

Year 1 and 2 Curriculum Overview – Cycle B

	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Topic	Through the Keyhole	Fire Fire	Explorers	What a Wonderful World	Down at the Bottom of the Garden	Guardians of the Planets
Class Text(s)	Yr 1 – We’re all Wonders Little Red Riding Hood Yr 2 – Children of the World Lost and Found	Yr 1 – Once Upon a Dragon’s Fire No Dragon’s for Tea Yr 2 – How to catch a Dragon Tell me a Dragon	Yr 1 – MeerKat Mail Miki Yr 2 – Great Adventurers The Journey Winter Story	Yr 1 – Same Same but Different Finding Wild Yr 2 – It’s Your World The Street Beneath my Feet All of the Wonders (poems)	Yr 1 – The Flower Plants (Non-fiction) Yr 2 – The Big Book of Bugs The Big Book of Blooms The Tunnel	Yr 1 – Tidy Duffy’s Lucky Escape Yr 2 – Seeds of Change The Paperbag Price
History	Changes in Locality (Mining / Human Impact – Link to Geography)	The Great Fire of London <i>Significant Individual</i> Samuel Pepys War (past and present) Remembrance Day – John McCrae, Wilfred Owen, WWI - Jack Cornwell, Sargeant Stubby,	The First Flight <i>Significant Individual</i> Wright Brothers, Amy Johnson	<i>Significant Individual Study</i>	<i>Significant Individual Study</i>	<i>Significant Individual Study</i> Mary Anning
Geography	School, Own Locality – Maps British Isle and surrounding seas and Europe	North America British Isle- Focus on London	Hot and Cold Places, Comparison to Locality Contrasting Localities, Australasia & Antarctica	Human Impact on Locality, Wider World Study on culture (Philippines) Similarities and Differences, Ways of Life (Philippines and Normanton)	Africa Link to significant individual (Wangari Maathai)	Human Impact on Locality, Wider World Study (Environment and Conservation) Extreme Weather – Wild Weather and Conservation, North America
Art	Sketching and Drawing Skills Portraits Artist <i>Amy Sherald and</i>	Sketching and Drawing Skills Figures Artist <i>Christopher Wren</i>	Yr 1 & 2 - Painting Sketching and Drawing Skills Animals Artist <i>Van Gogh</i>	Yr 1 & 2 - Printing Sketching and Drawing Skills <i>Building and Structures</i> Artists Yr 1 – <i>Jayne Adams and James Chadderton</i>	Sketching and Drawing Skills Plants and Living Things Artists <i>Aelita Andre and</i>	Yr 1 & 2 - Clay Sketching and Drawing Skills Artists <i>Yayoi Kusama (Aboriginal art)</i>
DT		Mechanisms Yr 1 – Sliders, Levers and Pivots		Yr 1 & 2 - Food	Cooking European influences	

		Yr 2 – Sliders, Levers, Pivots, Wheels, Open and Shut				
Science	Investigation Process – Working Scientifically	Yr 1 & 2 – Materials and Their Properties	Yr 1 & 2 – Animals including humans	British Science Week: Yr 1 & 2 – Animals including humans	Yr 1 & 2 - Plants	Yr 1 - Working Scientifically Yr 2 – Living things and their habitats
Computing	Computer systems and networks. Technology around us.	Creating media: Digital Painting	Programming A-Moving a robot	Data and information- Grouping data	Create Digital Writing	Programming B Programming Animations
PE – Indoor	Gym FMS	Dance – Fire Fire	Gymnastics	Dance – Robots	Gymnastics	Dance – Moving Along
PE – Outdoor	Underarm and Overarm Throw	Catching and Bouncing	OAA – The Great Outdoors	Net and Wall Games	Striking and Fielding	Athletics
Music	Yr 1 – Hey You Yr 2 – Hands, Feet, Heart	Yr 1 – Banana Rap Yr 2 – Ho Ho Ho	Yr 1 – Into the Groove Yr 2 – I Wanna Play in a Band	Yr 1 – Round and Round Yr 2 - Zootime	Yr 1 – Your Imagination Yr 2 – Friendship Song	Yr 1 & 2 – Reflect, Rewind and Replay
RE	How should we care for others and the world and why does it matter?	How and why do we celebrate special and sacred times?	Who is a Muslim and what do they believe?		What can we learn from sacred books?	
PSHE	Being Me In The World	Celebrating Differences.	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Growing Up