

Year Group Curriculum Overview

Independent Learning

Aspirations

Fresh Experiences

Year 2	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Reading	Fractured Fairy Tales	Vlad and the Great Fire of London	The Hunter Mama Panya's Pancakes	Daisy saves the day	The Explorers Emma Jane's Aeroplane	The Snail and the Whale The Cat Called Trim
Writing	Traditional tale Poster writing	Great fire of London story and diary	Non-chronological report Short story Poetry (acrostic)	Letter Writing Instructions Setting descriptions	Persuasive poster Recount	Adventure Story Poetry (quatrain) Character description
Maths	2D and 3D shape Place Value within 100 Addition and Subtraction		Place Value within 20 and then within 50 Addition and Subtraction within 20 Multiplication and Division Length and Height Mass, Capacity and Temperature		Fractions Time Statistics Position and Direction	
Science	Materials – 3 pigs buildings		Animals including humans	Plants		Living things and Their Habitats
History	n/a	Great fire of London	n/a	Victorian Children	Explorers – local significant figures	
Geography	n/a		Local area and Kenya comparative study		Our Local Facilities	
Art	Drawing – draw characters using different media eg think and thin lines	Collage – Great Fire of London	Painting – African Sunsets	Textiles – weaving	Printing	Sculptures
DT	Structures – making Baby Bears chair	Making models of homes	Textiles – making a pouch	Mechanisms		Cooking and Nutrition
Music	Exploring simple patterns with traditional songs	Christmas performance	Focus on Dynamics and Tempo	Exploring Feelings through music	Inventing a Musical Story	Music that Makes us Dance
PE	Fitness and dance	Gymnastics	Invasion Games	Net and Wall	Striking and Fielding	Athletics

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RE	Judaism – who and where?	Judaism – special festivals and beliefs	Welcoming New Life	How can we make good choices?	How and why do people pray?	How can we look after our planet?
PSHE	Being a good friend Bullying and teasing, feelings and self regulation	Valuing difference – people who help us etc	Keeping Safe	Rights and Respect	Being My Best	Growing and Changing
Computing	Digital Literacy - Self image and identity, online bullying and self image	Media	Computer Science		Data Handling	Digital Literacy (2)
MFL - Spanish	Weather - language		Formal and informal greetings		Songs and consolidation	
Outdoor learning	Make charcoal to draw characters with fieldwork	Recreate fire	Investigation of animals living in our school habitat	Commando Jo Planting and observing growth	Forest Schools Planting and observing growth	Forest Schools
Oracy/drama	Hot seating, conscience alleles Sentence stems – how to say sorry, ask if you are ok	Fire of London songs Great Fire of London practical workshops Christmas Performance	Africa Workshop Class assembly performance	Victorian Children drama Instructions workshop	Explorers drama workshops Debates	Debate Summer performance Presenting
Safeguarding	Online safety – leaving digital footprint Stranger danger Consequences	Bonfire night Anti bullying Fire safety Don't always believe what you see – photographs How to alert the emergency services	Understanding medicine and their safety Felling safe ad unsafe Asking for help	Understanding how their rights and responsibilities effect children at school	Learning about self care and keeping healthy physically and mentally	Online safety – leaving digital footprint. Avatars and anonymous accounts. Consequences.

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Visits and visitors	Local walk Police visit	Fire service visit Commando Joe	Art trip to Beech Hill Church Visit	Author Visit	Commando Jo	Commando Jo
Behaviour curriculum	Commando Joe Kindness – show respect how to say sorry, ask if you are ok Songs for behaviour		Giving justifications for wants and needs Songs for behaviour		Empathy and compassion for others Solving personal problems independently	
Real life maths	Shapes in buildings and structures	Maths in artwork Maths used for real jobs – fire service	Maths in computing Maths in Science (data)	Maths in Art (weaving) Maths in Science (data) Shopping (money)	Maths in computing Telling the time Shopping (money) Drinks and Food (measures)	
Additional texts	Daily chosen reading book from class library Phonics books		Non-fiction texts relating to RE and Africa African Poetry	Non-fiction texts relating to RE and Victorian England	Daily chosen reading book from class library Phonics books Non-fiction books about the world and the environment	