

Year 2 - Curriculum Overview

	Autumn		Spring		Summer	
	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
English	Poetry – Emotions poem Instructions – How to build a paper bridge. Narrative – A traditional tale.	Biography – Edgar Wood/Neil Armstrong Letters – A letter from space. Author study – Andrea Beaty	Explanation text – How to plants survive. Poetry – Plants and flowers Narrative – Diary (holiday on the coast)	Setting descriptions Narrative - Post card (Holiday on the coast) Persuasive writing (holiday brochure)	The Paper bag Princess Non-chronological report – An animal report Letter – From prince/princess to their parents. Narrative – character profile	Poetry - animals Explanation/information text – How do animals survive in their habitats?
Maths	Place Value 2,3,5 and 10 times tables.	Addition and Subtraction shape	Money Multiplication/division	Length and height Mass, capacity and temperature	Fractions Time	Statistic Position and direction
RE	The Bible, why is it such a special book? Christmas		Jesus, friend to everyone	Easter	Why is the church a special place for Christians? What happened at the Ascension and Pentecost?	
Science	How do you build a paper bridge? investigation.	How do germs spread? investigation. Human survival	Plant survival	Will it degrade? Investigation Materials	Animal Survival	Animal Survival
Computing	Computing systems and networks 1 – What is a computer?	Programming 1 – Algorithms and debugging	Computing systems and networks 2 – Word processing	Programming 2 – Scratch Jnr	Creating media – Stop motion	Data handling – International space station
History	Movers and Shakers Significant people	Movers and Shakers Significant people			Magnificent Monarchs - English and British monarchy from AD 871 to the present day.	Magnificent Monarchs - English and British monarchy from AD 871 to the present day.
Geography			Coastlines	Coastlines		
Art	Still life	Still life	Flower head		Portraits and Poses	Portraits and Poses
DT		Remarkable recipes		Beach Hut – Joining materials	Push and pull	Cut, stitch and join
PE	Fundamental skills 2	Fundamental skills 3	Gymnastics – pathways, straight, zig zag and curving.	Gymnastics – spinning, turning and twisting.	Net and Wall Game Skills 2	Striking and Field Game Skills 2
Music	Ukulele	Ukulele	Hands, feet, heart South African music	Zoo time Reggae and animals	Friendship song A song about being friends	Reflect, rewind and replay The history of music
PSHE	Me and my relationships	Valuing difference	Keeping safe	Rights and respect	Being my best	Growing and changing
Enhancement / Trip	Edgar Wood building	Art Gallery	Modal coastlines with sand and water	Trip to garden centre/landscapes gardens	Touring Buckingham palace online Crazy Creatures visit	Trip to the woods