



Year 2 Curriculum Overview

	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Reading	Read Write Inc	Read Write Inc	Read Write Inc
Writing	Read Write Inc	Read Write Inc	Read Write Inc
Maths	Number – Place Value; The Four Operations (addition, subtraction, multiplication & division); Measurement – Length; Measurement - Mass	Temperature; Graphs; Money; 2D & 3D Shapes; Fractions	Time; Volume; Consolidation
Science	Everyday materials All living things and their habitats	Animals including humans	Plants
History	What caused the Great Fire of London?	Who are the heroes of Manchester?	Who achieved the most, Columbus or Armstrong?
Geography	What are the continents and oceans that make up our world?	How is Africa (Tanzania) different to England (Shaw)?	What makes a great park? Fieldwork
PE	Ball skills Fundamentals	Net & wall Sending & receiving	Target games Invasion
PSHE	Being me in my world Celebrating differences	Dreams and goals Healthy Me	Relationships Changing year
RE	What would Jesus do? What do stories of Jesus tell Christians about how to live?	What makes some places sacred? How should we care about others and the world? Why does Easter matter to Christians?	Who celebrates what? How and where? Who is an inspiring person? What stories inspire Christians and Muslims?
Computing	Hour of code	Lines, pies, charts, oh my!	Create and animate

<p>Design & Technology</p>	<p>Textiles: Pouches</p> <p>Learn how to sew a running stitch ready to design, make and decorate a pouch using a template.</p>	<p>Mechanisms: Making a moving monster</p> <p>Explore levers, linkages and pivots through existing products and experimentation, use this research to construct and assemble a moving monster.</p>	<p>Food: A balanced diet</p> <p>Learn about the food groups (carbohydrates, proteins, fruits and vegetables, dairy, oils and spreads) to understand a balanced diet to develop a healthy wrap.</p>
<p>Art</p>	<p>Drawing: Tell a story</p> <p>Using storybook illustration as a stimulus, children develop their mark-making to explore a wider range of tools and experiment with creating texture to add detail to drawings.</p>	<p>Painting and mixed media: Life in colour</p> <p>Developing colour mixing skills, learning about the work of artist Romare Bearden and creating textured papers using paint, children compose collages inspired by their exploration of colour and texture in the world around them.</p>	<p>Sculpture and 3D: Clay houses</p> <p>Exploring the way clay can be shaped and joined, children learn a range of essential skills for working with this medium. They learn about the sculpture of Rachel Whiteread and create their own clay house tile in response.</p>
<p>Music</p>	<p>Great Fire of London Song for Christmas production</p>	<p>Hands, feet, heart Friendship song (Charanga)</p>	<p>Glockenspiel Stage 1 Let you spirit fly (Charanga)</p>