/ Pattern/ Water/ Travel	
PE	Small Group Competitive Games and Gymnastics		Games : Handball/ Football Dance		Games: Tennis Athletics	
Forest School	Exploring the Forest School site Maps – Find a route	Flora and Fauna Animals	Knots – Overhand	Shelters – Bug hotels	Tool use – trowels. forks, potato peelers	Flint and Steel use – Striking to make spark

Year 3



	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Theme	Stone Age to Romans		Tomb Raiders		Go Wild (Rainforest)	
Reading	Stone Age Boy How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth Stig of the Dump Escape from Pompeii Romans on the Rampage		Egyptian Cinderella Flat Stanley and the Great Egyptian Grave Robbery The Story of Tutankhamun		The Great Kapok Tree The Shaman's Apprentice There's a Rang-Tan in my Bedroom The Rainforest Book	
Writing	Narrative - Adventure story Newspaper Report Diary		Narrative – Fairytale Instructions Biography		Non-Chronological Report Letter Poem	
Maths	See Maths Content Spine					
Science	Rocks and Soils Animals, Including humans		Forces and Magnets		Plants Light	
Design Technology	Mechanisms – catapults		Construction – Egyptian masks		Cooking and Nutrition – smoothie making	
Computing	Connecting computers Stop frame animations		Computer Science – Scratch sequencing sound Branching databases Desktop publishing Events and actions in programs		Information Technology – Cameras and video editing	
History	Stone Age to Iron Age; Romans		Ancient Egypt		Mayan Civilisation	
Geography	Mountains, Volcanoes and Earthquakes		Egypt		Rainforests	
RE	Sanatana Dharma(Hinduism): Hindu beliefs – Diwali Christianity : Christmas – Incarnation		Christianity : Jesus’ miracles Christianity : Easter – forgiveness		Sanatana Dharma (Hinduism) : Brahman Sanatana Dharma (Hinduism): Prayer and worship	
PSHE	Being Me in My World Celebrating Differences MHM - Meet your brain celebrate		Dreams and Goals Healthy Me MHM – appreciate and relate		Relationships Changing Me MHM – Engage	
Languages	Getting to Know You		Animals and Colours		Performance of familiar stories	
Art	Collage : Mosaic Painting : Cave paintings		Sculpture : Canopic Jars		Drawing and painting : Rainforest Landscape	
Music	Learning to play and perform on recorders					
PE	Games : Rugby Games: Football Gymnastics		Games :Tennis Games: Netball Dance		Athletics Games: Rounders Games: Handball	
Forest School	Exploring the Forest School site Maps – Plot a route	Flora and Fauna Trees	Knots – Overhand and Open Clove Hitch Making frames	Shelters – Bug hotels	Tool use – trowels, forks, potato peelers	Flint and Steel use – Start a 'Five-minute fire'

	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Theme	Anglo-Saxons to Vikings in the UK		African Adventures		Trouble and Strife	
Reading	The Princess who hid in a Tree Arthur and the Golden Rope Anglo-Saxon Boy		Children of the Quicksand Amazing Africa The Water Princess		The Queen's Fool Henry VIII Playscript	
Writing	Character Description Journey Narrative Letter Poetry		Setting Description Non-Chronological Report – Africa Diary Entry Poetry		Newspaper Article Playscript Persuasive Writing	
Maths	See Maths Content Spine					
Science	Electricity Sound		States of Matter Living things and their habitats,		Living things and their habitats, Animal including humans	
Design Technology	Cooking and nutrition –preservation of food		Textiles – animal purse		Construction – Tudor Buildings	
Computing	Information Technology – Word The Internet Audio production		Computer Science – Scratch Repetition in shapes Data logging		Digital Literacy – blogs Photo editing Repetition in games	
History	British Settlements by Anglo-Saxon and Vikings		Africa		The Tudors Local History	
Geography	UK Settlements		Rivers (Fieldwork)			
RE	Judaism : Relationship with God Christianity : Symbolism in the Christmas story		Judaism : Passover Christianity : Easter – forgiveness		Judaism : Commitment to God Christianity : Prayer and worship	
PSHE	Being Me in My World Celebrating Differences MHM - Meet your brain MHM - Celebrate		Dreams and Goals Healthy Me MHM – appreciate MHM – Relate		Relationships Changing Me MHM – Engage	
Languages	Describing me and others Say what I and others have Christmas		What I and others do Describing things		What is the time ? Holidays Hobbies	
Art	Drawing and painting : Viking art		Printing: African Safari		Collage : Tudors	
Music	Learning to play and perform on guitars					
PE	Games : Tag Rugby Games: Football Gymnastics		Games : Netball Games: Tennis Dance		Games : Rounders Games: Handball Athletics	
Forest School	Exploring the Forest School site Maps – Map the grounds 'Field area'	Flora and Fauna Plants	Knots – Figure of 8 and Square lashing Making swings	Shelters – Tarps 'weather-proof'	Tool use – trowels, forks, potato peelers, introduce loppers and secateurs	Flint and Steel use – Make a fire to cook on

	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Theme	Vile Victorians		To infinity and beyond		Groovy Greeks	
Reading	Cogheart Hound of the Baskervilles Extract Great Exhibition Christmas Carol		Cosmic The kid who came from Space Hidden Figures		Mythologica Percy Jackson	
Writing	Character description Diary entry Suspense narrative : Hound of the Baskervilles Non –chronological report : The Great Exhibition		Narrative Write a narrative with dialogue Explanation text How to look after your husky/ how the solar system works Character map		Persuasive leaflet : Come to Greece Fables: The Fox and the Crane Warning tale: Daedalus and Icarus Poetry: A Boy's Head	
Maths	See Maths Content Spine					
Science	Evolution and inheritance		Earth and Space Forces		Living things and Habitats Animals, including humans	
Design Technology	Textiles – Christmas stocking				Mechanisms	
Computing	Systems and searching Video production Micro:bits		Flat-file databases Selection in physical computing Micro:bits		Introduction to vector graphics Sensing movement	
History	Victorians				Ancient Greece	
Geography	Jurassic Coasts and Coastlines		Antarctica Exploration		Greece : Location study	
RE	Sikhism : Belief into action Christianity : The Christmas story – is it true?		Sikhism : Beliefs and moral values Christianity : Easter – crucifixion		Sikhism : Prayer and Worship Christianity : Commitment to God	
PSHE	Being Me in My World Celebrating Differences MHM - Meet your brain MHM - Celebrate		Dreams and Goals Healthy Me MHM – appreciate MHM – Relate		Relationships Changing Me MHM – Engage	
Languages	Describing me and others Saying what I and others have		Saying what I and others do Saying where you're going and what there is there		Saying what I and others do Expressing likes and actions	
Art	Artist : William Morris Concept : Print making Outcome : Christmas wrapping paper		Artist : Peter Thorpe Concept : Drawing and Painting Outcome : space		Artist : Ancient Greeks Concept: sculpture Outcome: Urns/pottery	
Music	Our Community Solar System		Life Cycle Keeping Healthy		At the movies End of year performance	
PE	Gymnastics Games : Football Games: Rugby		Games : Netball Games: Tennis Dance		Athletics Games : Cricket; Hockey Swimming	
Forest School	Exploring the Forest School site Maps – Map the grounds 'Buildings on site'	Flora and Fauna Habitats	Knots – Square knot Making Ladders	Shelter – Natural	Tool use – trowels, forks, potato peelers, loppers, secateurs	Flint and Steel use Kelly Kettle



	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
Theme	World War 2		Crime and Punishment		On the Move	
Reading	Instructions: How to make an Anderson Shelter Diaries: Declaration of War Losing Tale: The Gas Mask Historical Fiction: Rose Blanche		Holes – Louis Sachlar The Highwayman		The Arrival – Shaun Tan The Unforgotten Coat – Frank Cottrell Boyce	
Writing	Recount/diary poetry – war poems		Leaflet for Camp Green Lake Poetry writing		Journal letter writing	
Maths	See Maths Content Spine					
Science	Light and electricity		Properties and changes materials		Animals, including humans Living things and their habitats	
Design Technology	Construction – Making shelters				Food and Nutrition – cooking and planning an end of year meal	
Computing	Communication and collaboration Introduction to spreadsheets		Webpage creation 3d modelling		Variables in games Sensing movement	
History	World War 2		Crime and punishment from 1066		Migrations/ settlements	
Geography	World : Locational and place knowledge				Migration	
RE	Islam : Commitment to God Christianity : Christmas – Jesus the Messiah		Christianity : Eternity Christianity : Easter – resurrection		Islam : Beliefs and moral values – Akhirah	
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Languages	Describing me and others Saying what I and others have		Saying what I and others do Saying where you're going and what there is there		Saying what I and others do Expressing likes and actions	
Art	LS Lowry Painting : War time Landscapes		Banksy Drawing and Painting : Graffiti		Fabrics of Fairytale Collage	
Music	World Unite Journeys		Growth Roots		Class Awards Year 6 production: singing and performing	
PE	Gymnastics Games : Football Games: Rugby		Games : Netball Games: Tennis Dance		Athletics Games : Cricket; Hockey Swimming	
Forest School	Exploring the Forest School site Maps – Map the grounds 'Trees'	Flora and Fauna Food Chains	Knots – Bow line Making saw-horse	Shelters – Group	Tool use – trowels, forks, potato peelers, loppers, secateurs, introduce whittling knives	Flint and Steel use Kelly Kettle 39