

Year 2 Curriculum Overview

Curriculum Area	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Whole School Theme Week	The Circus	Fairies & Myths	Project Dream Job	Science Week	Community Week	World Cup Week
Overarching Theme	Great Fire of London	Our World	War nurses- Florence Nightingale, Mary Seccombe, Edit Cavell	Going on Safari	Activities at the seaside- Past and present	Down under
Enrichment	GFOL Virtual Trip Virtual Author Visit Fire Service Visit	Cathedral Visit (Christmas Story) Stained Glass Windows Walk around Local Area	People who help us visitors	Church Visit Bushey	Visit to Viola Water	BBQ Australia themed day
Key Texts	Vlad and The Great Fire of London The Three Little Wolves and the Big Bad Pig The True Story of The Three Little Pigs The Great Fire of London Inside the Villains-Clotilde Perrin	The Hodgeheg- Dick King-Smith Gorilla by Antony Browne Coming to England Floella Benjamin	Tuesday- David Wiesnar The Secret Sky Garden-Linda Sarah	Meerkat Mail Going on Safari Lila and the secret of rain Anna Hibiscus	The Giraffe and the Pelly and Me by Roald Dahl The Secret of Black Rock- Joe Stanton	Diary of a Wombat Possum Magic Stories from the Bilabong The Koala who could
English	Traditional tales Recounts List Poems	Explanation Texts Calligrams-one word Stories with Familiar settings	Reports Free Verse Poems Take one Book-	Information Texts Calligrams- Shape opens Reports	Instructions based on fiction Free Verse Poems Take one Book- The Secret of Black Rock	Explanation Take one Poet Myths- Billabong stories
Art	Sculpture and artist study- Andy Goldsworthy		Digital media and portraits		Collage and textiles	
Music	Music With Ms Fort Based on The Great Fire of London. AI Start GFOL Song and London's Burning	Music with Ms Fort Remembrance Christmas Hanukkah	Music With Ms Fort	Charanga Zootime	Charanga Friendship song	Charanga Reflect, Rewind and Replay
Maths	Place Value Representing, ordering and Comparing numbers Estimation	Addition and Subtraction Money Measurement	Statistics Written addition and subtraction Problem solving Time	Doubling and halving (2 digits & money) Times Tables 2s, 5s,10s (strategies and pattern) Multiplication Division	Fractions ½, ¼, ⅓ (shapes, amounts and equivalences) Time to nearest 5mins Multiplication, division and fractions (scaling and problem solving)	Multiplication and Division Geometry Mental calculations Geometry (sequencing and right angles) Place value and written calculations
Science	Needs of humans and animals	Everyday Materials	Plants	Food chains	Living things	Habitats
Computing	Digital Literacy	Digital Photography	Creating Pictograms	Robot Algorithms	Making Music	Introduction to Quizzes
Design & Technology		Food tech; milkshakes and smoothies		Winding mechanisms		Textiles- joining materials

PE	Dance	Gymnastics	Running and jumping	Running and jumping Athletics	Games Catching and throwing	Games Catching and throwing
PSHE	Being Me in My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams & Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
RE	Signs and Symbols	Christmas Story	Special places and places of worship	Easter Story Passover and Shabbat	Stories of faith and community	Questions with difficult answers
History	Great Fire of London		War nurses		The Seaside	
Geography		Locating Places		Weather		Physical and man-made features- Contrasting Places Non European Island Study